CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
RESOLUTION 02-19-07

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA, SUPPORTING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF ROBERT RUFFNER TO THE ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES

WHEREAS, Cordova, Alaska's economy is critically dependent on commercial, sport, and personal use fishing in state waters and state fisheries management is dependent on good decisions made by the Alaska Board of Fisheries which is best served by a diverse, well-rounded, and reasoned membership; and

WHEREAS, the City Council specifically is supportive of Mr. Ruffner's well-rounded approach to issues before him and the board; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ruffner was appointed to the Board of Fish in 2016; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ruffner has demonstrated his good judgment and ability to work with people in his:
21 years of service as executive director of the Kenai Watershed Forum,
seven years of service on the Kenai Peninsula Borough Planning Commission,
six years of service on the Kenai Peninsula Borough Roads Service Area Board,
year and a half as the Chair of the Material Site Work Group,
membership in the Soldotna Chamber of Commerce, as Chair of Finance Committee,
role as chair of the North Pacific Anadromous Fish Commission Advisory Panel, and
role as Vice-Chair of the Alaska Board of Fisheries; and

WHEREAS, the reappointment of Mr. Ruffner would provide for diversity of interest and points of view in the Alaska Board of Fisheries membership, as required by Alaska Statute 16.05.221; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ruffner is held in high esteem by both commercial fishermen and members of sportfish user groups; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ruffner holds a bachelor's degree in geology and years of experience working with biology; and

NOW, **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the City Council of the City of Cordova, Alaska, does hereby support the reappointment of Robert Ruffner to the Alaska Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 6th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2019.

CITY OF CORDOVA CORPORATE SEAL JULY 8, 1909 ALASKA

David Allison, Vice Mayor

ATTEST:

Susan Bourgeois, CMC, City Clerk