

**CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA  
RESOLUTION 05-20-16**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA  
AUTHORIZING A TIER 1 APPLICATION FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA MUNICIPAL  
HARBOR FACILITY GRANT PROGRAM TO FUND SOUTH HARBOR REPAIRS**

**WHEREAS**, the Cordova South Harbor was built in 1983 with an expected life of 25 years; and

**WHEREAS**, PND Engineering's September 2016, "Cordova South Harbor Assessment Report" indicates that the Cordova South Harbor is in an advanced and accelerating rate of decline; and

**WHEREAS**, the Cordova Harbor Commission has named the repair of Cordova's South Harbor as its top priority; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Alaska legislation enacted in 2007 provides a Municipal Harbor Facility Grant Program to assist municipalities with the construction phase of small boat harbor facilities; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Cordova is eligible for a State of Alaska, Tier 1 Harbor Facility Grant in the amount of 10 million dollars with a 50 percent local match; and

**WHEREAS**, the voters of the City of Cordova have passed a ballot proposition authorizing the issuance of up to 5 million dollars in bonds as a match for the Harbor Facility Grant; and

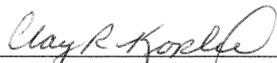
**WHEREAS**, voters of the City of Cordova have passed a proposition authorizing a local raw fish tax of .5 percent to generate revenue in the harbor enterprise fund necessary for annual bond payments; and

**WHEREAS**, the Cordova City Council approved a 10 percent harbor fee increase and a 3 cents per gallon fuel oil wharfage increase to generate revenue in the harbor enterprise fund necessary for annual bond payments; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Council of the City of Cordova, Alaska authorizes a Tier 1 application for the State of Alaska's Harbor Facility Grant Program to fund the Cordova South Harbor Repairs.

**PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 6<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MAY 2020**



  
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Clay R. Koplín, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
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Susan Bourgeois, CMC, City Clerk