

A Resolution of the Haines Borough Assembly approving the temporary addition of territory to the Commercial Ski Tour Areas map to allow for a 2014 special ski competition event.

WHEREAS, HBC 5.18.080(G) provides a means for a commercial ski permittee to request the addition of territory to the Haines Borough Approved Commercial Ski Tour Areas map for a special ski competition event; and

WHEREAS, the interim borough manager received a joint request from Alaska Heliskiing and SEABA initially on February 18 followed by requests with more specificity on February 21 and 25, and the request was for the temporary addition of Areas 1 and 2 (Pyramid Harbor Valley and Haska Creek), 8 and 9 (Takhine Ridge), and 21 (Four Winds) to the map for a March 21 through April 10 time period; and

WHEREAS, the code-prescribed procedure requires the manager to prepare a written recommendation to the assembly no later than seven days after receipt of the request, and the interim manager submitted the recommendation on February 26; and

WHEREAS, the interim manager recommended the assembly consider temporarily adding Areas 1, 2, and 21 for the requested time period but did not recommend Areas 8 and 9 because when the current map was adopted in July 2013 the assembly made Areas 8 and 9 contingent on the consent of the Chilkat Indian Village (CIV) which subsequently declined that consent; and

WHEREAS, the code states assembly action on the manager's recommendation is to be by resolution; and

WHEREAS, if the assembly approves a temporary addition of territory, the Commercial Ski Tour Areas map shall be amended by designating the additional territory as "temporary" and identifying the dates for which the additional territory is approved; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Haines Borough Assembly:

Section 1. Approves the temporary addition of the following territory to the Commercial Ski Tour Areas map: Area 21; and

Section 2. Limits the temporary addition to the following time period: March 21 through April 10, 2014.

Adopted by a duly-constituted quorum of the Haines Borough Assembly on this ____ day of _____, 2014.

Stephanie Scott, Mayor

Attest:

Michelle L. Webb, Interim Borough Clerk