HAINES BOROUGH RESOLUTION No. 12-06-370

Adopted

A resolution of the Haines Borough Assembly authorizing the borough manager to enter into an agreement with the Takshanuk Watershed Council regarding the "Sawmill Creek Fish Passage Improvement" project.

WHEREAS, in 2011 the State of Alaska awarded funding to the Borough for completing the improvement of fish passage on a Sawmill Creek culvert through the Alaska Coastal Impact Assistance Program (CIAP); and

WHEREAS, Sawmill Creek drains the majority of the watershed in which the Haines Town Site is located; and

WHEREAS, there are several culverts on Borough roads that impede fish pass on Sawmill Creek; and

WHEREAS, the Takshanuk Watershed Council's (TWC) mission is to improve the health of the Haines Borough watershed; and

WHEREAS, TWC has extensive experience improving fish habitat and fish passage improvement projects; and

WHEREAS, TWC has both the interest and the capability to administer the grant on behalf of the Borough; and

WHEREAS, the culvert selected to be replaced is failing and will be replaced at no cost to the Borough,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Haines Borough Assembly authorizes the borough manager to enter into an agreement with the Takshanuk Watershed Council regarding the "Sawmill Creek Fish Passage Improvement" project.

Adopted by a duly-constituted quorum of the Haines Borough Assembly on this 12th day of June, 2012.

Stephanie Scott, Borough Mayor

Attest:

Julie Cozzi, MMC, Borough Clerk

