

**A Resolution of the Haines Borough Assembly approving the temporary addition of territory to the Commercial Ski Tour Areas map to allow for a 2015 special ski competition event to take place in an out-of-bounds area.**

**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 borough manager received a special ski competition event request from Freeride World Tour (FWT) dated September 3, 2014 to take place in March 2015; and

**WHEREAS**, this special event request was followed on October 16, 2014 by a permit application asking for the temporary addition of Telemark Ridge to the map for a competition window of March 9-22, 2015 focusing on March 14 as the day of the competition with two days on either side for logistic and safety operations; and

**WHEREAS**, the reason for the window of completion is because the event is completely weather-dependent, and the actual event will be only 1-2 days of heavy use; and

**WHEREAS**, per code, the manager consulted with the Alaska Department of Fish and Game regarding the impact of the proposed use on wildlife; and

**WHEREAS**, the borough manager recommends the assembly approve the request with conditions as outlined in his written recommendation, dated December 9, 2015; 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,

**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: *Telemark Ridge* (as shown on maps attached to the manager's written recommendation, dated December 9, 2015) and with the manager-recommended conditions; and
- Section 3. Limits the temporary addition to the following time period: March 9-22, 2015, with the understanding the competition will not exceed seven days within that window; and
- Section 4. This approval is contingent upon the acquisition of a commercial ski competition event permit for the season within which the event is to be held.

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Adopted by a duly-constituted quorum of the Haines Borough Assembly this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2014.

Attest:

Julie Cozzi  
Julie Cozzi, MMC, Borough Clerk



Janice Hill  
Janice Hill, Mayor