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Attorney Review:	04/12/2023
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MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA
RESOLUTION NO. 23-17R

A RESOLUTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA COMMITTING AND RESTRICTING A PORTION OF COMMERCIAL PASSENGER VESSEL EXCISE TAX FUNDS TO SERVE AS MATCHING FUNDS FOR A MARITIME ADMINISTRATION PIDP GRANT.

WHEREAS, at its meeting of March 17, 2022, the Skagway Borough Assembly approved moving forward with an application for a Maritime Administration Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) Grant and Resolution No. 22-12R committing matching funds was adopted on May 5, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the 2022 grant was not awarded, and incorporating feedback from the funding agency the Municipality of Skagway will reapply for the PIDP Grant in 2023; and

WHEREAS, these PIDP grant funds will be used for the development and construction of an Industrial Cargo Transfer Bridge in the Port of Skagway, per the Port of Skagway Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, PIDP grant regulations note that the Federal share of the grant cost may not typically exceed 80%, with preference given to projects that require a lower percentage Federal share of costs; and

WHEREAS, the Industrial Cargo Transfer Bridge project is estimated to cost \$11,874,697.96; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Skagway would like to provide 25% of this project cost, or \$2,968,674.49, as matching funds for the grant; and

WHEREAS, the Skagway Borough Assembly has determined that CPV funds would be appropriately used to provide these matching funds;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Municipality of Skagway commits \$2,968,674.49 of 2023 Cruise Ship Passenger Vessel (CPV) funds to serve as matching funds for a Maritime Administration PIDP grant to develop and construct an Industrial Cargo Transfer Bridge in the Port of Skagway; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this total amount shall be considered a restriction on the balance in the municipal CPV fund; this restricted amount shall not be used, appropriated or committed to any other project or need pending receipt of or decision on the Municipality's PIDP Grant;

PASSED AND APPROVED this ___ day of _____, 2023, by the Assembly of the Municipality of Skagway, Alaska.

Andrew Cremata, Mayor

ATTEST:

Steve Burnham Jr., Borough Clerk

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