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Attorney Review:	11/27/2023
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MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA
RESOLUTION NO. 23-35R

A RESOLUTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA REQUESTING COMMERCIAL PASSENGER VESSEL (CPV) EXCISE TAX FUNDING FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS.

WHEREAS, the completion of the following projects will provide services which will benefit or facilitate the marine operations of the cruise ships and enhance the safety and convenience of the cruise ships and cruise ship passengers and crew; and

WHEREAS, the massive numbers of cruise ship passengers and crew, in excess of 1,000,000 passengers and crew, in a community of approximately 1,000 residents creates a significant adverse impact on the Municipality’s ability to provide essential services such as water, refuse pickup and disposal, and electrical services for the benefit of the cruise ships, passengers and crew in the Port of Skagway; and

WHEREAS, the projects below for which CPV funds are requested will 1) improve port and harbor infrastructure; 2) provide services to cruise ship passenger vessels, the passengers and the crew on board those vessels; and 3) improve the safety and efficiency of the interstate and foreign commerce activities in which the vessels and the passengers on board those vessels are engaged, in accordance with the requirements of AS 43.52.230;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Municipality of Skagway requests CPV funding for the following projects:

1. **Rock Slope Safety and Maintenance** for the safety of the cruise vessels and passengers in the Port of Skagway
2. **Ore Peninsula Redevelopment** to enhance and improve cruise ship vessels’ access and services in the Port of Skagway

PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the Borough Assembly of the Municipality of Skagway this ___ day of _____, 2023.

Sam Bass, Mayor

ATTEST:

Steve Burnham Jr., Borough Clerk

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