

Proposed by:	Finance Committee
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Vote:	6 Aye 0 Nay 0 Absent

MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA
ORDINANCE NO. 20-10

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA AMENDING THE FY20 SALES TAX FUND AND GENERAL FUND BUDGETS TO ALLOCATE FUNDING FOR AN EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AND A MEDIVAC INSURANCE REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM TO PROVIDE RELIEF TO SKAGWAY RESIDENTS DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, the Municipality of Skagway declared an emergency based on the risk to the public posed by the global COVID-19 pandemic and the substantial adverse economic impacts to Skagway residents, which was confirmed by the Assembly on March 19, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Skagway residents and the municipality rely upon the tourism industry for financial stability; and

WHEREAS, Skagway residents will be unable to be employed in the tourism industry, for an undetermined amount of time, at least until July of 2020, due to the proclamations of the President, Governor of Alaska, Governor of Washington, and the Canadian government; and

WHEREAS, employment options for Skagway residents that provide for working off site or remote in other industries are limited; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Skagway wishes to implement an Emergency Assistance Program and Medivac Insurance Reimbursement Program to help Skagway residents during the COVID-19 pandemic;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Classification. This is a non-code ordinance.

Section 2. Purpose. To amend the FY20 Sales Tax Fund and General Fund to allocate funding for an Emergency Assistance Program and Medivac Insurance Reimbursement Program to provide relief to residents during the COVID-19 pandemic.

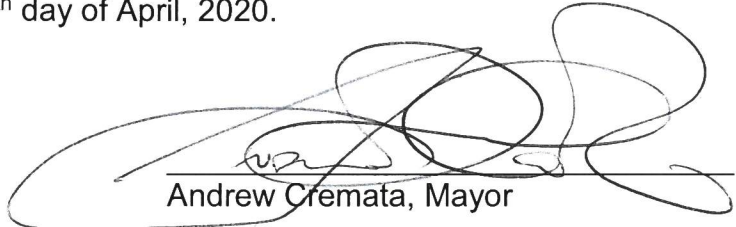
Section 3. Amendment. The FY20 Municipality of Skagway Budget is hereby amended as follows:

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FUND	AMOUNT	FROM	TO
SALES TAX FUND			
Sales Tax Reserves	-	-	-
Total Revenue & Transfers In	-	8,362,380	8,362,380
Transfer to General Fund	53,000	1,858,211	1,911,211
Total Expense & Transfers Out	53,000	13,605,129	13,658,129
surplus/(deficit)	(53,000)	(5,242,749)	(5,295,749)
GENERAL FUND			
Transfer from Sales Tax	53,000	1,858,211	1,911,211
Total Revenue & Transfers In	53,000	8,084,223	8,137,223
Contractual- Administration	(20,000)	34,500	14,500
Travel/Training- Administration	(25,000)	48,902	23,902
Assembly Discretionary Fund	(20,000)	25,000	5,000
Community Funding Grants	(57,000)	301,126	244,126
City Hall Major Equipment & Software	(25,000)	56,250	31,250
COVID-19 Support Programs	200,000	-	200,000
Total Expense & Transfers Out	53,000	8,084,223	8,137,223
surplus/(deficit)	-	-	-

Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the Borough Assembly of the Municipality of Skagway this 16th day of April, 2020.


 Andrew Cremata, Mayor

ATTEST:


 Emily A. Deach, CMC
 Borough Clerk



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