MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA RESOLUTION NO. 20-46R

A RESOLUTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA WAIVING FY21 AMBULANCE SUBSCRIPTION FEES TO MITIGATE THE IMPACTS OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC ON SKAGWAY RESIDENTS, AND AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 00-06R TO ADJUST THE FISCAL YEAR.

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, many Skagway residents are unable to be employed in the tourism industry for an undetermined amount of time due to the widespread cancellation of cruises to Alaska; and

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

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Skagway recognizes the need for financial assistance for those Skagway residents affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, particularly related to the cost of ambulance services if such need arises; and

WHEREAS, fees for ambulance subscriptions were established pursuant to Resolution No. 00-06R; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 20-24, the Municipality of Skagway's fiscal year has been adjusted to cover the period of January 1 through December 31, therefore, Resolution No. 00-06R should be amended to reflect the new fiscal year period;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Borough Assembly of the Municipality of Skagway waives the following ambulance subscription fees for those who apply for ambulance subscriptions on or before January 31, 2021:

AMBULANCE

Ambulance Subscription - Individual Ambulance Subscription - Family \$10 Per Fiscal Year\$25 Per Fiscal Year

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Resolution No. 00-06R is hereby amended as follows:

Ambulance Subscriptions:

 Any person may subscribe for ambulance service for a fee of \$10.00 per person per fiscal year or \$25.00 per family per fiscal year. The fiscal year will run from <u>July 1</u> <u>January 1</u> through <u>June 30</u> <u>December 31</u>. of the following year. A family is defined as immediate family living in one household for purposes of the subscription fee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT this resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the Borough Assembly of the Municipality of Skagway this 17th day of December, 2021.

Andrew Cremata, Mayor

ATTEST Emily A. Deach, Borough Clerk

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