

Proposed by:	Assemblymember Bass
Attorney Review:	09/22/2021
Civic Affairs Review:	09/28/2021
Vote:	6 Aye 0 Nay 0 Absent

**MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA
RESOLUTION NO. 21-30R**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA DIRECTING STAFF TO CONDUCT AN ARCHAEOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT OF BLOCKS 95 AND 102, THE FORMER LOCATION OF THE ST. PIUS X MISSION RESIDENTIAL BOARDING SCHOOL.

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Skagway owns Blocks 95 and 102, currently known as the Garden City RV Park (the property); and

WHEREAS, the property was the location of the St. Pius X Mission residential boarding school from 1932 to 1959; and

WHEREAS, the Skagway Traditional Council (STC) has recommended that prior to further development or sale of the property, that the Municipality conduct an archaeological assessment of the property; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Skagway recognizes the importance of acknowledging the history and cultural importance of the property to Skagway's indigenous community;


NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Borough Assembly of the Municipality of Skagway directs staff, with assistance as available from STC, to conduct an archaeological assessment of the property, with the intent of finding items or artifacts related to the St. Pius X Mission residential boarding school.

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 7th day of October, 2021.


Andrew Cremata, Mayor

ATTEST:


Emily A. Deach, Borough Clerk



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