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Introduced:
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RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 2708

A Resolution in Support of the Juneau Housing First Project.

WHEREAS, community members of the Juneau Housing First working group have committed to submitting a grant proposal to the Alaska Housing Finance Corporation for a Special Needs Housing Grant to provide funding for a Housing First project in Juneau; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit–Haida Regional Housing Authority has donated land for the Juneau Housing First project; and

WHEREAS, MRV Architects has produced a series of conceptual drawings for the project; and

WHEREAS, the Glory Hole Board of Directors has agreed to be the lead agency to manage and coordinate the operation of the Juneau Housing First facility; and

WHEREAS, the Juneau Coalition on Homelessness and the Affordable Housing Commission support the Juneau Housing First project; and

WHEREAS, the Assembly has identified the need for a community facility that addresses the needs of Juneau’s chronically homeless.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA:

Section 1. The Assembly of the City and Borough of Juneau supports the Juneau Housing First project by committing \$1.5 million dollars toward the construction budget of \$6.8 million.

Section 2. The Assembly supports the Juneau Housing First working group’s efforts to submit an application to the Alaska Housing Finance Corporation for its Special Needs Housing Grant for the Juneau Housing First project.

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Section 3. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective immediately after its adoption.

Adopted this _____ day of _____, 2015.

Merrill Sanford, Mayor

Attest:

Laurie J. Sica, Municipal Clerk