

CITY OF HOMER
HOMER, ALASKA

RESOLUTION 85- 15

A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOMER DESIGNATING THE EAST HILL ROAD SEWER LINE AS A SUPPLEMENTAL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PRIORITY AND REQUESTING THAT THE LEGISLATURE PROVIDE A MATCHING GRANT FOR THE SEWER LINE AND WATER SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the East Hill Road area currently lacks municipal sewerage, and it is in the interest of good health and the public welfare to have a sewer system on East Hill Road, but the costs of such sewer system will be prohibitive if the system is not built concurrently with the road reconstruction project; and,

WHEREAS, there currently exists a water line along most of East Hill Road, but many lots are not now "stubbed out" for water service, and if stubouts are not provided concurrently with the road project, future stubouts will be prohibitively expensive and will cause significant damage to the roadway; and,

WHEREAS, the State DOT/PF has estimated a full funding amount of \$5.3 million for said project and intends to pursue reconstruction of East Hill Road in the summer of 1985, contingent upon receipt of sufficient construction funding; and,

WHEREAS, the Governor has requested in his capital budget proposal a \$4.3 million appropriation for the reconstruction of East Hill Road; and;

WHEREAS, in consideration of the imminence of the East Hill reconstruction project, the need for sewer service and water stubouts, and the statements of interest in a sewer line sent by East Hill Road property owners to the City, the City has initiated the formation of the East Hill Road Sewer and Water Service Improvement District to provide at least 50% funding for said improvements,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Homer that the East Hill Road Sewer and Water Service improvements are identified as supplemental priorities for State capital improvement funding, and the City of Homer therefore requests that the State legislature include in East Hill Road project funding a supplemental appropriation of \$550,000 as a 50% matching grant, based on the City's preliminary cost estimates for necessary water and sewer improvements, and restore the road reconstruction project to full funding.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Manager is hereby instructed to advise the Governor, Legislature, Kenai Peninsula Borough and the appropriate state agencies of this supplemental priority adopted by the Homer City Council and to provide said parties the necessary background information.

DATED at Homer, Alaska this 25th day of February, 1985.

CITY OF HOMER

Wayne Kessler
Wayne Kessler, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathleen Herold
Kathleen Herold, City Clerk