

CITY OF HOMER
HOMER, ALASKA

RESOLUTION 89-46

A RESOLUTION OF THE HOMER CITY COUNCIL REQUESTING THE ALASKA COURT SYSTEM TO MAINTAIN A DISTRICT COURT JUDGE IN HOMER AND CONSIDER UPGRADING THE JUDICIAL POSITION.

WHEREAS, the Alaska Court System is considering an additional full-time Superior Court Judge and support staff in Kenai; and

WHEREAS, the District Court Judge in Homer has recently announced his resignation resulting in a comprehensive analysis of case loads on the entire Kenai Peninsula for both the Superior and District Courts; and

WHEREAS, the court system has proposed reducing the judicial position in Homer to the Magistrate level thereby causing a significant inconvenience and additional expense to the citizens and residents of the City as well as the entire southern Kenai Peninsula; and

WHEREAS, Homer was one of the few Alaska courts to show an increase in case filings last year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Homer City Council strongly opposes the reduction in judicial position in Homer to the Magistrate level and respectfully requests the Alaska Court System to maintain the District Judge and consider upgrading the judicial position in Homer.

DATED at Homer, Alaska this 8th day of May, 1989.

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John P. Calhoun, Mayor

ATTEST:



Patti J. Whalin, City Clerk