

CITY OF HOMER  
HOMER, ALASKA

RESOLUTION 89-68

A RESOLUTION OF THE HOMER CITY COUNCIL OPPOSING THE  
REMOVAL OF DUMPSTERS FROM THE HOMER SPIT.

WHEREAS, tourism activity in the Kenai Peninsula Borough has been increasing and its significance to the economy has been documented by several recent studies, and

WHEREAS, the Homer Spit is a major destination for tourists along the Kenai Peninsula and serves as a port for the largest sports fishery in the state, and

WHEREAS, the sales tax receipts approximately double during the summer season, much of which can be directly attributed to tourism and other economic activity on the Homer Spit, and

WHEREAS, the Homer Spit provides recreational and economic activity for an area much larger than the City of Homer, and

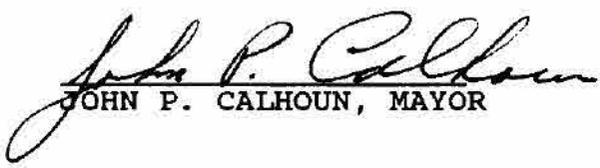
WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough has notified the city that due to increasing cost the Borough will be closing a number of transfer site facilities including the two containers located on the Homer Spit, and

WHEREAS, in that the Borough has area wide powers for solid waste disposal and by closing the facility on the Homer Spit is adversely impacting the City of Homer in it's efforts to encourage tourism on the Kenai Peninsula.

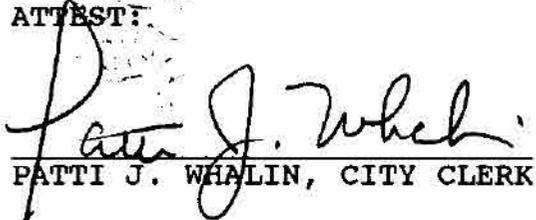
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Homer City Council that the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly is respectfully requested to make an exception in its decision to close the transfer site on the Homer Spit but rather allow the facilities to continue on a seasonal basis to serve the growing tourism activity thereby benefitting the entire Peninsula.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 10TH DAY OF JULY 1989.

CITY OF HOMER:

  
JOHN P. CALHOUN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
PATTI J. WHALIN, CITY CLERK