

CITY OF HOMER
HOMER, ALASKA

ORDINANCE 91-25

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF HOMER, ALASKA, AMENDING TITLE 10, PORT AND
HARBOR, RELATIVE TO FEES.

WHEREAS, the Port and Harbor Commission has submitted various recommendations regarding the efficient use of harbor facilities and attendant fee schedules, and the City Council supports those recommendations; and

WHEREAS, in order to encourage the use of the deep water docks by large passenger vessels, thus reserving the load and launch ramp for the purposes so stated in HCC 10.12.100 a., to wit,

The principal intended use of the launch ramp is the launch and recovery of vessels. An authorized subsidiary use is the incidental, noncommercial, loading or unloading of goods, supplies or materials.

the Commission has recommended a per passenger charge for off-loading vessel passengers at the load and launch ramp; and

WHEREAS, by institution of the passenger fee the council intends to discourage use of the load and launch ramp by large commercial operations, thus reducing the potential hazards associated with the increase congestion within the confines of the harbor; and

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF HOMER ORDAINS:

Section 1. Section 10.12.100 of the Homer City Code is hereby amended by the renumbering of paragraphs d., e., f., to e., f., and g., respectively, and the creation of a new paragraph d. to read as follows:

d. Vessels with a capacity in excess of eighty passengers shall pay a fee of two dollars for each passenger disembarking, either directly, by shuttle or lighter, at the launch ramp during the period May 15 to September 15 of each year. The Harbormaster shall provide forms to be used by the vessel operators in logging passenger traffic off-loading at the ramp, and such completed forms shall be submitted with the appropriate fee to the Harbormaster.

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ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOMER, ALASKA, this 25th day of November, 1991.

CITY OF HOMER

Harry E. Gregoire
HARRY E. GREGOIRE, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Mary L. Shannon
MARY L. SHANNON, CITY CLERK

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AYES:
NOES:-0-
ABSTAIN:-0-
ABSENT:-0-

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