CITY OF HOMER HOMER, ALASKA

RESOLUTION 85-82

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ALASKA BOARD OF GAME TO CLOSE THE AREA ENCOMPASSED BY THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF HOMER TO ALL HUNTING AND TRAPPING BY MEANS OF FIREARMS.

WHEREAS, the Board of Fish and Game has the authority to regulate hunting and trapping within the State of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Homer finds that hunting and trapping by means of firearms is contrary to the safety of the citizens of Homer; and

WHEREAS, the Council additionally finds that the preservation of game and furbearing resources within the City of Homer is a valuable and desirable objective which is in the public interest of the City of Homer; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds that a viable, accessable and undisturbed game and furbearing population is a vital component of our local tourist based economy and is additionally beneficial to many other nonconsumptive users.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Homer that the City Manager is hereby authorized to request that the Alaska Board of Game adopt the hereto annexed regulatory amendments at their earliest convenience in order to create a wildlife sanctuary within the City of Homer by closing all areas within the corporate limits of the City to all forms of hunting and trapping by means of firearms.

DATED at Homer, Alaska this 14th day of October, 1985.

CITY OF HOMER

Wayne Kessler, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathleen Corriveau, City Clerk