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CITY OF HOMER  
HOMER, ALASKA

RESOLUTION 87-12

A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF HOMER, ALASKA URGING THE ALASKA LEGISLATURE TO REPEAL LAWS ALLOWING FOR THE PERSONAL POSSESSION AND USE OF MARIJUANA.

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska is eligible for certain Federal grants for control of narcotics; and

WHEREAS, the dangerous and grievous use of unlawful narcotics threatens the lives and well-being of many citizens of Alaska, especially, our young people; and

WHEREAS, the Alaska State Statutes allow for personal possession and use of amounts of contraband and dangerous substances that would otherwise be illegal under Federal and State laws; and

WHEREAS, these peculiar provisions of State law threaten the State of Alaska's eligibility for Federal funds for control of narcotics; and

WHEREAS, these provisions serve no useful purpose in a society that is outraged at the suffering and expense caused by drug abuse,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Common Council of the City of Homer, Alaska that the Legislature of the State of Alaska is urged to repeal those sections of the Alaska Statutes which allow personal possession and use of marijuana, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that laws shall be enacted to establish criminal penalties for use and possession of marijuana.

DATED at Homer, Alaska this 9th day of February, 1987.

CITY OF HOMER

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John P. Calhoun, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Patti J. Whalin, City Clerk