

CITY OF HOMER
HOMER, ALASKA

RESOLUTION 87-33

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOMER,
ALASKA, OPPOSING THE TRANSFER OF STATE ROADS TO LOCAL
MUNICIPALITIES.

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska, Department of Transportation and Public Facilities has proposed the transfer of state owned and maintained roads to local municipalities; and

WHEREAS, a number of these roads have been inadequately maintained and need substantial capital improvement to make them safe and economically maintainable; and

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska has not funded much needed improvements on their roads in the boundaries of local municipal government; and

WHEREAS, the transfer plan does not provide any funding to local government to repair and maintain the State's roads; and

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska is in the process of cutting their budgets and transferring the costs for providing of those services to local government; and

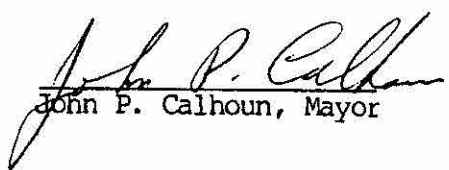
WHEREAS, the City of Homer does not have the financial resources necessary to properly reconstruct or maintain the State's roads in our municipality.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOMER CITY COUNCIL that the City of Homer is adamantly opposed to the transfer of main roads and highways to the City of Homer without the financial means to maintain and/or reconstruct those roadways.

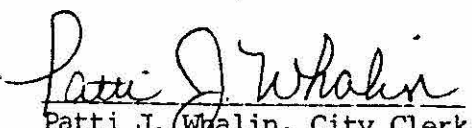
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Governor Cowper and members of the Alaska Legislature are respectfully urged to give no serious consideration to any plan which transfers such a huge financial burden to local municipalities without the funds necessary to accomplish the work.

DATED this 27th day of April, at Homer, Alaska.

CITY OF HOMER


John P. Calhoun, Mayor

ATTEST:


Patti J. Whalin, City Clerk