CITY OF HOMER HOMER, ALASKA

RESOLUTION 88-5

A RESOLUTION OF THE HOMER CITY COUNCIL SUPPORTING HOUSE BILL 244 RELATING TO THE ADDITION OF LAND TO KACHEMAK BAY STATE PARK AND KACHEMAK BAY STATE WILDERNESS PARK.

WHEREAS, House Bill 244 adds several parcels of state land in the Kachemak Bay area to the existing Kachemak Bay State Park (KBSP) and Kachemak Bay State Wilderness Park (KBSWP); and

WHEREAS, House Bill 244 has the strong support of the Kachemak Bay State Park Citizens' Advisory Board as well as the Homer Parks and Recreation Commission; and

WHEREAS, Kachemak Bay State Park attracts thousands of visitors annually to enjoy its mountains, glaciers, waters and forest for their recreational, scenic and wildlife values; and

WHEREAS, the City of Homer has an interest in protecting and preserving lands in the Kachemak Bay area for the recreational and scenic uses of both residents and tourists.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Common Council of the City of Homer supports House Bill 244 relating to the addition of land to Kachemak Bay State Park and Kachemak Bay State Wilderness Park.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Manager is authorized to send copies of this resolution of support to Representative Mike Navarre, Representative C. E. Swackhammer and Senator Paul Fischer as well as Governor Cowper and Dave Stutzer, Chair of the Kachemak Bay State Park Citizens' Advisory Board and respectfully urge support of the expansion of the parks.

DATED at Homer, Alaska this 8th day of February, 1988.

CITY OF HOMER

John P. Calhoun, Mayor

ATTEST:

Patti J. Whalin, City Clerk