

44 15.13.145, has interpreted nonpartisan information permitted under AS 15.13.145(c)(2) very
45 narrowly, so that the City cannot inform the public fully about the effects of the ballot
46 proposition to issue general obligation bonds in an amount of \$5 million dollars and increase
47 the sales tax 0.35% to pay debt service without including information that APOC likely would
48 categorize as influencing the outcome of the election on the ballot proposition.

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50 NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF HOMER ORDAINS:

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52 Section 1. The City Council hereby appropriates funds from the Police Station Reserve
53 Fund to provide public information on the ballot proposition to issue General Obligation Bonds
54 in the amount of \$5 Million Dollars to finance the acquisition and construction of a police
55 station and provide for an increase in the rate of city sales tax from 4.5% to 4.85% with 0.3% of
56 the increase providing funds to pay debt service on the general obligation bonds which will
57 expire on December 31 the year when the city has received sufficient funds from the increase
58 to pay all of that debt service and 0.05% remaining into perpetuity for the sole purpose of
59 police station operations and maintenance , including information that may influence the
60 outcome of the election on the proposition.

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62 Revenue:

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Account

Description

Amount

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Police Station Reserve Fund

\$5,000.00

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66 Expenditure:

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Public Information Campaign

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on Ballot Proposition

\$5,000.00

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72 Section 2. This is a budget amendment ordinance, is temporary in nature and shall not
73 be codified.

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75 ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF HOMER, ALASKA, this 14 day of May, 2018.

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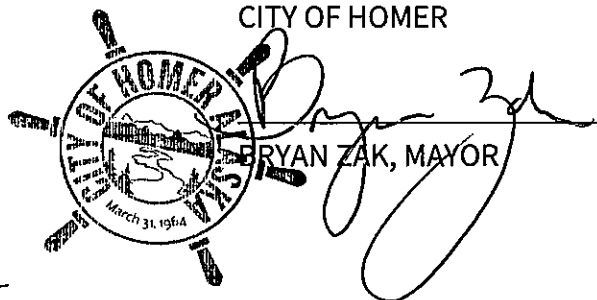
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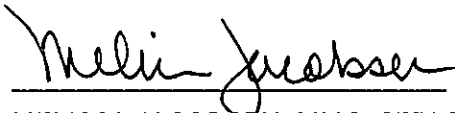


BRYAN ZAK, MAYOR

81 ATTEST:

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MELISSA JACOBSEN, MMC, CITY CLERK

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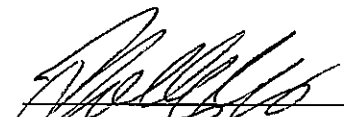
YES: 6
NO: 0
ABSTAIN: 0
ABSENT: 0

First Reading: 4.23.18
Public Hearing: 5.14.18
Second Reading: 5.14.18
Effective Date: 5.15.18

Reviewed and approved as to form:


Katie Koester, City Manager

Date: 5.17.18


Holly C. Wells, City Attorney

Date: 6.8.18