

**CITY OF HOMER  
HOMER, ALASKA**

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**RESOLUTION 18-091**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF HOMER, ALASKA,  
SUPPORTING THE SITING OF THE ALASKA GASLINE  
DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION'S ALASKA LNG LIQUEFACTION  
PLANT AND MARINE TERMINAL IN NIKISKI, ALASKA.

WHEREAS, The history of Alaska Gasline Development Corporation (AGDC) dates to 2009 when declining Cook Inlet gas supplies caused concern in communities throughout Southcentral Alaska; and

WHEREAS, In 2013 the Alaska State Legislature formally established AGDC to advance an in-state natural gas pipeline; and

WHEREAS, In 2014 the mission and authority of AGDC expanded to include having primary responsibility for developing an Alaska liquefied natural gas (LNG) project on the State's behalf; and

WHEREAS, In April 2014 AGDC joined with ExxonMobil, BP, and ConocoPhillips to become a twenty-five (25) percent owner in the AK LNG Project; and

WHEREAS, In December 2016 AGDC assumed 100 percent of the responsibility to progress an Alaska LNG project to build the infrastructure necessary to monetize North Slope natural gas resources; and

WHEREAS, In April 2017 AGDC filed its application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) to construct and operate the Alaska LNG project; and

WHEREAS, In May 2017 FERC deemed the application complete; and

WHEREAS, The application submitted to FERC identifies Nikiski, Alaska, as the preferred location for the LNG plant and marine terminal; and

WHEREAS, In March 2018 FERC issued the Notice of Schedule for the Alaska LNG project;  
and

WHEREAS, The Alaska LNG project will bring great benefits to the people of Alaska in revenues to the state and municipalities, guaranteed supplies of gas for in-state use, jobs for

42 Alaskans and Alaska business through construction and operation, and continued in-state  
43 exploration for natural gas; and

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45 WHEREAS, The Alaska LNG project will increase trade for Alaska businesses around the  
46 world; and

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48 WHEREAS, Public ownership of a natural gas pipeline offers certain advantages over  
49 private ownership including exemption from Federal income taxes that improve project  
50 economics.

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52 NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of Homer, Alaska, supports  
53 AGDC's application to FERC with the siting of the LNG plant and marine terminal in Nikiski,  
54 Alaska.

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56 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to U.S. Senator Lisa  
57 Murkowski, U.S. Senator Dan Sullivan, U.S. Congressman Don Young, Alaska Governor Bill  
58 Walker, Alaska Senator Peter Micciche, Alaska Representative Mike Chenault, Alaska  
59 Representative Gary Knopp, and Kenai Peninsula Borough Mayor Charlie Pierce.

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61 PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Homer City Council on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018.

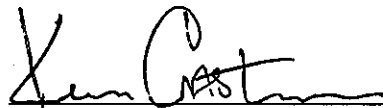
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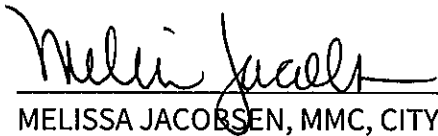
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MELISSA JACOBSEN, MMC, CITY CLERK

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