

1 **CITY OF HOMER**
2 **HOMER, ALASKA**

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4 **ORDINANCE 23-50**

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6 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF HOMER, ALASKA
7 AMENDING THE FY24 OPERATING BUDGET BY APPROPRIATING
8 \$10,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND UNASSIGNED FUND BALANCE
9 TO FUND PART OF THE HOMER SMALL BUSINESS ADVISOR
10 POSITION FOR THE ALASKA SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT
11 CENTER, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE
12 THE APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS.

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14 WHEREAS, The 2018 Comprehensive Plan Chapter 7 Goal 2 States: Encourage the
15 retention and creation of more year round, higher wage jobs; and

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17 WHEREAS, The Alaska Small Business Development Center (AKSBDC) provides no-cost,
18 confidential, individual business coaching to grow small businesses in Homer; and

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20 WHEREAS, The AKSBDC is requesting the city provide funding as a local match in the
21 amount of \$10,000 to fund the local half time Homer Business Advisor position through FY24;
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24 WHEREAS, The Kenai Peninsula Borough has been increasing funding to the AKSBDC
25 which has reduced the amount needed for a local community match to continue this economic
26 development service; and

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28 WHEREAS, The Homer position is conveniently located within the Homer Chamber of
29 Commerce, which provides the office space and supports free of charge; and

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31 WHEREAS, The current Small Business Advisor is on track to log the most hours yet
32 provided to the Homer community in a year, showing the need and support for this service to
33 support small businesses and entrepreneurs.

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35 NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF HOMER ORDAINS:

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37 Section 1. The Homer City Council hereby amends the FY24 Operating Budget by
38 appropriating \$10,000 for the purpose of funding a portion of the Homer Business Advisor of
39 the Alaska Small Business Development Center as follows:

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41 Revenue:

42 <u>Fund</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
43 100-0099-4990	General Fund Unassigned Fund Balance	\$10,000

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Expenditure:

<u>Account</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
100-0350-5210	Non-Departmental Professional Services	\$10,000

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

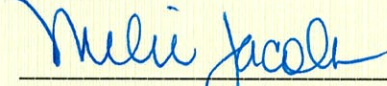
ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF HOMER, ALASKA, this 25th day of September, 2023.

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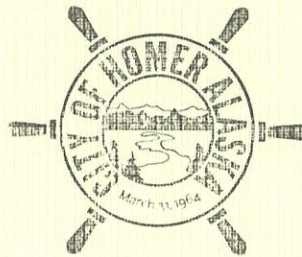


KEN CASTNER, MAYOR

ATTEST:



MELISSA JACOBSEN, MMC, CITY CLERK



YES: 5

NO: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

ABSENT: 1

Introduction: September 11, 2023

Public Hearing: September 25, 2023

Second Reading: September 25, 2023

Effective Date: September 26, 2023