

**CITY OF GUSTAVUS, ALASKA  
RESOLUTION CY18-03**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF A CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUNDING  
REQUEST FOR A DISPOSAL & RECYCLING CENTER PRE-PROCESSING AND STORAGE  
AREA**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Gustavus Disposal and Recycling Center (DRC) serves Gustavus as a model Integrated Resource Recovery and Waste Disposal Facility; and

**WHEREAS**, the DRC currently lacks a dedicated pre-processing storage area for recyclable materials (scrap metal, aluminum cans, etc.). Pre-processing refers to materials stored until sufficient quantities are available for their efficient processing; and


**WHEREAS**, the lack of a centralized pre-processing storage area results in work flow inefficiencies for the DRC employees as the storage areas are currently scattered throughout the facility; and

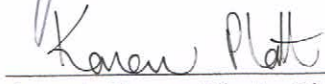
**WHEREAS**, the lack of a centralized pre-processing storage area results in a public safety concern as the operator must drive the skid-steer loader through public-use areas; and

**WHEREAS**, the construction of the proposed pre-processing storage area will develop a visually screened, fenced 165' x 50' area very close to the building in which recyclable materials are processed and in an area not utilized by the public in conducting their waste deliveries.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Gustavus City Council approves and prioritizes as Number 1 the FY18 CIP funding request to the Alaska Legislature in the amount of \$26,400 for the creation of a pre-processing and storage area at the Disposal and Recycling Center and urges the Legislature and Governor to consider it favorably.

**PASSED** and **APPROVED** by the Gustavus City Council, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2018.

  
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Jacob Ohlson, Vice-Mayor

  
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Attest: Karen Platt, City Clerk