CITY OF GUSTAVUS, ALASKA
RESOLUTION CY22-25

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING AN ALTERNATIVE ALLOCATION METHOD FOR THE FY23 SHARED FISHERIES BUSINESS TAX PROGRAM AND CERTIFYING THAT THIS ALLOCATION METHOD FAIRLY REPRESENTS THE DISTRIBUTION OF SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS OF FISHERIES BUSINESS ACTIVITY IN FMA 17: NORTHERN SOUTHEAST AREA

WHEREAS, AS 29.60.450 requires that for a municipality to participate in the FY23 Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program, the municipality must demonstrate to the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development that the municipality suffered significant effects during calendar 2021 from fisheries business activities; and,

WHEREAS, 3 AAC 134.060 provides for the allocation of available program funding to eligible municipalities located within fisheries management areas specified by the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development; and,

WHEREAS, 3 AAC 134.070 provides for the use, at the discretion of the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, of alternative allocation methods which may be used within fisheries management areas if all eligible municipalities within the area agree to use the method, and the method incorporates some measure of the relative significant effect of fisheries business activity on the respective municipalities in the area; and,

WHEREAS, the Gustavus City Council proposes to use an alternative allocation method for allocation of FY23 funding available within the FMA 17: Northern Southeast Area in agreement with all other municipalities in this area participating in the FY23 Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Gustavus City Council, by this resolution, certifies that the following alternative allocation method fairly represents the distribution of the significant effects during 2021 of fisheries business activity in FMA 17: Northern Southeast Area:

All municipalities share equally 50% of allocation; all municipalities share remaining 50% on a per capita basis.

PASSED and **APPROVED** by a duly constituted quorum of the Gustavus City Council, this 12th day of December, 2022.

Mike Taylor, Mayor

Attest: Karen Platt, CMC
City Clerk