

**CITY OF GUSTAVUS**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2008-07**

**A RESOLUTION BY THE GUSTAVUS CITY COUNCIL CREATING A SPECIAL COMMITTEE CALLED THE FISH BOX TAX IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE**

**WHEREAS**, a citizens initiative petition submitted by registered voters of the community of Gustavus has been certified as sufficient, and


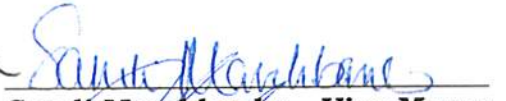
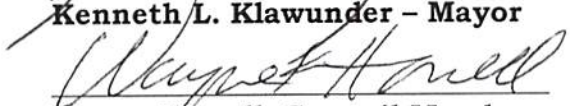
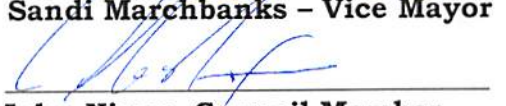
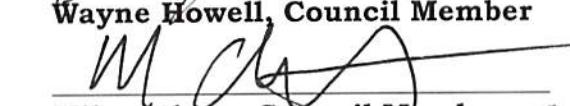
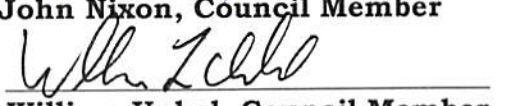
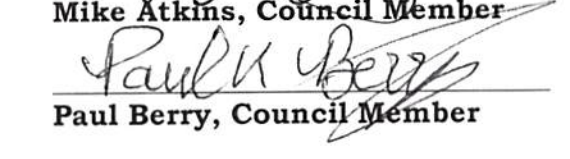
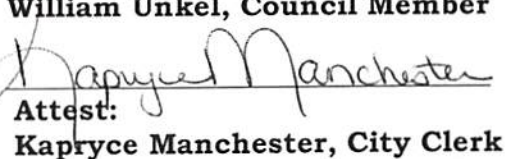
**WHEREAS**, this initiative will provide for a tax to be levied on the packaged fish and or seafood caught or taken and retained by fish charter customers as part of the fish charter.

**WHEREAS**, the effective date on the application for petition states "this ordinance shall become effective immediately on certification of election results that show a majority of qualified voters approved the enactment of the Fish Tax Ordinance", and therefore a strategy to effect the proper implementation for collection must be available prior to the election, and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of Gustavus must be provided recommendation options well in advance of the election to help assure a smooth transition for management and collection of this tax,

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the City Council of Gustavus establishes a special committee for the purpose of gathering information, community input and ideas for the proper implementation, management and collection of the tax. The group will determine how information for imposition of the tax will be disseminated to those affected. Recommendations to the City Council during the council work session on June 5, 2008.

PASSED and APPROVED by the Gustavus City Council this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2008.

 _____ <b>Kenneth L. Klawunder - Mayor</b>	 _____ <b>Sandi Marchbanks - Vice Mayor</b>
 _____ <b>Wayne Howell, Council Member</b>	 _____ <b>John Nixon, Council Member</b>
 _____ <b>Mike Atkins, Council Member</b>	 _____ <b>William Unkel, Council Member</b>
 _____ <b>Paul Berry, Council Member</b>	 _____ <b>Attest: Kapryce Manchester, City Clerk</b>