

## **RESOLUTION 20-31**

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH ASSEMBLY AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE A CONTRACT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH AND HICKEY & ASSOCIATES FOR LOBBYING/CONSULTING SERVICES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020

**WHEREAS**, the Aleutians East Borough (Borough) is involved in numerous State projects and issues that requires assistance from a State lobbyist; and

**WHEREAS**, Hickey & Associates has provided lobbying/consulting services for the Borough with the Alaska legislative and executive branches since 1998; and

WHEREAS, Hickey & Associates FY2019 contract ends December 31, 2019 and can be renewed by agreement of both parties for FY2020; and

**WHEREAS,** the Borough will pay Hickey & Associates a retainer of \$3,500 a month and reimburse Hickey & Associates for pre-approved extraordinary out-of-pocket and travel expenses.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Aleutians East Borough Assembly authorizes the mayor to negotiate and execute a contract agreement between the Aleutians East Borough and Hickey & Associates for lobbying/consulting services for FY2020.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Aleutians East Borough on this <u>14<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>November</u>, 2019.

Alvin D. Osterback, Mayor

ATTEST:

Tina Anderson, Clerk