

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Alvin D. Osterback called the Aleutians East Borough Assembly meeting to order by teleconference in each community on September 8, 2022 at 3:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Mayor Alvin D. Osterback	Present
Brenda Wilson	Present
Carol Foster	Present
Chris Babcock	Present
Denise Mobeck	Present
Josephine Shangin	Present
Paul Gronholdt	Present
Warren Wilson	Present

Advisory Members:

Dailey Schaack, Cold Bay	Present
Samantha McNeley, Nelson Lagoon	Present
Tom Hoblet, False Pass	Present

Quorum was present.

Staff Present:

Anne Bailey, Administrator
Talia Jean-Louis, Assistant Administrator
Laura Tanis, Communications Director
Ernie Weiss, Natural Resources Director
Charlotte Levy, Natural Resources Assist. Director
Glennora Dushkin, Administrative Clerk
Jacki Brandell, Finance Director
Beverly Ann Rosete, Borough Clerk

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

DENISE move to Adopt the Agenda, seconded by BRENDA
PAUL asked when the deadline will be in the future to notify the Clerk about adding items to the agenda. Mayor Osterback said items to be submitted to the Clerk have to be before 72 hours before the meeting, clarifying that 2:00pm on Monday the week of the meeting will be the deadline.

Hearing no objections, the Agenda will stand as Written.

COMMUNITY ROLL CALL AND PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS

The communities of King Cove, Sand Point, Akutan, Cold Bay, False Pass, Nelson Lagoon and the Anchorage office were participating by teleconference. Also broadcast on KSDP radio.

SAMANTHA said Angela Johnson and Mark McNeley, both from Nelson Lagoon, wanted to make a comment on the Resolution 23-10.

Mark McNeeley said his main concern is to get this emergency disaster request in. That will give us a little more strength on the Board of Fish, when we start addressing our issues, showing that things are in a drastic situation. But not knowing exactly you are talking about here, that's about all I got.

Mayor Osterback said just so you're clear on it, if the Borough passes the declaration for the community of Nelson Lagoon, it doesn't mean the Borough is saying that any other Fisheries has anything to do with this, but we do recognize that the State and the power that deal with this that they look into it and all the aspect of it.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Mayor Osterback asked for any potential **Conflict of Interests** to discuss. There were no conflicts on agenda items.

PRESENTATION:

- Audit Presentation by George Barker

George said the page 3 of the power point is the heading welcome. This letter describes the purpose of this communication. We are preparing to begin the FY22 audit, we started some preliminary audit procedures already and we are planning to go onsite in a couple of weeks. This letter outlines the communications serves to describe at a high level the procedures we are planning on conducting while we are out there (in King Cove), some of the risks that we see being relevant to the audit, we outline those for you. We the auditors work for the Assembly, we would address our reports to you and it is our interest to communicate to you and in your interest to receive this communication and understand how our audit is going to be conducted. Page 5 outlines our responsibilities to you as your auditor. It describes the governance standard under which we will be auditing specifically with regards to financial statement we will be auditing under governmental auditing standards issued by the Controller General of the United States entitle to the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations which governs the Single Audit. So, the Borough received several federal funding. An engagement letter was included in the previous Assembly meeting that outlines some of the specifics of our audit, it also describes in greater detail some of our responsibilities as the auditor and management responsibilities. We are responsible as auditors for the audit opinion on your financial statements, management is responsible for preparation of those financial statements. The next slide outlines the overall audit strategy. There are various risks that we consider, and we evaluate those and design procedures that will address those risk. In doing this we also evaluate the significant accounting policies and estimates of the Borough and the overall presentation of the financial statements. We will perform inquiries and walk throughs of the Borough's policies and procedures and the internal control structure which allows us to better understand how the financial statements are prepared, the various steps that go into that. This allows us to design and targeted procedures to further address the risks that we identify. There is a list of the risks we are going to be looking at. Some of the areas are up for considerations, we are always looking at the prior audit results, any recent developments in the industry and regulatory environmental general economic conditions whether that is specific within the Borough, with in the State of Alaska or even considering factors that are affecting municipal governments nationwide and any recently issued accounting and reporting guidance. We are also going to look at the information systems of the Borough, the system within which the financial data is captured and recorded. All of these will be evaluated within the length of our materiality threshold which are based on various quantitative and qualitative factors affecting the Borough. As far as Single Audit, we are also considering a specific internal control over compliance with Federal awards, not only the Boroughs control over the financial reporting but specifically what controls are placed to ensure compliance with various awards that the Borough received. There is a new standard that takes affect this

year, that is regarding leases and will be discussed further with Anne and Jacki and the contract accountant to evaluate that implementation. There should be any significant affect for the Borough though there are some airline terminal leases that my fall on this new standard. Beyond this, the overall scope of the audit will not change substantially. We tend to focus on specific high risks areas and any other concerns of the management and Borough Assembly. The Borough has a reporting entity, also included in this is the school district. We have separate team that will be conducting school dlstrict audit within our office, and we are communicating with them regularly regarding any relevant information and any in formation in that audit that needs to be included in the Borough's report as a whole. The next slide describes the overall timeline of our audit. We are already on the 3rd month of our audit. We are doing some of the planning procedures right now and we will be doing the actual year end fieldwork in two weeks. Our goal is always to be efficient in our time as possible. The next slide addresses the independence. There are certain professional standards that govern our relationship to the Borough as your auditor to ensure we remain independent.

PAUL asked if there is any information as to the new software implementation and what is the timeline for visiting King Cove fieldwork?

George said they have talked to Sarah a few times, we are certainly happy to help provide any recommendation. When it does take place, we certainly have to evaluate that. I think when it will be implemented is next fiscal year. We will have a targeted audit procedures at that time to make sure proper conversion takes place. Regarding fieldwork, we are planning on arriving Sept 19 through the 23rd.

- City of Cold Bay Water Discussion by Lorie Pierce

Lorie Pierce said on June 3rd, they got news that all of our wells are contaminated with PFAS, well #3 is the highest with 1605 ppt (parts per trillion), well #2 is 42ppt which is under the 70ppt that the EPA standard set back in 2016. EPA did lower the ppt on June 15 to a .024ppt to have in your well. That is below the level that can even be tested for PFAS in drinking water. Our well #2 was below the 70ppt, so technically we aren't supposed to get drinking water supplies to us. I asked that drinking water be supplied to us indefinitely. We retested on June 24 for our wells and storage tanks and 2 other points, they all tested high. Well #2 came in at 48ppt so it's still good to drink out of. Our problem is we didn't know how much of well #3 we had in our storage tank. Our storage tank came in high at 415ppt. Kurt and I are working diligently on this with the State with the contamination part and drinking water part. We are working with DOH. The important thing to remember is they have not so far been able to link any illnesses to PFAs in drinking water, short term or long term. The good news is, there is a solution, which is not going to drill anymore wells as of this time. Drilling more wells will be drilling into more contaminants. We are working on 2 different solutions; one is the activated carbon. We will treat this at the well. We are the only city so far in the State of Alaska where the whole public drinking water system is contaminated. The other cities that have PFAs is simply just private wells. We are working diligently with the State as well as an outside engineers as well in PFAS expert. Another solution is plastic marbles where the PFAS will adhere to then we can filter out the water so it can go to home and businesses as clean as possible. DOT is a resourceful party for this, there are grants out there to help us take care of the solution. At this point we are being supplied with drinking water by DOT on a regular basis, so we have plenty of drinking water in Cold Bay. PFAS does not adhere to soil, gravel or dirt, so there is no natural filtration system to PFAS. Activated carbon and plastic marbles has been approved as filtration. So now, we are in a holding pattern, hopefully we move quickly as possible to get solution in place and get off bottled water as quickly as we can.

PAUL asked if the advice of not drilling anymore wells was from the State engineer?

Lorie said when DEC came out to Cold Bay on August 13, they surveyed the area and our water plant versus where it is from the airports. So, we are downhill from the airport, everything rolls downhill, so drilling for a new well at this time is not a solution. It will be much more costly to drill a new well not knowing if that will be contaminated or not. It is cheaper and much more effective to treat our well that we currently have.

PAUL commented that he is not necessarily convinced that a new source wouldn't be in the best interest. It is about \$50 bucks a foot to drill a well, of course it is expensive to get the equipment out there. I wouldn't anticipate it going away, that is why they called it forever chemical. I hope they find a way to get rid of it as soon as possible. We mentioned and talked about in the last meeting, the Borough has resources and everybody will be willing to help as much as possible and make sure everybody in Cold Bay has a clean drinking water.

MINUTES

August 18, 2022 Assembly Meeting Minutes

MOTION

WARREN moved to accept the August 18, 2022 Assembly Meeting Minutes, second by BRENDA.

Minutes accepted with minor spelling correction.

FINANCIAL REPORT

July 2022 Financial Report

MOTION

DENISE made a motion to approve the Financials Report and second by BRENDA.

Administrator Bailey said this is the first month of the FY23. Raw fish tax is not reported yet, at the time the report was completed, raw fish tax has not collected yet from seafood processors. The only other item that is significant is on page 4, insurance line item, that amount came in higher than anticipated and we will make a budget amendment later. Everything else is tracking along well.

PAUL asked when it is usually updated to reflect the correct amount for the ytd.

Administrator Bailey said this was updated through July 31. So, everything we collected during July will be reflected here.

PAUL commented, so there is not fish tax in July.

Administrator Bailey said, those are collected the following month.

ROLL CALL

Yeas: Carol, Brenda, Paul, Warren, Denise, Chris, Josy, Advisory: Dailey, Samantha, Tom

Nay: None

MOTION CARRIES

INVESTMENT REPORT

None – in the last packet.

CONSENT AGENDA

None

PUBLIC HEARINGS

None

ORDINANCES

None

RESOLUTIONS

Resolution 23-10, Requesting a Fishery Disaster Determination for the 2022 Nelson Lagoon Commercial Sockeye Salmon Fishery (***Tabled at the August 18, 2022 Assembly Meeting***)

MOTION

CHRIS made a motion to take Resolution 23-10 off the table and second by BRENDA

Natural Resources Director Weiss said this resolution was put together in response to Nelson Lagoon Tribal Council's request. They have said the fishery is in the state of emergency, the community members and fishermen of Nelson Lagoon were struggling. This is a federal process for a federal fishery disaster declaration. It is a simple process, first the request is made by eligible organization such as municipality, then the NIMFS goes through it if the fishery disaster has occurred, the Secretary will make a determination one way or another. If the determination is positive, the Congress will put some money for it. Changes to the number are made to make it more final. There were an additional 46 sockeye harvested since this was submitted. It is up to the Secretary to make that determination. More information was given as requested by Assembly Gronholdt about some additional fish.

PAUL asked if this resolution is just to put our foot on the door requesting money in the federal funding in disasters and fit the current policy that they have and to make that determination.

Natural Resources Weiss said yes, in support of the Borough community that requested it and we responded on that. It looks like that might be a fisheries disaster but that is not for us to determine.

PAUL thinks that other area or fisheries might submit similar request and then the process moves along. I do not have opposition to move along. They did have a very poor season.

WARREN commented that he thinks the writing was on the wall when Mr. McNeley made a statement going the Fish Board, so we are going to cause a fish fight.

SAMANTHA said we are not trying to point fingers at anybody. We just wanted to know that we are really having a bad season. We just want to keep our river alive for future generation. This has been one of the worst seasons we have seen between poor fish catches to poor weather. It hasn't been good. We randomly close after the last meeting to see if the fish numbers will go up but no way to determine that if no one is fishing. We are just trying to say we are having really bad time here. We just want the Borough's support for our community.

BRENDA commented that if we read the resolution, they are just asking for support and let the Governor's Office determine that they have a fisheries disaster. And I don't see anything in there besides the public comment made that this is going to the Board of Fish. This isn't supporting them going to the Board if Fish, this is supporting them to ask the State governor and out elected duly representatives of affected fishing community can request a federal disaster determination from the Sector of Commerce. And if the Secretary determines that a fishery disaster has occurred, the fishery is eligible for disaster assistance subject to appropriations of funds by congress. To me this is a resolution that should be supported. What we are approving today has nothing to do with the Board of Fish issues.

Mayor Osterback said that when this resolution was put together, we wanted to be sure that we do not get into a fish fight with anyone and basically Nelson Lagoon is one of our communities and if they feel like federal aid disaster money is needed to help them through until they can all figure this out, I think that is something we should support.

ROLL CALL

Yeas: Chris, Brenda, Carol, Paul, Denise, Warren, Josy Advisory: Tom, Samantha, Dailey
Nay: none

MOTION CARRIED

Resolution 23-14, Appointing Election Judges for the October 4, 2022, Regular Borough Election

MOTION

CHRIS made a motion to approve Resolution 23-14 and second by DENISE

Administrator Bailey said as per Borough Code, the Assembly needs to appoint election judges from each election polling place, Sand Point, King Cove and Akutan. The names of the judges are listed in the resolution. If, one of the judges cannot perform her duties during the Election Day, the Borough Clerk will choose an alternate judge.

ROLL CALL

Yeas Denise, Warren, Paul, Carol, Josy, Chris, Brenda, Advisory: Samantha, Dailey, Tom
Nay: None

MOTION CARRIED

Resolution 23-15, Appointing the Canvas Committee for the October 4, 2022, Regular Borough Election

MOTION

JOSY made a motion to approve Resolution 23-15 and second by BRENDA

Administrator Bailey said per our code, it requires that the Assembly appoints a canvass committee to canvass all the votes after the election. The list of the canvass committee is in the resolution. Once again, if one of them cannot perform their duties, the clerk can choose an alternate.

ROLL CALL

Yeas: Carol, Paul, Brenda, Josy, Denise, Chris, Warren Advisory: Dailey, Samantha, Tom
Nay: None

MOTION CARRIED

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

- Strategic Planning Quarter 2 Update

Administrator Bailey said that the quarter ended Aug 31st, 2022. In the packet there is a summary of what is accomplished as of to date, what is moved over to the next quarter and the next planning cycle. I wanted to compliment all the staff for getting many of Quarter 2 and some of the Quarter 3 completed and if there is any specific questions let me know.

REPORTS AND UPDATES

Administrator's Report in packet. Highlights below:

Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds Second Tranche Funding

On August 10, 2022, Administration submitted the Borough's second tranche request to the U.S. Treasury Submission Portal for the SLFRF Funds. The Borough should receive the second tranche in the amount of \$324,086.50 in September/October 2022. As of September 1, 2022, the Borough has expended \$125,012.00 in ARPA funds for the Sand Point Pool Repairs.

Cold Bay Dock

Moffatt & Nichol (M&N) conducted a site visit to Cold Bay on August 15-17, 2022. A community meeting was held on August 16th to discuss the Cold Bay Dock Feasibility Study project. M&N was able to gather a lot of useful data to assist in completing the feasibility study.

Cold Bay Clinic

The Borough has been awarded \$2,000,000 in HRSA grant funding for the Cold Bay Clinic Renovation Project. Administration has begun to address HRSA's grant requirements, which include but are not limited to addressing floodplain, environmental and historical items.

King Cove Road Update

As of this moment we are still awaiting a decision by the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals on whether to grant the petition for en banc rehearing. We do not have a sense of when the Court may decide.

School Maintenance

Sand Point Pool: Evolution Pools should be arriving in Sand Point in September to repair the pool.

King Cove School: Kuchar has completed all work associated with the original deferred maintenance contract and the piping repairs contract. They are in the process of submitting completion photos to the design team, so they can verify that all completed work has been done and that no punch list items exist. Kuchar will go back to King Cove if any needed work is identified. Kuchar's plumber also performed some troubleshooting on the school's lift station. They determined that one of the two lift station pumps were inoperative. They ordered a replacement pump, which the school maintenance technician should be able to install.

False Pass School: LONG arrived in False Pass the week of August 8, 2022. They repaired one of the boilers and are providing a quote to repair/replace the second boiler at the school.

JOSY asked if there is a Maintenance Director hired.

Administrator Bailey said not yet.

Josy asked if there is any word on possible hire? There are issues here in Akutan school. We haven't had anyone out here yet this year.

Administrator Bailey said if there are any issues, the principal can email me and we can address it.

Assistant Administrator Report in packet. Highlights below:

DEED/ Sand Point School CIP Application

On 6.28.22 Governor Dunleavy signed the FY23 budget for major maintenance, of that \$37.5M was cut resulting only 10 items being funded. We were not funded because School was # 16 and the Pool #38 so we prepare to submit a brand-new application. However, on August 17, we were notified by SERCC that the project for Sand Point School will be funded. The cost of the estimated work is about \$3.9M with a 30% match of \$1.3M. On Aug. 30th Interim Superintendent Jack Walsh had a special meeting with the School Board along with their attorney to review the 6-year plan as well as the MOU between the Borough and School District. Currently the only item we have on the 6-year plan is the pool and the liner. Evolution Pool is scheduled to do the work as of Sept. 11.

Maintenance Connection

I have been working closely with SERCC to provide support on the operations site. This includes but is not limited to; processing maintenance request, creating work order, closing our work orders, and setting up preventative maintenance schedules. If anyone has any immediate issues regarding the school, my email address is at the bottom of my report. Right now, it has been a little tricky, two of the maintenance staff have resigned and we still do not have a Maintenance Director. Again, please do contact me and I will do my best to facilitate as quickly as possible.

Akutan Generator

The generator at the Akutan has been malfunctioning resulting with the hangar being without power. On Feb.7, 2022, Ivan Weller a technician with Tacoma Diesel traveled to Akutan for the repairs needed done to Akun, the city, and the Borough. From the invoice, the technician noted he "found probable issue with the harness or controller. Will need to return with replacement parts". Subsequently, an additional visit would be needed to finalize the work as the mechanical issues would persist. On 8.25.22 Ivan Weller the technician returned to Akutan to make repairs to the generator. During the visit, the generator was fully inspected with the controller replaced. The travel expenses were divided evenly with the City of Akutan.

Meetings attended were listed in the packet.

Communications Director Report in packet. Highlights below:

Annual Report

During the past month, I have spent most of my time working on the Fiscal Year 2022 Annual report. As of the writing of this report, I'm nearly finished. I've sent drafts to Anne and Mayor Osterback regarding the content, received feedback and have made edits. At this point, I'm inserting photos to accompany projects and working with the layout of the report. It contains the latest information on various Borough projects, including the Sand Point School Major Maintenance Project, the Sand Point Pool, the King Cove School Deferred Maintenance Project, as well as issues that impact the Borough, such as the Power Cost Equalization lawsuit and the legal action associated with the King Cove land exchange. It also details work done by the Borough's Natural Resources Department on fisheries management and advocacy, as well as projects, including the WGOA pollock trawl fleet electronic monitoring program, the fishermen's data portal, pacific cod tagging and mariculture. In addition, the report contains a financial summary, including revenues, expenditures, permanent fund earning capital project appropriations, bond service debt information, etc.

PowerPoint: AK Assn. of Harbormasters & Port Administrators

I'm continuing work on updating the PowerPoint presentation for Mayor Osterback for the annual Harbormasters Association Conference in Nome at the end of September. The presentation will include updates on various projects, including the Sand Point Harbor Floats Projects, the Cold Bay Dock

Reconnaissance/Feasibility Project, the Cold Bay Terminal Expansion and the False Pass Harbor Electric Upgrades, as well as the latest with the Akun Dock & Breakwater project.

Photography project

Photographer Kerry Tasker and I are going to make a 3rd attempt to fly out to Akutan at the end of September, which will be the last community needed for this project. The first two times we tried to go there, flights were canceled due to poor weather. We're hoping to travel to the community Sept. 27th through the 29th, weather-permitting. I've been keeping in touch with Akutan Mayor Joe Bereskin and Assembly Member Josy Shangin. Josy suggested another way to possibly get seat fares on charters, if available. So, I'm going to look into those options as well. I've also spoken with EAT CEO Paul Mueller about the possibility of getting a couple seats on a charter if the timing works out.

In the Loop:

The latest in the Loop newsletter contained a reminder notice about Offices to be filled for the Aleutians East Borough and the School Board. The deadline was September 2nd to file a Declaration of Candidacy. That notice was also posted on AEB's Facebook page.

Natural Resources Director Report in packet. Highlights below:

Alaska Bycatch Task Force

The Alaska Bycatch Review Task Force (ABRT) was established by the Governor last November and will sunset 11/30/22. The various subcommittees continue to meet via Zoom to draft recommendations for final submission to the Governor. The ABRT subcommittees are:

- Bering Sea and Gulf of Alaska Crab Committee
- Gulf of Alaska Halibut and Salmon Committee
- Western Alaska Salmon Committee
- Science, Technology, and Innovation Committee

Several of the draft recommendations are of interest to AEB fishermen: the GOA halibut/salmon committee voted August 31 to recommend a requirement that GOA trawl fleet and tenders have 100% EM coverage, and to secure funding to implement. They also recommend pursuing 'rationalization type' management measures to reduce GOA bycatch. The ABRT defines bycatch as fish that are harvested in a fishery but are not sold or kept. The full ABRT will meet in person October 12 in Anchorage to hold a listening session.

Alaska Board of Fisheries

The Board recently made a correction to the 2022/2023 meeting schedule that changed the dates of the February Chignik/Area M meeting. This adjustment was originally addressed at the October 2021 work session but was not recorded correctly in the work session meeting summary or schedule. The previously published date of the meeting was in direct conflict with the Pacific Salmon Commission meeting. The dates of the Area M/Chignik meeting are now one week later, **February 20-25, 2023**. The late correction by the Board means a venue change from the Egan Center to the Dena'ina Center in Anchorage. The AEB meeting room during the meeting is now the Kahtnu 1 room on the second floor of the Dena'ina Center. We are currently arranging a block of rooms for our fishermen at the Captain Cook Hotel, February 19-25.

North Pacific Fishery Management Council

The Crab Plan Team and Groundfish Plan Team will both meet this month. The Council will set specs for BSAI crab, discuss the snow crab rebuilding plan and review industry information related to snow crab and Bristol Bay Red King Crab at the October meeting. The SSC and Council will propose GOA and BSAI groundfish specs in October and adopt final groundfish specs in December. The Trawl EM analysis and BS Pcod Small Boat Access analysis, both scheduled for final action in October, are expected to be posted this week on the October Agenda. Nominations are open for the NPFMC Salmon Bycatch committee through September 30. The call for nominations to the Scientific & Statistical Committee (SSC) and for the Advisory

Panel (AP) are open until November 15.

CARES Act Relief Round 2

Alaska fishery participants (processors and commercial, sport charter and subsistence fishermen) can now apply for CARES Act round 2 relief. Applications for Alaska must be printed and submitted by regular mail (or FedEx, UPS, etc.) postmarked no later than **October 31st 2022**. PSMFC has added additional staff and will mail printed applications upon request before October 14th.

Meeting attended and Upcoming meeting are were included in the packet.

Assistant Natural Resources Director Report in packet. Highlights below:

Electronic Monitoring - WGOA3/EFP:

- I have submitted the NFWF Interim Programmatic report. Due to a delay in receiving the grant agreement for this project, we received an extension for this grant through 6/30/2023.
- Ahead of the pollock opener, I have been preparing documents for the fleet and processors i.e. ensuring VMPs are approved, sending out important compliance reminders, cheat sheets for processing tender offloads, etc.
- The Alaska Bycatch Task Force, GOA halibut and salmon subcommittee met on 8/31. There was discussion around pushing for 100% implementation of EM in federal groundfish, and increased observer coverage. I will be tracking this going forward.
- We were featured in a story on collaborative research for sharks which can be in the link at the packet

WGOA Data Portal

- The multiplier re-grant has been extended through September. We are awaiting draft documents from Joe Sullivan.

North Pacific Fisheries Management Council

- I am assisting with providing information and figures to cod stock assessment authors who are qualitatively incorporating our cod project results into the stock assessment.

Mariculture

We have a tentative schedule for the mariculture work to begin this year. Most of the training will be for the local participant, but myself or Melissa Good of ASG will be involved/overseeing activities in Sand Point.

- 8 online participant trainings (September 2022 -March 2023)
- 4 hands-on participant trainings in Kodiak
- September 2022: Collecting spores and setting up an array
- October 2022: Building and deploying a farm-site
- November 2022: Laying out seed line
- April 2023: Harvest and delivery
- Sand Point site visits (October or November 2022, April 2023)

Board of Fisheries/Salmon

- We are working with stakeholder partners on ways to collaborate. We will be assisting with further development and refinement of the Northern Economics study that was produced, and possibly an analysis of conservation/economic impact from previous management changes.

AFSC Cod Tagging Project:

- I am currently working on some preliminary analysis of population demographics, length/weight tables, etc.
- We have begun developing several publications/technical memos for peer-review.

MAYOR'S UPDATE

ASSEMBLY COMMENTS

SAMANTHA thanked the Borough for all the help and congratulated Talia in her 1 year.

DAILEY asked when the vending machines are going to be put in the Cold Bay airport.

Administrator Bailey said her and Talia are talking to someone and should have a release either tomorrow or early next week.

DAILEY asked about a backup generator for the Terminal building.

Mayor Osterback said he can't recall anyone asking about getting a backup generator.

Administrator Bailey she wasn't approached about that before.

DAILEY said that one time the plane wasn't able come in because the power at the terminal was out.

PAUL said that Southeast conference along with SWAMC and some other entities were recipient of the Build Back Better Mariculture Grant. The Alaska portion is \$49M which is substantial and I don't think they have a complete plan on how to distribute the funds and there will be plenty of opportunities comment and people who are interested can look at the SWAMC website and I think some of the information's were enable that native entities to participate. We have a Board of Fish meeting in February, but the Fish Expo which is Nov. 17th I believe, 18th and part of 19th, I think the Borough should have a presence there. I was hoping we would keep in contact. A lot of people go in the Expo, I think we should attend.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

NEXT MEETING DATE

Regular Assembly Meeting Oct. 13, 2022 in King Cove

ADJOURNMENT

DENISE moved to adjourn second. Hearing no more, the meeting adjourned at 4:27 p.m.



Mayor Alvin D. Osterback

Beverly Ann Rosete, Borough Clerk

Date: _____

