

RESOLUTION 24-04

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH ASSEMBLY ALLOCATING \$20,388 OF THE ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH'S LOCAL ASSISTANCE AND TRIBAL CONSISTENCY FUND (LATCF) MONIES TO THE ALASKA MUNICIPAL LEAGUES ALASKA PUBLIC LANDS FELLOWSHIP

WHEREAS, on September 29, 2022, the US Treasury launched the Local Assistance and Tribal Consistency Fund (LATCF) for eligible revenue sharing counties/boroughs; and

WHEREAS, in October 2022, Administration applied for the LATCF funds; and

WHEREAS, in October 2022, the Borough received the first tranche of funds in the amount of \$1,019,400 and anticipates receiving the additional \$1,019,400 in 2023; and

WHEREAS, the LATCF funds can be used for any governmental purpose except for lobbying activities; and

WHEREAS, at the November 2022 Assembly Meeting, the Assembly allocated the \$2,038,800 in LATCF funds for maintenance projects, grant match requirements or to pay for a portion of the 2nd 10% owed to the Army Corps of Engineers for the Akutan Harbor project; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Assembly will approve any projects of uses of the funds before the money is expended; and

WHEREAS, the Alaska Municipal League (AML) has contacted Alaskan LATCF recipients regarding contributing a portion of the LATCF funds for public lands; and

WHEREAS, after discussions with AML, the Borough would contribute 1% (\$20,388) to AML so they can fund research fellows and analysis that is specific to Alaska.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Aleutians East Borough Assembly allocates \$20,388 in Aleutians East Borough's Local Assistance and Tribal Consistency Funds to the Alaska Municipal League's Alaska Public Lands Fellowship.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Aleutians East Borough on this 13th day of July, 2023.

ATTEST:

Alvin D. Osterback, Mayor

Glannora Dushkin, Deputy Clerk