



RESOLUTION 26-40

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH SUPPORTING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF MIKE WOOD TO THE ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES.

WHEREAS, Mike Wood completes a full Board of Fisheries meeting cycle this month and has shown a full understanding of all the issues to come before the Board, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Wood's leadership and experience on the Board, as well as his knowledge and experience of sport and commercial fisheries make him extremely well-qualified for re-appointment to the Board, and

WHEREAS, Mike's experience before joining the Board, including his service on the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Fish and Wildlife Commission for eight years and Chair for four years have been a solid foundation for the excellent work he has accomplished on the Board, and his firsthand experience commercial fishing in Cook Inlet will continue to inform the upcoming Board Cook Inlet discussions, and

WHEREAS, Mike Wood has the trust and respect of his fellow Board members as evidenced by his commitment to the Board process, and his reappointment will ensure the continuity of a well-functioning Board of Fisheries, and

WHEREAS, Mike Wood has demonstrated a willingness to reach out to experts and advocates on all sides of every issue, and

WHEREAS, Mike Wood has the full support of fishermen and communities of the Aleutians East Borough to continue service on the Alaska Board of Fisheries.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Aleutians East Borough Assembly supports the reappointment of Mike Wood to the Alaska Board of Fisheries at this critical period for Alaska's fisheries and communities, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Aleutians East Borough Assembly urges the Alaska Legislature to confirm the reappointment of Mike Wood to the Alaska Board of Fisheries for the benefit of Alaska's fisheries and all Alaskans.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Aleutians East Borough Assembly on this 12th day of March 2026.


Alvin D. Osterback, Mayor

ATTEST: 
Beverly Rosete, Clerk