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Public Hearing: 06/21/16
Adopted: 06/21/16

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 16-056**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY FINDING THE ANNEXATION OF PROPERTIES LOCATED IN AND AROUND CREEKSIDE PERCH SUBDIVISION AREA INTO THE GREATER PALMER CONSOLIDATED FIRE SERVICE AREA NO. 132 SERVES THE PUBLIC INTEREST WITHOUT THE PLACEMENT OF THE QUESTION ON THE BALLOT.

WHEREAS, a petition has been certified by the Clerk requesting annexation of property into the Greater Palmer Consolidated Fire Service Area; and

WHEREAS, MSB 5.20.005(G) allows the annexation of property into a fire service area without placing the question of the annexation on the ballot, if that annexation is not increasing the number of parcels more than six percent and would not add more than a 1,000 people; and

WHEREAS, the Greater Palmer Consolidated Fire Service Area Board of Supervisors has reviewed the request and their recommendation is attached to the informational memorandum; and

WHEREAS, a letter to the residents in the proposed annexation has been sent advising them of when the legislation will be before the Assembly for introduction and public hearing and requesting their comment; and

WHEREAS, the Assembly, through the adoption of this resolution, finds that the public interest is being served through the annexation to the Greater Palmer Consolidated Fire Service Area in that the residents in the area will receive fire protection and insurance benefits that they currently are not receiving, and does not require the question for annexation to be placed on the ballot; and

WHEREAS, a map of the geographic boundaries of the proposed annexation is attached to the informational memorandum.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Assembly approves the annexation of the aforementioned property into the Greater Palmer Consolidated Fire Service Area No. 132, without the question of annexation being placed on the ballot.

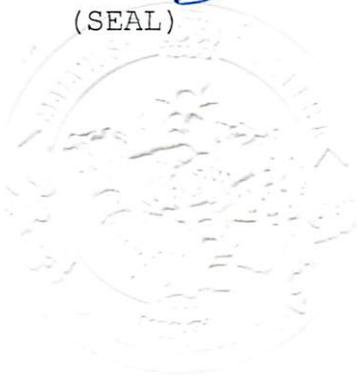
ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this
21 day of June, 2016.


VERN HALTER, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:


LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

(SEAL)



PASSED UNANIMOUSLY: Beck, McKee, Colligan, Mayfield, Doty, and
Kowalke

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