Presented by: The Manager

Introduced: 10/14/19 Drafted by: R. Palmer III

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 2868

A Resolution Authorizing the City and Borough of Juneau to Apply for a Community Development Block Grant from the Alaska Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development, with St. Vincent de Paul, To Be Used For Renovations to House a Transitional Services Center.

WHEREAS, the City and Borough recognizes the importance of supporting local non-profit organizations in addressing the social and human needs of the community; and

WHEREAS, the City and Borough is eligible to apply for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds for the benefit of qualifying low and moderate income persons served by local non-profit organizations; and

WHEREAS, the City and Borough has obtained and successfully supported CDBG grants in 2004 to construct a daycare facility for seniors with Alzheimer's Disease or related conditions; in 2005 to construct seven units of housing for homeless people; and in 2007 for refurbishment and livability upgrades at facilities owned and operated by Gastineau Human Services, the AWARE Shelter, St. Vincent de Paul, and the Glory Hole; and

WHEREAS, the City and Borough solicited proposals from non-profit organizations for projects eligible for funding in the 2019 CDBG funding cycle; and

WHEREAS, two proposals were received and considered; and

WHEREAS, the St. Vincent de Paul proposal is to renovate existing space for a transitional services center that will serve low to moderate income individuals, especially those experiencing homelessness or extreme disability; and

WHEREAS, St. Vincent de Paul has secured the required 25 percent match for the project; and

WHEREAS, the deadline for submission of a Community Development Block Grant application is December 6, 2019.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Assembly of the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska:

Section 1. The Assembly authorizes the Manager to negotiate, execute, and submit all necessary documents required to apply for \$450,000 of grant funding on behalf of the benefiting organization, St. Vincent de Paul.

Section 2. The Manager is also authorized to execute any amendments to the grant agreement between the City and Borough and the Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development as may be necessary for adjustments to the project scope of work and budget.

Section 3. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective immediately after its adoption.

Adopted this 14th day of October, 2019.

Beth A. Weldon, Mayor

Attest:

Elizabeth J. McEwen, Municipal Clerk