

Presented by: The Manager  
Introduced: 04/06/2009  
Drafted by: J.W. Hartle

## RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 2468

### **A Resolution Authorizing the Manager to Apply for and Receive a Recovery Act Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant From the U.S. Department of Justice for a Police Crisis Intervention Program for Domestic Violence and Family-Related Crimes.**

WHEREAS, under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act), the U.S. Department of Justice was provided with funding for grants to assist state, local, and tribal law enforcement, to combat domestic violence and family-related crimes; and

WHEREAS, the grants are to be provided by the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs' Bureau of Justice Assistance under the Recovery Act Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Formula Program; and

WHEREAS, the City and Borough of Juneau has been allocated \$147,543 under this Recovery Act grant program and wishes to apply for these grant funds; and

WHEREAS, Alaska has one of the highest rates for domestic violence in the United States according to the *National Coalition Against Domestic Violence*; and

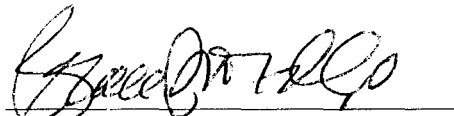
WHEREAS, it is appropriate at this time for the City and Borough to formalize its interest in applying for and receiving these Recovery Act grant funds from the U.S. Department of Justice.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA:

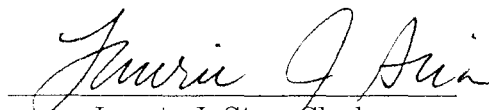
**Section 1.** That the Manager is authorized to apply for and receive from the U.S. Department of Justice, a Recovery Act Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant for the purpose of funding a police crisis intervention program for domestic violence and family-related crimes.

**Section 2. Effective Date.** This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Adopted this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April , 2009.

  
Bruce Botelho, Mayor

Attest:

  
Laurie J. Sica, Clerk