

Presented by: Mayor Polley  
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RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 1262

A RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE SELECTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CAMILING, TARLAC PROVINCE, REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS AN OFFICIAL SISTER CITY TO THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA, AND REQUESTING THE SISTER CITY COMMITTEE TO PROCEED WITH THE STEPS NECESSARY TO FORMALIZE THE SISTER CITY RELATIONSHIP.

WHEREAS, the Sister Cities Committee of the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska, established pursuant to Resolution Serial No. 362, has determined through an exchange of correspondence that the Municipality of Camiling, located in the Tarlac Province, Republic of the Philippines, is very interested in participating in a Sister City relationship with the City and Borough of Juneau, and

WHEREAS, the committee has requested that the Assembly endorse the selection of Camiling as a Sister City to the city and borough and authorize the committee to proceed with the steps necessary to formalize this relationship through the Sister Cities International organization, and

WHEREAS, the city and borough has never established an official Sister City relationship with another city, and

WHEREAS, nineteen cities in the Philippines have American sister cities, but none of these are Alaskan cities, and

WHEREAS, the Filipino Community, Inc., of Juneau, an organization founded in 1928, and the Filipino Community of Juneau have expressed great excitement and enthusiasm regarding the selection of Camiling as a Sister City to the city and borough and a desire to assist in formalizing and fostering this relationship, and

WHEREAS, several people in the Filipino Community of Juneau came from Camiling, and

WHEREAS, the establishment of a formal Sister City relationship will serve to promote and foster mutually beneficial cultural exchanges, international municipal cooperation, and a bond of friendship and understanding between Camiling and the city and borough, and


WHEREAS, the Assembly wishes to formalize a Sister City relationship with Camiling;

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

1. That the Assembly hereby endorses the selection of the Municipality of Camiling, Tarlac Province, Republic of the Philippines, as an official Sister City of the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska, and requests the Sister City Committee to proceed with all steps necessary to formalize the Sister City relationship through the Sister City International organization.

2. That upon official designation of Camiling as a Sister City to the city and borough, the Assembly will hold an appropriate ceremony to formally recognize the bond of friendship between Camiling and the City and Borough of Juneau, and the Assembly requests that the Sister City Committee organize and coordinate such ceremony.

Adopted this 21st day of September, 1987.

  
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Mayor

Attest:

  
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Clerk