Presented by: The Manager Introduced: 10/03/2002 Drafted by: J.W. Hartle

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 2177

A Resolution in Support of Perseverance Theatre's Bid for a Doris Duke Charitable Foundation Challenge Grant Award in Support of its Endowment Fund.

WHEREAS, Perseverance Theatre is a finalist under consideration for a \$750,000 Doris Duke Charitable Foundation Challenge Grant through the Leading National Theatres Program, a joint initiative of the Doris Duke Charitable Foundation and the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, and

Whereas, Perseverance Theatre is seeking this award as part of its continuous goal to create an endowment fund for enduring support of its operations, and

WHEREAS, only ten theatres from around the country have made it to this round of consideration with the Doris Duke Charitable Foundation, and

WHEREAS, the Doris Duke Charitable Foundation is sending a representative to Juneau to see first-hand the widespread community support Perseverance Theatre has earned in Juneau, and

WHEREAS, the Assembly of the City and Borough has long been on record in support of Perseverance Theatre's efforts, including monetary support, and

WHEREAS, Perseverance Theatre, now in its twenty-fourth year of operation, plays a valuable role in the cultural life of Juneau, and

WHEREAS, the Assembly of the City and Borough wishes to again express its support for Perseverance Theatre and its efforts to secure grant funding for its endowment;

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

Section 1. The Assembly of the City and Borough welcomes Cheryl Ikemiya of the Doris Duke Charitable Foundation to Juneau, and expresses its support for the efforts of Perseverance Theatre to secure a Doris Duke Charitable Foundation matching grant.

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

Adopted this 3rd day of October, 2002.

Sally Smith, Mayor

Attest:

Laurie J. Sica, Clerk

Vote: Unanimous

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