

Presented by: The Manager
Introduced: 11/04/2002
Drafted by: J.R. Corso

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 2181

**A Resolution Supporting Efforts of the Gastineau Channel
Historical Society to Restore Sentinel Island Light Station.**

WHEREAS, the lighthouses of Alaska have played a vital role in the history and development of the state, and continue to serve as important aids to navigation and reminders of our maritime heritage, and

WHEREAS, the Sentinel Island Light Station is located in the City and Borough of Juneau and is a familiar landmark to Juneau residents and visitors, and

WHEREAS, the Sentinel Island Light Station is qualified for inclusion on the National Register of Historic Places, is located along the Alaska Marine Highway, a National Scenic Byway, has been designated an Official Project of Save America's Treasures, and provides significant educational, recreational, and tourism opportunities, and

WHEREAS, the Gastineau Channel Historical Society, a volunteer based non-profit corporation headquartered in Juneau, has undertaken to rehabilitate and restore Sentinel Island Light Station, to develop a maritime heritage interpretive center, and to make these new educational and recreational opportunities accessible to the public;

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

Section 1. The Assembly supports efforts of the Gastineau Channel Historical Society to restore and rehabilitate Sentinel Island Light Station and to increase public access to the site for the enjoyment and education of Juneau residents and visitors.

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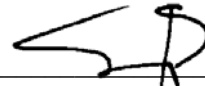
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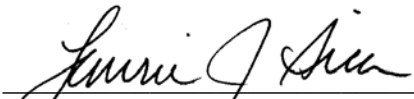
Section 2. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Adopted this 4th day of November, 2002.



Sally Smith, Mayor

Attest:



Laurie J. Sica, Clerk

Vote: Unanimous