Presented by: The Manager Introduced: 06/26/2006 Drafted by: J.W. Hartle

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 2360

A Resolution Authorizing the Manager to Accept a Grant from the Southeast Conference For the Mendenhall Watershed Partnership.

WHEREAS, the City and Borough has a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) to operate a streamflow gaging station on the Mendenhall River; and

WHEREAS, the USGS has requested that the CBJ continue the river monitoring for an additional year; and

WHEREAS, the annual cost to monitor the stream flow gauge is \$23,000; and

WHEREAS, after negotiation, the CBJ agreed to fund \$1,500 of the annual cost of monitoring; and

WHEREAS, the USGS has secured a \$10,000 grant in the name of the Mendenhall Watershed Partnership from Southeast Conference which will be used as part of the City and Borough's match in the cooperative agreement with the USGS; and

WHEREAS, the grant and the \$11,500 of USGS monies provided for in the cooperative agreement will allow for another year of Mendenhall River monitoring; and

WHEREAS, the CBJ Engineering staff has told the USGS that the CBJ will not support annual appropriations for monitoring this stream gage.

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

Section 1. That the Manager is authorized to accept a grant for \$10,000 from the Southeast Conference in the name of the Mendenhall Watershed Partnership.

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

Adopted this 26th day of June, 2006.

Bruce Botelho, Mayor

Attest:

Laurie J. Sica Clerk