Presented by: The Manager Introduced: 03/18/91 Drafted by: J.R.C.

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 1499

A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE MANAGER TO ESTABLISH AND IMPLEMENT ALL NECESSARY AND PRACTICAL PROCEDURES FOR THE REDUCTION OF SOLID WASTE AND THE USE OF RECOVERED MATERIALS BY THE MUNICIPALITY.

WHEREAS, solid waste management is a matter of urgent public concern throughout the world, and

WHEREAS, solid waste management is a matter of particular concern in Juneau, where natural conditions severely limit the use of landfills, and

WHEREAS, the procurement and disposal activities of local government have an important practical effect and set an important example with regard to solid waste management;

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

- 1. That the manager is directed to insure that to the maximum extent feasible, the city and borough will:
- (a) Purchase products and employ processes that reduce the amount and toxicity of waste produced;
- (b) Acquire and use equipment for the recycling and beneficial use of waste; and
- (c) Purchase products, particularly paper products, made from recycled materials.
- 2. That the manager shall establish procedures to implement the policy set forth in this resolution, including procedures for:
- (a) The acquisition and use of equipment capable of two-sided photocopying;
- (b) The availability and use of waste receptacles dedicated to recyclable materials;

- (c) The training of staff and volunteers in waste reduction and recycling;
- (d) The appointment of departmental waste reduction and recycling officers;
- (e) The review of purchasing and contractual specifications to promote waste reduction and recycling;
- (f) The coordination of environmentally sensitive purchasing with other governmental agencies; and
- (g) Any other practical and economic procedures which will further the policies set forth in this resolution.
- 3. <u>Effective Date</u>. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Adopted this 18th day of March, 1991.

Mayor

Attest:

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