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RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

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A RESOLUTION URGING THE ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INSTALL STREET LIGHTING ALONG THE BACK MENDENHALL LOOP ROAD BETWEEN ITS INTERSECTION WITH THE MONTANA CREEK ROAD AND ITS INTERSECTION WITH THE MENDENHALL GLACIER SPUR ROAD.

WHEREAS, the state of Alaska currently has under contract a project for the widening and paving of the Mendenhall Loop Road, and

WHEREAS, the substantial increase in population on and served by the Back Loop Road has resulted in a substantial increase in pedestrian, bicycle and vehicular traffic along the Back Loop Road, and

WHEREAS, street lighting on the Back Loop Road is needed to improve nighttime driver sight distances and traffic flow as well as providing for pedestrian and bicylce safety;

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

1. That the Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities is urged to include in the current Mendenhall Loop Road widening project a change order for the installation of street lights along the Back Loop Road between its intersection with the Montana Creek Road and its intersection with the Mendenhall Glacier Spur Road.

2. That if sufficient funds are not available to accomplish a complete street lighting project, the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities include in the widening project the installation of the underground electrical facilities necessary to support an adequate street lighting system along said portion of the road and that funding for all parts of the Back Loop Road street lighting not accomplished under the current road widening project be given a high priority by the department for future funding.

3. That copies of this resolution be sent to The Honorable Bill Sheffield, Governor of the State of Alaska and Richard J. Knapp, Commissioner, Department of Transportation and Public Facilities.

Adopted this 4th day of June, 1984.



Mayor

Attest:



Clerk