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RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

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A RESOLUTION CREATING A SISTER CITIES COMMITTEE.

WHEREAS, the "People-to-People Program" was inaugurated by the President of the United States in 1956 to establish greater friendship and understanding between the peoples of the United States and other nations through the medium of direct personal contact, and

WHEREAS, all succeeding U. S. Presidents have endorsed said program, to be conducted for the broad purposes of the exchange of ideas and people between the citizens of the United States of America and the peoples of other nations, and

WHEREAS, to implement this program Juneau and other communities in the United States have been requested by the Town Affiliation Association of the U. S., Inc. to affiliate with cities in other nations, and

WHEREAS, the City and Borough of Juneau, through its assembly, does recognize and endorse this program with the hope that it will lead to a lasting friendship between the people of Juneau and other cities throughout the world;

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

That a Sisters City Committee, composed of not less than nine members appointed by the assembly for three-year staggered terms, be created to participate as an organization in the promoting, fostering and publicizing of Sister Cities programs with other cities which have been suggested by the assembly or which have expressed an interest in participating with the City and Borough in a Sister Cities program, to encourage other organizations and residents of Juneau to engage and participate in such international programs, to foster and promote friendly relations and mutual understanding between people of Juneau and peoples of friendly nations, to act as a coordinating committee among those organizations, groups and individuals desiring to and engaging in the activities of such international municipal

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cooperation, and to provide the coordination of such activities as the assembly may direct in relation to any city the assembly has designated as a Sister City.

Adopted this 4th day of March, 1976.

Virginia Kane
Mayor

Attest:

Elmer Janery
Clerk