Presented by: The Manager Introduced: 11/19/81 J.R.C.

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 804

A RESOLUTION DECLARING ASSEMBLY INTENT TO WITHDRAW EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA FROM THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM.

WHEREAS, the assembly by Resolution 451 as amended by Resolution 703 declared its intent to withdraw the employees of the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska, from the social security system effective January 1, 1981 unless such declaration were rescinded, and

WHEREAS, the city and borough employees voted in October of 1980 to remain in the social security system, whereupon the city and borough notified the Social Security Administration that the declaration of intent contained in Resolution 451 as amended by Resolution 703 was rescinded, and

WHEREAS, a petition having been submitted, and other expressions of interest noted, it now appears that city-borough employees are once again concerned with the issue of participation in the social security system, and

WHEREAS, there is a two-year waiting period following the date of notification of intent to withdraw from the social security system until the date such action takes effect, and

WHEREAS, at any time within the two-year waiting period a notice to rescind a request for withdrawal may be submitted and coverage would continue until formal notice of intent to terminate was once again submitted, and

WHEREAS, once withdrawal from the social security system occurs the action is irrevocable and will apply to all present and future employees of the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska;

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

1. That the manager is directed to submit a declaration of intent of the city and borough to terminate coverage of its employees in the social security system effective January 1, 1984, to the Director, Division of Retirement and Benefits, Department of Administration, State of Alaska.

- 2. That employees of the city and borough be advised of this policy action and be provided with such materials as may be available upon which to make an informed decision as to whether or not they wish to have the city and borough withdraw from the social security system.
- 3. That provisions be made for an advisory vote of employees on this matter after January 1, 1983 but sufficiently in advance of the effective date of termination to allow a notice to rescind termination to be submitted in the event a majority of the employees fail to vote in favor of withdrawal. The ballot proposition shall read "Should the City and Borough of Juneau withdraw from the social security system?"

ADOPTED this 19th day of November, 1981.

Attest:

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