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## RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

## Serial No. 2918

A Resolution Authorizing the City and Borough of Juneau to Apply for a Community Development Block Grant from the Alaska Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, with the Glory Hall for a New Emergency Shelter.

WHEREAS, the City and Borough recognizes the importance of supporting local non-profit organizations in addressing the social and human needs of the community; and

WHEREAS, the City and Borough is eligible to apply for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds for the benefit of qualifying low and moderate income persons served by local non-profit organizations; and

WHEREAS, the City and Borough has obtained and successfully administered CDBG grants in 2004 to construct a daycare facility for seniors with Alzheimer's Disease or a related disorder; in 2005 to construct seven units of homeless housing; and in 2007 for refurbishment and livability upgrades at facilities owned and operated by Gastineau Human Services, the AWARE Shelter, St. Vincent de Paul, and the Glory Hall; and

WHEREAS, CBJ staff solicited proposals from non-profit organizations for projects eligible for funding in the 2020 CDBG funding cycle; and

WHEREAS, one proposal was received and considered; and

WHEREAS, the Glory Hall proposal is to construct a new emergency shelter that will serve low to moderate income individuals, especially those experiencing homelessness, or extreme disability; and

WHEREAS, the Glory Hall has secured the required 25% local match for the project; and

WHEREAS, the City and Borough of Juneau will apply for a grant in the amount of \$650,000 from the Alaska Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development (hereinafter "Department"), under the CDBG program; and

WHEREAS, the deadline for submission of a Community Development Block Grant application is December 4, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Committee of the Whole reviewed this request at the November 9, 2020 meeting and provided a motion of support.

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

**Section 1**. The Assembly authorizes the Manager to negotiate and execute all necessary documents required for granting and managing funds on behalf of the benefiting organization, the Glory Hall.

**Section 2**. The Manager is also authorized to execute any amendments to the grant agreement between the City and Borough and the Department as may be necessary for adjustments to the project scope of work and/or budget.

**Section 3. Effective Date.** This resolution shall be effective immediately after its adoption.

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Adopted this 23rd day of November, 2020.

Beth A. Weldon, Mayor

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Attest:

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