Presented by: The Manager Introduced: 09/24/2007 Drafted by: J.W. Hartle

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 2418

A Resolution Reestablishing the Fisheries Development Committee, and Repealing Resolution 1399.

WHEREAS, fisheries development, including the production, harvesting, primary and secondary processing, and transporting businesses associated with commercial and recreational fisheries, continue to be a very important area of economic activity in Juneau; and

WHEREAS, in Resolution 1399 the Assembly determined that the establishment of a fisheries development committee would assist in furthering the goal of fisheries development in Juneau; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest to reduce the membership on the Fisheries Development Committee from nine to seven members to better meet quorum requirements and recruitment needs.

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

Section 1. Committee Reestablished. There is reestablished the City and Borough of Juneau Fisheries Development Committee. The Committee shall consist of seven members appointed by the Assembly to serve for three-year staggered terms. In future appointments, the Assembly shall endeavor to select persons with demonstrated interest in fisheries development, including but not limited to such areas of interest and experience as commercial fishing, sport fishing, processing and transporting of fish, support, service, and supply needs of the commercial fishing fleet and recreational fishing boats, aquacultural development, and fish habitat protection and enhancement.

Section 2. Committee Purposes. The purpose of the Committee shall be to advise and assist the Assembly regarding all aspects of fisheries development and enhancement in the Juneau area, including expanded salmon production such as wild stock stream enhancement and aquacultural development, infrastructure requirements, cold storage facilities, secondary processing facilities, fisheries terminal facilities, and recreational fishing opportunities. In carrying out its functions, the Committee should draw on the expertise of professionals in the field from the University of Alaska Southeast, the National Marine Fisheries Service, and the Alaska Department of Fish and Game as technical advisors. The Committee shall perform such other functions and advise the Assembly on such other matters as the Assembly may request.

Section 3. Staff Assistance. Staff support and assistance to the Committee shall be provided by the Harbors Department, as available and appropriate.

Section 4. Procedures. The rules of procedure for Assembly advisory committees as established by Resolution Serial No. 2246, as it may be amended from time to time, shall govern the conduct of business by the Committee.

Section 5. Repeal of Resolution. Resolution 1399 is repealed.

Section 6. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Adopted this 24th day of September, 2007.

Bruce Botelho, Mayor

Attest:

Laurie J. Siza, Clerk