



CITY of BETHEL

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SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
MARCH 31, 1981 12:00 NOON
COUNCIL CHAMBERS

ROLL CALL Mayor Guinn called the meeting to order at 12:05 p.m. and roll call was taken. Present: Charles, Elliott, Twitchell, B. Hoffman, Carpenter, E. Hoffman and Guinn. Quorum.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA Manager Hoffman requested the following item be added to the agenda under New Business as:

Item B. Sales & Use Tax Relief

M/M E. Hoffman/2nd Charles to approve the agenda as amended. Voice vote was taken and motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Item A. Capital Relocation Manager Hoffman presented a resolution to the Council on the relocation of the Capital to Willow. The issue had been before and rejected by the voters of Alaska by a margin of 3 - 1 in 1978 because of the costs involved. The request of the resolution was that the Council not support the capital relocation to Willow or to any other site but that the funds be spent on capital improvements and tax relief in the rural areas to enable them to achieve economic and social stabilization.

Discussion on the item.

MOTION M/M by B. Hoffman/2nd Elliott to adopt and support the resolution on the capital relocation. Roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Charles, Elliott, Twitchell, B. Hoffman, Carpenter, E. Hoffman and Guinn. Nays: None. Motion carried.

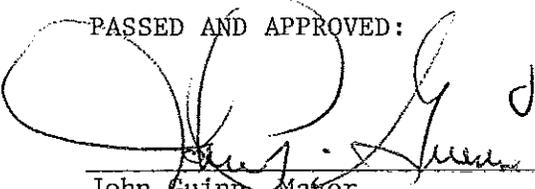
Item B. Sales & Use Tax Relief Mayor Guinn requested Council support House Bill 367, on the reimbursement of sales and use tax to municipalities within the state.

MOTION M/M Twitchell/2nd B. Hoffman to support House Bill 367. Voice vote was taken and motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT Meeting adjourned at 12:50 p.m.

PASSED AND APPROVED:

ATTEST:


John Guinn, Mayor


Elsie Jennings, City Clerk

"Deep Sea Port and Transportation Center of the Kuskokwim"

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