

RESOLUTION # 434

WHEREAS, the Coastal District Conferences have provided a valuable opportunity for the many coastal communities throughout Alaska to meet together and to exchange information and ideas; and

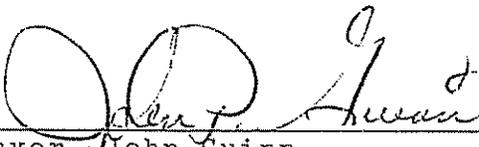
WHEREAS, there is a general recognition that future conferences involving established coastal districts and coastal communities interested in establishing new districts would provide an important forum for training and education concerning coastal issues; and

WHEREAS, an organized association of coastal communities would be an appropriate entity to sponsor future conferences among established coastal districts and coastal communities interested in establishing new districts as part of the Alaska Coastal Management Program;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Alaska Coastal Association be formed as an organization of Alaska coastal districts and coastal communities either currently involved with the ACMP or with an interest in forming a new district; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the principal function of the Association will be to ensure effective implementation of the ACMP by sponsoring educational forums, training sessions, conferences and workshops for the purpose of reviewing programatic and policy issues related to coastal management; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BETHEL, that the Department of Community and Regional Affairs and the Division of Governmental Coordination are urged to provide sufficient funding in Fiscal Year 1985 to continue the Coastal District Conferences project under the direction of a Steering Committee comprised of members of the Association.



Mayor, John Guinn

ATTEST:

for Anna Wassilie
City Clerk, Wayne Maiers