Introduced by: Lee Foley, Interim City Manager
Date: August 19, 2008
Action: Passed
Vote: 6-0

CITY OF BETHEL, ALASKA

Resolution # 08-18

APPROVAL OF FY 2009 STATE OF ALASKA DESIGNATED LEGISLATIVE GRANT FUNDING FOR ROAD REPAIRS AND UPGRADES

WHEREAS, the City of Bethel is responsible for maintaining 25 road miles in Bethel, most of which are dirt roads;

WHEREAS, the Streets and Roads Division in the City's Public Works Department contains experienced personnel, heavy equipment, materials, supplies and a shop facility with which to perform road repairs, maintenance, and upgrades;

WHEREAS, a strong need exists for a large capital investment in Bethels maintenance program, including the purchase of heavy equipment, gravel, calcium chloride, culverts, and hydroseeding supplies;

WHEREAS, the City of Bethel was awarded an FY 2009 Designated Legislative Grant in the amount of $2,500,000 for Bethel road repairs and upgrades;

WHEREAS, this legislative grant requires no cash or in-kind match from the City;

WHEREAS, the performance period of the grant is from July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2013;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Bethel City Council approves the FY 2009 State of Alaska Designated Legislative Grant in the amount of $2,500,000 for road repairs and upgrades and authorizes the City to sign grant documents related thereto.

ENACTED THIS 19th DAY OF AUGUST 2008 BY A VOTE OF 6 IN FAVOR AND 0 OPPOSED.

Eric Middlebrook, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lori Strickler, City Clerk
City of Bethel, Alaska