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Chairman of the Assembly

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Office of Management and Budget

For Reading:

December 2, 2003

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

AR NO. 2003-374

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING AN ALTERNATIVE ALLOCATION METHOD FOR THE FY04
SHARED FISHERIES BUSINESS TAX PROGRAM AND CERTIFYING THAT THIS ALLOCATION
METHOD FAIRLY REPRESENTS THE DISTRIBUTION OF SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS OF
FISHERIES BUSINESS ACTIVITY IN THE COOK INLET FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AREA

WHEREAS, AS 29.60.450 requires that for a municipality to participate in the FY 04
Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program, the municipality must demonstrate to the Department of
Community and Economic Development that the municipality suffered significant effects during
calendar year 2002 from fisheries business activities; and,

WHEREAS, 3 AAC 134.060 provides for the allocation of available program funding
to eligible municipalities located within fisheries management areas specified by the Department of
Community and Economic Development; and,

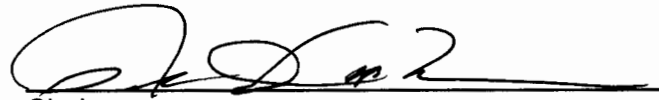
WHEREAS, 3 AAC 134.070 provides for the use, at the discretion of the
Department of Community and Economic Development, of alternative allocation methods which
may be used within fisheries management areas if all eligible municipalities within the area agree
to use the method, and the method incorporates some measure of the relative significant effect of
fisheries business activity on the respective municipalities in the area; and,

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Anchorage proposes to join all other participating
municipalities within the Cook Inlet Fisheries Management Area in an alternative allocation method
for FY04; and,

WHEREAS, such alternative allocation shall be fifty percent (50%) divided equally
and fifty percent (50%) divided on a per capita basis;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, The Anchorage Assembly by this
resolution certifies that the alternative allocation method fairly represents the distribution of
significant effects during 2002 of fisheries business activity in the Cook Inlet Fisheries
Management Area.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Assembly this 2nd day of December, 2003


Chairman

ATTEST:


Municipal Clerk



MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE

ASSEMBLY MEMORANDUM

No. AM 948-2003

Meeting Date: December 2, 2003

FROM Mayor

SUBJECT FY 04 Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program

The Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program was created by the Legislature in 1991. The purpose of this program is to provide for a sharing of state fish tax collected outside municipal boundaries with municipalities that have been affected by fishing industry activities. Municipalities around the State will share approximately \$1.36 million based on 2002 fisheries activity as reported by fish processors on their fish tax returns.

Anchorage is located in the Cook Inlet Fisheries Management Area. Other municipalities located in this area are Homer, Kenai Peninsula Borough, Kachemak, Seldovia, Seward and Soldotna. The FY 04 program total allocation to be shared within this area is approximately \$42,481.18. Anchorage's share is estimated to be \$19,883.94. The alternative allocation methodology is: 50% divided equally between all the municipalities applying and 50% divided on a per capita basis.

To participate in this program, the municipal governing body is required to approve a resolution requesting funding using the alternative allocation method.

THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF AR 2003-374 ADOPTING THE ALTERNATIVE ALLOCATION METHOD AND REQUESTING FISHERIES TAX REVENUES FOR 2004.

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Concur: Denis C. LeBlanc, Municipal Manager

Respectfully submitted: Mark Begich, Mayor

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