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Submitted by:

Chairman of the Assembly at the

Request of the Mayor

Prepared by:

Anchorage Water & Wastewater Utility

For reading: August 15, 2006

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA AR No. 2006-_208

A RESOLUTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING A STATE OF ALASKA DRINKING WATER FUND LOAN OFFER IN THE AMOUNT OF SIX HUNDRED SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$606,000) FOR FINANCING A PORTION OF THE COSTS OF THE ARCTIC BOULEVARD, 32ND TO 36TH AVENUE WATER UPGRADE PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska (the "State") has, pursuant to Alaska Statutes 46.03.032 and 18 AAC 76.005 et seq. of the Alaska Administrative Code, established the Alaska Drinking Water Fund (the 'Fund'), a fund which makes use of U.S. Government grants as authorized by the Drinking Water Act, as amended by P.L. 104-182; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Anchorage (the "Municipality") is eligible to borrow from the Fund for the purposes of planning, designing, constructing, equipping, modifying, improving and expanding public water treatment, transmission and distribution facilities; and

 WHEREAS, the Assembly of the Municipality, in its Ordinance No. AO 2006-55, determined it was necessary to proceed to plan, design, develop, construct, equip, acquire property for, or otherwise obtain items of capital improvements in connection with the Arctic Boulevard, 32nd to 36th Avenue Water Upgrade project; authorized the borrowing of an amount not to exceed \$606,000, from the Fund for the purpose of financing a portion of the cost of said Project; and authorized and directed the General Manager of the Anchorage Water & Wastewater Utility ("AWWU") to complete and submit to the State Department of Environmental Conservation ("DEC") an application to borrow money from the Fund and to negotiate with the DEC the terms of such loan; and

WHEREAS, AWWU has submitted the application for loan in connection with the **Arctic Boulevard, 32nd to 36th Avenue Water Upgrade** project;, said application for this loan has been approved, and AWWU has negotiated the terms of this loan from the Fund in the amount of \$606,000 to finance a portion of the cost of the Project; and

WHEREAS, the terms and conditions of said loan are contained in the Alaska Drinking Water Fund Loan Agreement between the Municipality and DEC, dated **July 28, 2006**; and

WHEREAS, it is hereby found to be in the best interest of the Municipality that terms of said loan offer be approved and that the Loan Agreement be executed on behalf of the Municipality.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE, as follows:

Section 1. <u>Loan Proceeds</u>: The subject loan proceeds in the amount of **Six Hundred Six Thousand Dollars (\$606,000)** are hereby accepted and appropriated.

Section 2. <u>Loan Terms</u>: The following primary terms of the loans are among those incorporated in the Loan Agreement as hereby specifically approved:

Principal Amount:

Not to exceed \$606,000 (subject to individual draws)

Interest Rate:

2.5% per annum

Interest Accrual:

Accrual of interest will begin one year after the date of

the first disbursement to the Municipality.

Term:

Twenty years from the date of initiation of operation of

the Project

Date of First Payment:

One year following substantial completion and initiation

of operation of the Project

Payment Interval:

Annual

Amortization Schedule:

Level, fully amortizing

Security:

A subordinate lien pledge of the Gross Revenues less the Operating Expenses of the System as those terms are defined in Ordinance No. AO No. 99-118(S), provided that if such monies are not sufficient, repayment of the loan shall be from any legally available funds accruing to or in the possession of the Municipality; and provided further that repayment of the loan is not a direct obligation of the Municipality and neither the faith and credit nor the taxing power of the

Municipality are pledged therefore.

Section 3. Approval and Executing of Loan Agreement: The loan offer is approved and the Mayor, with the Chief Fiscal Officer of the Municipality and the General Manager of AWWU, are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to execute and deliver the Loan Agreement for and on behalf of the Municipality, including necessary counterparts, and, from and after the executing and delivery of the Loan Agreement, the Mayor, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the Municipality and the General Manager of AWWU, are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to do all such acts and things and to execute all such documents as may be necessary to carry out and comply with the provisions of the Loan Agreement as executed.

MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE

ASSEMBLY MEMORANDUM

No. AM 557 -2006

Meeting Date: August 15, 2006

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From: Mayor

Subject:

ACCEPTANCE AND APPROPRIATION OF AN ALASKA DRINKING

WATER FUND LOAN OFFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING A PORTION OF THE COSTS OF THE

ARCTIC BOULEVARD, 32ND TO 36TH AVENUE WATER

UPGRADE PROJECT (\$606,000)

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The Municipality of Anchorage has received a formal Alaska Drinking Water Fund loan offer from the State of Alaska in the amount of \$606,000 for the purpose of financing a portion of the cost of the Arctic Boulevard, 32nd To 36th Avenue Water Upgrade project.

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This loan offer is made under the State's low-interest revolving loan program, which is attractive to the Municipality due to the low interest rate of **2.5%** and the favorable payback terms of **twenty years** from one year after project's date of initiation of operation.

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THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF THE SUBJECT ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING THIS ALASKA DRINKING WATER LOAN OFFER IN THE AMOUNT OF \$606,000 FOR FINANCING A PORTION OF THE COSTS OF THE ARCTIC BOULEVARD, 32ND TO 36TH AVENUE WATER UPGRADE PROJECT.

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27 28 Prepared by:

Mark Premo, P.E., General Manager, AWWU

Fund Certification:

Jeffrey Sinz, Chief Fiscal Officer

541 –W8000 –1071 –0000002174 –2006 -\$606,000 (Designated Loan)
Denis C. LeBlanc, Municipal Manager

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Mark Begich, Mayor

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AWWU ELECTRONIC FUND CERTIFICATION

FUND	Dept ID	Acct #
541	W8000	1071
Project ID 2174		
Loan Amount	\$606,000.00	
Date 08/02/2006 By (electronic) Sharon Weddleton, CPA, AWWU Finance Director		

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ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING A STATE OF ALASKA

DRINKING WATER FUND LOAN OFFER IN THE AMOUNT OF SIX

Title: HUNDRED SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$606,000) FOR FINANCING A PORTION OF THE COSTS OF THE ARCTIC BOULEVARD, 32ND TO

36TH AVENUE WATER UPGRADE PROJECT

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