Submitted by:

Chair of the Assembly

at the Request of the Mayor

Prepared by:

Department of Health and

Human Services

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For Reading:

August 14, 2007

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA AR NO. 2007- 186

A RESOLUTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE APPROPRIATING SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$7,500) FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES ANIMAL CONTROL DONATION ACCOUNT, MISCELLANEOUS OPERATIONAL GRANTS (261), FOR A GRANT TO THE ALASKA SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS FOR THE PROVISION OF LOW-COST FELINE SPAY/NEUTER SERVICES.

THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY RESOLVES:

Section 1. That the sum of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500) is appropriated as a grant from the Department of Health and Human Services Animal Control Donation Account to the Alaska Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) for the provision of low-cost spay/neuter services through their "Fix-a-Feline" mobile spay/neuter clinic program.

<u>Section 2.</u> This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage and approval by the Anchorage Municipal Assembly.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Assembly this /4/2 day of /hgnst , 2007

Chair

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Departmental Appropriation:

Department of Health and Human Services: \$7,500



MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE

ASSEMBLY MEMORANDUM

No. AM 484 -2007

Meeting Date: August 14, 2007

From:

Mayor

Subject:

Appropriation of a \$7,500 grant from the Animal Control Donation Account to the Alaska Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA), a non-profit

organization, for the provision of low-cost spay/neuter services.

The Department of Health and Human Services has received a request from the Alaska SPCA for an operational grant to partially fund their low-cost spay/neuter program for cats, "Fix-a-Feline."

In 1998, the Administration established an animal control donation account as a restricted contributions account. Assembly approval is required for all expenditures from this account. Over the years, the Animal Care and Control Center has received and deposited to this account numerous generous public donations intended to benefit animals in the community.

The Alaska SPCA is an independent local 501(c)3 non-profit organization. It proposes using the Municipal grant funding to operate its mobile spay/neuter clinic to continue its mission of providing low-cost surgical feline sterilization services to cat owners throughout the Municipality of Anchorage. Since the SPCA's founding, they have sterilized approximately 97,000 cats (over 7,000 through their mobile clinic van). These services are directly supportive of the efforts of the Animal Care and Control Center to help control the population of unwanted animals.

The Animal Control Advisory Board recommends approval of the grant (ACAB Resolution 2007-2).

The following budget is submitted.

 MISCELLANEOUS OPERATIONAL GRANTS (261)

ACCOUNT NUMBER	ACCOUNT NAME	<u>AMOUNT</u>
261-2251G-9609-225100	Restricted Contributions	<u>\$7,500</u>
	Total	\$7,500

EXPENDITURES:

REVENUES:

ACCOUNT NUMBER	ACCOUNT NAME	<u>AMOUNT</u>
261-2251G-3815-225100	Contributions to Outside Organizations	<u>\$7,500</u>
	Total	\$7,500

RECOMMENDATION: THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS THE ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION BE APPROVED APPROPRIATING FUNDS FROM THE ANIMAL CONTROL DONATION ACCOUNT. Prepared by: Beverly K. Wooley, Director, Department of Health and Human Services Fund Certification: Jeffrey E. Sinz, Chief Fiscal Officer 261-2251G-9609-225100-BP 1998 \$7,500 (Miscellaneous Operational Grants, Animal Control Donation Account) Concur: Denis C. LeBlanc, Municipal Manager Respectfully submitted: Mark Begich, Mayor



MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE ANIMAL CONTROL ADVISORY BOARD RESOLUTION 2007-02

A RESOLUTION OF THE ANIMAL CONTROL ADVISORY BOARD RECOMMENDING THE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATE FUNDS FROM THE ANIMAL CARE AND CONTROL DONATION ACCOUNT FOR THE LOW COST SPAY/NEUTER FIX A FELINE PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the Animal Control Advisory Board is charged with advising the Mayor and Assembly on matters relating to animals in the Municipality; and

WHEREAS, the Animal Control Advisory Board supports spay and neuter programs that help reduce the number of unwanted animals; and

WHEREAS, Anchorage Animal Care and Control euthanized almost three times more cats than dogs in 2006 and programs focused on reducing the number of unwanted and euthanized cats are needed; and

WHEREAS, the SPCA requested seed money from the Municipality to initiate the Fix A Feline program in which the SPCA will take a mobile spay/neuter clinic throughout the community to provide low cost spaying and neutering of cats; and

WHEREAS, the SPCA will provide the capital required for the program including the mobile clinic at a cost of \$108,127 as well as provide all services at their cost; and

WHEREAS, the Fix A Feline Program supports the mission of Animal Care and Control Center and its Strategic Plan by promoting animal welfare and reducing the number of cats entering the Center as well as the number of cats euthanized; and

WHEREAS, a Municipal Animal Care and Control donation account was established by the Municipality as a restricted account requiring Assembly approval to spend the funds; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the donation account were generously given by the public to help animals in our community and the Fix A Feline Program is aimed at accomplishing that goal.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE ANIMAL CONTROL ADVISORY BOARD RESOLVES THAT: It is recommended that the Municipal Assembly appropriate \$7,500 from the Municipal Animal Care and Control donation account for the SPCA Fix A Feline Program.

Passed and approved by the Animal Control Advisory Board this 26th day of July 2007.

Neil Koeniger, Chair

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A Resolution Appropriating \$7,500 from the Health And Human Title: Services Animal Control Donation Account, Miscellaneous Operational Grants (261), for a Grant to the Alaska SPCA for the

Provision of Low-Cost Feline Spay/Neuter Services

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Author: schoedelrc

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A Resolution Appropriating \$7,500 from the Health And Human

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Provision of Low-Cost Feline Spay/Neuter Services.

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