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David Bronson, Mayor

*GIRDWOOD VALLEY SERVICE AREA BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Mike Edgington and Briana Sullivan, Co-Chairs
Jennifer Wingard, Amanda Sassi, Guy Wade*

Resolution 2023-05

Of the Girdwood Board of Supervisors

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF GIRDWOOD VALLEY SERVICE AREA (GVSA) PARKS AND RECREATION/GIRDWOOD TURNAGAIN ARM LIONS CLUB APPLICATION FOR A KENAI MOUNTAINS-TURNAGAIN ARM HERITAGE AREA (KMTA) GRANT

WHEREAS, the Girdwood Turnagain Arm Lions Club has been an active community service group in Girdwood for over 25 years, facilitating managing and participating in a variety of projects including school end of year celebrations, Girdwood Volunteer Fire Department community events, Lions Club eyeglass recycling program, Girdwood Clean Up, the annual HumpyFest event, local scholarships for high school graduates, vision screening for school age kids and many other events within the community; and

WHEREAS, GBOS Resolution 2015-06: Support of Dedication of the Girdwood Lions Park led to formal dedication by the Municipality of Anchorage; and

WHEREAS, Girdwood Turnagain Arm Lions Club has expressed interest for many years in improving the park by adding a picnic pavilion meeting accessibility requirements in order to provide a comfortable shelter for community members to enjoy; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Mountains-Turnagain Arm Heritage Area grant creates an opportunity to match GVSA and Girdwood Turnagain Arm Lions Club funds by promoting local participation in this park improvement; and

WHEREAS, the Girdwood Turnagain Arm Lions Club is committed to assisting with meeting the 1:1 grant match requirements through fundraising efforts and in-kind donations; and

WHEREAS, the Girdwood Board of Supervisors (GBOS) appreciates the commitment and longstanding relationship with KMTA and pursuit of our shared goals in community and youth involvement to increase public awareness and appreciation for the natural, historical and cultural resources in the Heritage Area.

THEREFORE, the Girdwood Board of Supervisors supports the GVSA and Girdwood Turnagain Arm Lions Club application for the Kenai Mountains-Turnagain Arm Heritage Area grant and commits to financial contribution to matching the grant through GVSA Parks and Recreation capital savings account.

Passed and approved by a vote of 5 in favor and 0 opposed this 20th day of February, 2023.

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Briana Sullivan, GBOS Parks and Rec Supervisor

February 20, 2023
DATE

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Margaret Tyler".

Attest