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DENALI BOROUGH, ALASKA RESOLUTION NO. 22-07

A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT A GRANT APPLICATION WITH THE NATIVE VILLAGE OF CANTWELL FOR BIKE PATHS THROUGH THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the 2018 Denali Borough Land Use and Economic Development Plan (“the Plan”) states a Transportation Goal to “explore opportunities to build bike and pedestrian infrastructure along highways and major roads”; and

WHEREAS, the Plan identifies specific community priorities that includes the main intersection at Parks Highway Mile 210 and northbound and southbound lanes from Cantwell; and

WHEREAS, The Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities has identified this project in the Cantwell to Healy Planning & Environmental Linkages (PEL) Study; and

WHEREAS, Alaska’s Economic Development Strategy, “Northern Opportunity,” identifies a goal to “improve the attractiveness and livability of Alaska communities to attract and to retain a quality workforce and to set the foundations for economic well-being”; and

WHEREAS, the Economic Development Administration under the American Rescue Plan Act has funding opportunities available to assist communities in their efforts to build back better by accelerating the economic recovery from the coronavirus pandemic and building local economies that will be resilient to future economic shocks; and

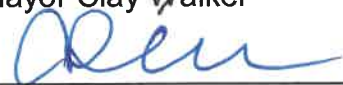
WHEREAS, the Denali Borough commits to working with the Native Village of Cantwell and potential partners to identify both cash and in-kind sources for the 20% match contribution; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Denali Borough Assembly supports a grant application for the Native Village of Cantwell to establish bike paths, which supports growth and positive change in our community.

PASSED and APPROVED by the DENALI BOROUGH ASSEMBLY this 12th day of January, 2022.



Mayor Clay Walker

ATTEST: 

Amber Renshaw, Borough Clerk

VOTE: UNANIMOUS

