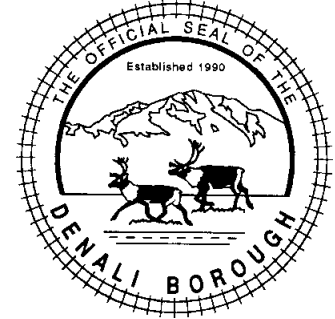


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DENALI BOROUGH, ALASKA RESOLUTION NO. 23-18

A RESOLUTION BY THE DENALI BOROUGH ASSEMBLY ACCEPTING ZERO LANDFILL INITIATIVE FUNDS TO BE USED TO SUPPORT DENALI BOROUGH RECYCLING PROGRAMS

WHEREAS, beginning in 2015, Subaru of America, Inc., the National Parks Conservation Association, and National Park Foundation partnered to help three iconic National Parks, including Denali National Park, reduce waste stream volume and increase diversion rates away from the local landfills; and

WHEREAS, in Denali, the Zero Landfill Initiative (ZLI) engaged local youths in waste reduction efforts through the Zero Landfill Ambassador Program; and

WHEREAS, the ZLI Board of Directors comprised of representatives from the Denali Borough, National Park Service, local businesses large and small, and interested community members, has served as a valuable forum to share innovations, build partnerships, and work together to reduce the waste stream and increase diversion; and

WHEREAS, ZLI funds helped to stand up a new recycling program at the Denali Borough Transfer Stations, utilizing trailers which are hauled to a Palmer recycling facility; and

WHEREAS, the Denali Education Center has helped to manage the funds and create strong community connections and benefits; and

WHEREAS, as the Zero Landfill Initiative concludes, Denali Education Center has requested to transfer the remaining funds identified to support community recycling program (about \$13,000) to the Denali Borough so that the borough can continue to run the recycling program at our transfer stations.


THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Denali Borough Assembly appreciates the community-minded approach employed by the Denali ZLI team and thanks the Denali Education Center for playing an important role.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Denali Borough Assembly accepts the donated transference of ZLI funds and commits to use them to continue the transfer station recycling program so long as funding exists.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Denali Borough Assembly this 10th day of May, 2023.



MAYOR CLAY WALKER

ATTEST: 

AMBER RENSHAW, BOROUGH CLERK

VOTE: UNANIMOUS

