CITY OF DILLINGHAM, ALASKA

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-38

A RESOLUTION OF THE DILLINGHAM CITY COUNCIL WAIVING THE PURCHASE REQUIREMENTS AND ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS TO UPGRADE THE IT SYSTEM

WHEREAS, the existing City computer Operating System (Windows 7) is outdated and will no longer be supported by the manufacturer after January 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City's computers and servers have reached the end of their life; and

WHEREAS, the City has contracted with Alaska Communications for professional services on a continuing basis for several years for IT support; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the public interest would be best served to update the IT infrastructure, and efficient operations and, to maintain proper security; and

WHEREAS, Alaska Communications knows the City's equipment needs and has the specialized knowledge and judgement to purchase and install a new IT system; and

WHEREAS, Procurement policy exemptions are specified in Dillingham Municipal Code (DMC) 4.30.130 Exemptions A. 6. To professional services retained on a continuing as opposed to a project basis, i.e., accounting, appraisal, legal and civil engineering services; and B. 4. The services are of a professional nature requiring specialized knowledge and judgment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dillingham City Council waives the purchasing restrictions as stated above;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Dillingham City Council authorizes the City Manager to execute a contract with Alaska Communications for \$91,078 for installation of a new IT system;

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Dillingham City Council on November 7, 2019.

Alice Ruby, Mayor

Lori Goodell, City Clerk

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