

CITY OF DILLINGHAM, ALASKA

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-03

A RESOLUTION OF THE DILLINGHAM CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO WAIVE THE ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS TO AWARD THE PURCHASE A SEPTIC PUMPER TRUCK FOR THE EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN FOR THE SNAG POINT SEWER LINE

WHEREAS, Bristol Environmental and Engineering Services Corporation has provided the City of Dillingham an engineered contingency plan and cost estimate to manage an emergency caused by the freeze up or break in the fragile Snag Point Sewer Line; and

WHEREAS, the Contingency Plan or Emergency Response Plan for the Sewage Line Response and Relocation calls for an immediate response should there be a break in the line that would require two (2) septic pumper trucks to pump the Main Street lift station, a twenty-four hour watch, until a temporary line could be relocated above the existing bulkhead; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dillingham Public Works Department has located one pumper truck that could be leased from a local contractor; and

WHEREAS, the City does not own its own septic pumper truck, but one is listed in the FY 2011 Five Year Capital Equipment Replacement Schedule as a needs item; and

WHEREAS, the Dillingham City Council recognizes the danger to the environment, economy, and the people of the Bristol Bay region presented by the very serious threat of a mid-winter spill of raw sewage into Nushagak Bay; and

WHEREAS, funding for a septic pumper truck could be made possible from an existing BBEDC Community Block Grant contingent upon approval of a reassignment of funds to this item;

WHEREAS, Dillingham Municipal Code (DMC) 4.30.130, Exemptions, Section B., allows exemptions to the purchasing restrictions if the City Council determines that the public interest would be best served by waiving the procedures, and that such determination must be made in the form of a resolution adopted prior to the proposed action; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of a septic pumper truck at this time would be considered an emergency need;

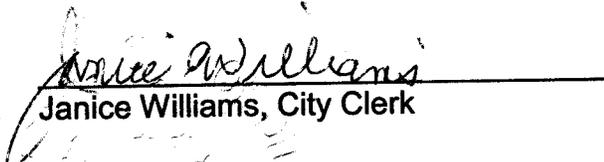
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council authorizes the City Manager to waive the advertising requirements and proceed with the purchase of a septic pumper truck.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Dillingham City Council on January 6, 2011.

SEAL:


Alice Ruby, Mayor

ATTEST:


Janice Williams, City Clerk

