

CITY OF DILLINGHAM, ALASKA

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-11

A RESOLUTION OF THE DILLINGHAM CITY COUNCIL APPROVING A TEMPORARY CONTRACT WITH THE DILLINGHAM CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ASSIST WITH A SENIOR CITIZEN LUNCH PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Dillingham Senior Center building experienced devastating water damages on January 1, 2011, caused by a broken overhead pipe that was part of the fire suppression system; and

WHEREAS, the damages were such that the building was closed to the public and an onsite visit to inspect and assess the damages was made by the City's insurance company (AMLJIA) and a private contractor experienced in this type of work; and

WHEREAS, the initial assessment is it may take at least several months to make the necessary repairs; and

WHEREAS, the Senior Center meal program was suspended while Senior Center staff worked with the contractor and the City's insurance company to inventory the building and move supplies; and

WHEREAS, Senior Center staff has also been working to find another viable option to provide healthy hot meals and reasonable accommodations for the senior citizens; and

WHEREAS, the kitchen staff at Kanakanak Hospital have offered to feed the program members who are in real need; and

WHEREAS, the Dillingham City School District Elementary School was contacted to see if they would be open to including senior citizens in its weekday lunch program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dillingham Senior Center and the Dillingham City School District have reached a mutually acceptable arrangement that would involve entering into a contract to participate in the elementary school's lunch program; and

WHEREAS, including the seniors in the School's lunch program would be a wonderful opportunity for interaction between seniors and children;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dillingham City Council authorizes the City Manager to enter into a temporary contract with the Dillingham City School District for a hot lunch program at \$5.50 per meal per participant until the Senior Center can resume its regular lunch program after the building repairs are complete.

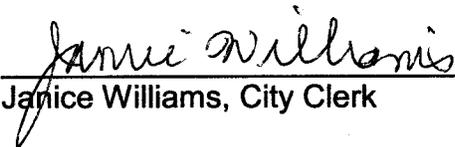
PASSED and ADOPTED by the Dillingham City Council on January 18, 2011.

SEAL:



Alice Ruby, Mayor

ATTEST:



Janice Williams, City Clerk