

CITY OF DILLINGHAM, ALASKA

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-20

**A RESOLUTION OF THE DILLINGHAM CITY COUNCIL THANKING RENATA HOSKINS AND THE DEDICATED VOLUNTEERS OF ALASKA DOG AND PUPPY RESCUE, WASILLA, ALASKA FOR INCLUDING DILLINGHAM AND OTHER OUTLYING AREAS IN ITS ANIMAL RESCUE EFFORTS**

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WHEREAS, the City of Dillingham may from time-to-time find itself in the position of not having enough good homes available to adopt its homeless pets; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dillingham has been networking with Renata Hoskins of Alaska Dog and Puppy Rescue based in Wasilla, Alaska; and

WHEREAS, ADPR has rescued over twenty (20) of the City's homeless animals in the past year;

WHEREAS, the Alaska Dog & Puppy Rescue (ADPR) was originally formed as a rescue organization to help meet the needs of the Mat-Su Valley and its pet overpopulation problem; and

WHEREAS, ADPR also works in concert with village rescue groups and air freight companies saving numerous dogs in the Bush and other outlying areas including Dillingham; and

WHEREAS, the all-volunteer organization consisting of hundreds of dedicated and compassionate volunteers has since 2003 rescued and placed nearly 1,000 dogs a year; and

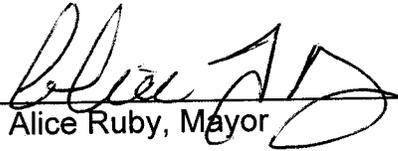
WHEREAS, all of the animals are spayed or neutered, current on vaccinations, micro chipped and kept in foster care until the right forever home is found for them; and

WHEREAS, ADPR continues to rescue, advocate and educate the public on responsible pet ownership and the importance of spaying and neutering; and

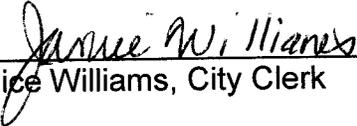
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Dillingham wishes to express its sincere thanks and gratitude to Renata Hoskins and the other volunteers at Alaska Dog and Puppy Rescue for assisting the Dillingham Animal Control services with animal rescue and making it possible to place many homeless pets in good homes.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Dillingham City Council on March 3, 2011.

SEAL:

  
Alice Ruby, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Janice Williams, City Clerk

