

CITY OF DILLINGHAM, ALASKA

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-35

A RESOLUTION OF THE DILLINGHAM CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO WAIVE THE ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND ACCEPT COMPETITIVE QUOTES FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF THE CITY'S ACCOUNTING SOFTWARE

WHEREAS, the City purchased their current finance accounting software in the early 90's with minor upgrades over the years; and

WHEREAS, the efficiency of the Finance Department is compromised by the lack of adequate accounting software to accomplish the many tasks required of it; and

WHEREAS, the Finance staff researched for a product that could process utility bills, business licenses, and property taxes in addition to the standard accounting tasks including payroll, accounts receivables and payables, general ledger and financial statements; and

WHEREAS, a product of this nature has a limited and specialized market;

WHEREAS, Dillingham Municipal Code (DMC) 4.30.130 B allows waiver of purchasing restrictions if the City Council determines the public interest would best be served by doing so in a resolution prior to the proposed action; and

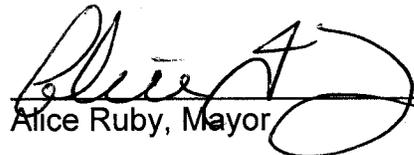
WHEREAS, the waiver is based on the services are of a professional nature requiring specialized knowledge and judgment;

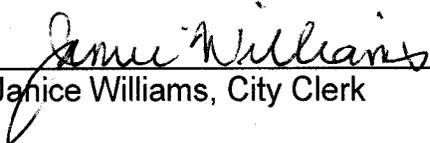
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council authorizes the City Manager to waive the advertising requirements for the procurement of a new finance accounting software package.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Dillingham City Council on May 5, 2011.

SEAL:

ATTEST:


Alice Ruby, Mayor


Janice Williams, City Clerk