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RESOLUTION NO. WR92-17

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF WASILLA, ALASKA SUPPORTING THE CONTINUED OPERATION OF THE BIG LAKE FISH HATCHERY LOCATED AT BIG LAKE, ALASKA.

WHEREAS, the Big Lake Hatchery is a major contributor to the commerce, economic development and education within the Matanuska-Susitna Borough; and

WHEREAS, the Big Lake Hatchery has a major impact on both the commercial and sports fishing harvest within the Matanuska-Susitna Borough; and

WHEREAS, the Big Lake Hatchery is responsible for the supply of fish that allows for the popular dip net fishery at Fish Creek and is responsible for the potential increase of fish within local lakes and streams; and

WHEREAS, the Big Lake Hatchery plays an important role in the education of local children with field trips and information; and

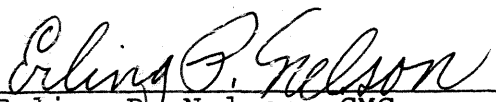
WHEREAS, the closing of the Big Lake Hatchery will have a major impact on the economic development within the area due to the loss of three permanent positions, loss of a major tourist attraction and the loss of additional stocks of fish to support fishing within the Matanuska-Susitna Borough.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Wasilla City Council requests that the operations of the Big Lake Fish Hatchery be continued in order to provide for the stocking of fish in local lakes and streams and the economic development of the area.


I certify that a resolution in substantially the above form was passed by a majority of those voting at a duly called and conducted meeting of the governing body of the City of Wasilla this 13th day of April, 1992.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:



Erling P. Nelson, CMC
City Clerk



John C. Stein, Mayor

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