Requested by: WPRC Prepared by: Commission Clerk

WASILLA PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 98-03

A RESOLUTION OF THE WASILLA PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION RECOMMENDING THAT THE CITY OF WASILLA PURSUE ACQUSITION OF PARKS POWERS FROM THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH OVER PARKS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS

WHEREAS, the City of Wasilla is investing in the development and maintenance of parks within it's boundaries and wishes to protect it's financial investments and continuing projects, i.e., iditapark and Bumpus Balifields; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wasilla provides recreational services and activities for it's residents; and

WHEREAS, the parks in the City of Wasilla will continue to be open to all residents of the borough; and

WHEREAS, Lake Lucille Park, which is operated by the borough although it is within city limits, is an asset to tourism efforts and has the potential to be developed to generate income for the city; and

WHEREAS, it is reasonable and desirable for the city to have the control of parks within it's limits; and

WHEREAS, parks increase community pride, property values and the overall quality of life.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Wasilia Parks and Recreation Commission recommends that the City of Wasilia pursue acquisition of parks powers from the Matanuska-Susitna Borough over the following parks within the city limits:

- 1. Iditapark
- 2. Leo M. Nunley Park
- 3. Wasilla Lake/Newcomb Park
- 4. Carter Park

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- 5. Bumpus Recreational Area
- 6. Ravenswood Subdivision Park, Block 2
- 7. Catherine Subdivision Park, Lot 2, Block 2
- 8. Fritzler/Ressler Little League Fields
- 9. Richmond View Subdivision Lot 1, Block 1
- 10. Rotary Wayside
- 11. Wasilla Estates, Block 6, Lot 24
- 12. Lake Lucille Park

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 advisory board of the City of Wasilla this 11th day of June, 1998.

ATTEST:

Wendy Zorer, Commission Clerk

Denise Loyer, Chairperson

Wasilla Parks & Recreation

Commission