Bv:

Public Hearing:

Adopted:

Public Works

06/11/14

WASILLA PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 14-01

A RESOLUTION OF THE WASILLA PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION SUPPORTING AN AMENDMENT TO THE 1999 TRAILS PLANS REMOVING FROM THE PURPOSE AND ANY REFERENCE TO ACCEPTABLE MOTORIZED USES OF

TRAILS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF WASILLA.

WHEREAS, the 1999 Trails Plan was adopted by the City with the goal of having

both motorized and non-motorized uses allowed within the City's trail system; and

WHEREAS, motorized uses were designated in 1999 Trails Plan within specific

corridors such as along Lucile Street, Knik-Goose Bay Road and the Parks Highway

with restricted use in the remainder of the City; and

WHEREAS, 15 years after the 1999 Trails Plan was adopted, motorized uses

have become a safety hazard throughout the City to both vehicles and pedestrians;

using a significant amount of resources from the Police Department to maintain

enforcement and a safe environment; and

WHEREAS, the designated corridors such as Lucile Street, Knik Goose-Bay

Road and the Parks Highway are heavy congested with traffic and development of

commercial and residential properties continue to grow along these corridors.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Wasilla Parks and Recreation

Commission hereby supports amending the 1999 Trails Plan to remove from the

purpose and any reference to acceptable motorized uses of trials within the City of

Wasilla.

City of Wasilla

ADOPTED by the Wasilla Parks and Recreation Commission on June 11, 2014.

APPROVED:

Chairman

ATTEST:

VOTE: