NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH RESOLUTION 22-09

A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPROVING AN ASSEMBLY DONATION UNDER THE FY22 BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF KOTZEBUE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS: on an annual basis the Borough receives donation requests from a variety of community and regional organizations, and the Assembly has often appropriated funds to meet certain donation requests; and

WHEREAS: under the Borough's FY22 Budget adopted by Ordinance 21-05, the Borough Assembly budgeted \$500,000 for FY22 donations through Account # 01-01-7050; and

WHEREAS: the Borough's Donation Policy requires organizations to submit requests for donations to receive funding under the FY22 budget; and

WHEREAS: the Borough has annually supported the City of Kotzebue Fire Department, which provides emergency services in Kotzebue that benefit the entire region; and

WHEREAS: after reviewing the City of Kotzebue Fire Department's request for a donation to help fund its FY22 programs, the Borough has determined that this donation will further a public purpose and facilitate services within the Borough that the Borough cannot otherwise provide.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: the Northwest Arctic Borough Assembly hereby approves an FY22 Assembly donation to the City of Kotzebue in the amount of \$150,000.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 22nd DAY OF MARCH, 2022.

Nathan Hadley Jr., Assembly President

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 22nd DAY OF MARCH, 2022.

SIGNED AND ATTESTED TO THIS 22nd DAY OF MARCH, 2022.

Helena Hildreth, Borough Clerk ATTEST:

Organizations 2022 operating budget:

\$1,493,891



Identification of other sources of contributions:

Aside from the City of Kotzebue, Maniilaq is the largest contributor to the success and quality of KFD, NANA has contributed historically, the Kotzebue volunteers have received monetary support through fundraisers and community events, and the NWAB has supported the Kotzebue Fire Dept. through this contribution.

Evidence of Qualifying Status:

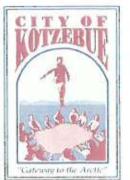
The NWAB has contributed this amount in this manner to the Kotzebue Fire Department in prior years.

Kotzebue City Manager

Date

Kotzebue Fire Chief

Date



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Organization Contribution Request

Requesting organization: Kotzebue Fire Department (City of Kotzebue)

Amount requesting: \$150,000

Purpose:

To aid in Kotzebue Fire Department's mission to provide high quality emergency services to borough residents.

Brief Description:

Kotzebue Fire Department is a mixed professional/volunteer fire department that provides emergency services in the Kotzebue area. These services include emergency medicine, fire suppression, hazardous materials mitigation, ice rescue, water rescue, dive rescue/recovery, as well as other public assist services. The NWAB's contribution will allow Kotzebue Fire Department to continue to provide these services to residents of the Borough through adequate training, equipment, and staffing, and to do so with a high level of efficacy and professionalism. KFD receives over 1,000 calls for service annually, over 99% of these are serving Borough residents directly, a large portion serving individuals from the Borough's villages outside of Kotzebue.