

**NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 19-16**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH
ASSEMBLY APPROVING VILLAGE IMPROVEMENT FUND
APPLICATIONS FROM DEERING, SELAWIK, SHUNGNAK, AND
KOTZEBUE.**

WHEREAS: The Northwest Arctic Borough established the Borough Village Improvement Commission under Section 11.08.010 of the Borough Code to identify and recommend village service and capital improvement needs, plan and implement capital improvement and public service programs, and oversee investment of the Borough's Village Improvement Fund; and

WHEREAS: under Section 11.08.020 of the Borough Code, the Village Improvement Commission is responsible for advising the Borough Administration with respect to working with village residents, Borough communities, and village utilities to identify projects and programs for recommended funding; and

WHEREAS: upon recommendation of the Village Improvement Commission, the Assembly and Administration wish to consider the applications recommended for final approval; and

WHEREAS: on April 12, 2019, the Village Improvement Commission passed Commission Resolution 19-04, approving and recommending \$166,048.57 to purchase and install on-demand Toyotomi water heaters for each house in Deering; and

WHEREAS: on April 12, 2019, the Village Improvement Commission passed Commission Resolution 19-05, approving and recommending \$1,000,000 to repair and improve water and sewer systems for homes throughout the community of Selawik; and

WHEREAS: on April 12, 2019, the Village Improvement Commission passed Commission Resolution 19-06, approving and recommending \$70,829.18 to purchase and ship a Loader Rock Bucket to the community of Shungnak; and

WHEREAS: on April 12, 2019, the Village Improvement Commission passed Commission Resolution 19-09, approving and recommending \$3,370,000 for phase one of a two-phase project – phase one is to cleanup and remove scrap equipment, waste materials, dead cars, and other debris from a KIC-owned lot to facilitate a larger Kotzebue cleanup project totaling \$5,200,000; and

WHEREAS: on April 12, 2019, the Village Improvement Commission passed Commission Resolution 19-12, approving and recommending \$378,872 to continue Selawik's wellness program for two years.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: the Borough accepts the recommendations of the Village Improvement Commission and approves the following applications for VIF funding:

- ❖ \$166,048.57 to purchase and install on-demand water heaters for each house in Deering;
- ❖ \$1,000,000 to repair and improve water and sewer systems for homes throughout Selawik; and
- ❖ \$70,829.18 to purchase and ship a Loader Rock Bucket to of Shungnak; and
- ❖ \$378,872 to continue Selawik's wellness program for two years.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 23rd DAY OF APRIL 2019.



Nathan Hadley, Jr., Assembly President

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 23rd DAY OF APRIL 2019.



Lucy S. Nelson, Mayor

SIGNED AND ATTESTED TO THIS 23rd DAY OF APRIL 2019.



Stella Atoruk, Borough Clerk

ATTEST:

