NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH ASSEMBLY
RESOLUTION 22-62

A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPROVING A VILLAGE IMPROVEMENT FUND APPLICATION FROM THE NOORVIK NATIVE COMMUNITY TO FUND ADDITIONAL PRICING AND SHIPPING FOR PREVIOUSLY-PURCHASED HEAVY EQUIPMENT, AND RELATED PURPOSES.

WHEREAS: under Section 11.08.010 of the Borough Code, the Borough Village Improvement Commission was established to identify 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 (VIF); and

WHEREAS: under Section 11.08.020 of the Borough Code, the 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: on October 5, 2022, the Village Improvement Commission passed Commission Resolution 22-14, approving and recommending the Noorvik Native Community (NNC)’s VIF application in the amount of $295,674.93 for final approval by the Northwest Arctic Borough Assembly; and

WHEREAS: the Noorvik Native Community (NNC) submitted a VIF application to fund cost increases for previously-purchased heavy equipment and related shipping; and

WHEREAS: VIF funds were previously awarded for a water tanker, truck, excavator, and grader but due to delay, inflation, and the high cost of shipping, the overall project cost has increased; and

WHEREAS: the equipment will be used for a variety of community projects; and

WHEREAS: the proposed use of funds meets the VIF eligibility requirements and will benefit the community; and

WHEREAS: the Assembly wishes to approve the VIF application.
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH ASSEMBLY: the Noorvik Native Community’s VIF application in the amount of $295,674.93 to fund the cost increases for heavy equipment and shipping is approved.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 25th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2022.

Nathan Hadley, Jr., Assembly President

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 25th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2022.

Dickie Moto, Sr., Mayor

SIGNED AND ATTESTED TO THIS 25th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2022.

Helena Hildreth, Borough Clerk

ATTEST: