NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 16-22

A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPROVING A CIAP-GRANT FUNDED SOLAR ARRAY PROJECT AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

WHEREAS: the Borough received a multi-year Coastal Impact Assistance Program (CIAP) energy conservation grant that in part, provided the Borough funding to purchase and install Solar-PV array panels in selected Borough communities; and

WHEREAS: the Solar-PV array project is nearly complete and the Borough wishes to install a larger utility-size solar array of approximately 30Kw in Noorvik to offset Diesel Fuel using remaining grant funds not to exceed \$200,000; and

WHEREAS: the proposed array will save the utility in Noorvik approximately 2,300 gallons of fuel per year at a value of \$8,000-\$10,000 per year; and

WHEREAS: the array would be under the ownership of AVEC as long as it operates as the utility for the community; and

WHEREAS: the Borough has issued an RFP to select a contractor to provide and install the solar array.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: the Northwest Arctic Borough Assembly approves the solar array project through reallocation of CIAP energy conservation funds and approves the Borough's procurement and execution of a contract not to exceed \$200,000 with remaining CIAP grant funds to complete the solar array project, and authorizes the Mayor to execute any necessary documents required to complete the project.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 24th DAY OF MAY 2016.

Carl Weisner, Assembly President

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 24th DAY OF MAY 2016.

Clement Richards, Sr., Mayor

SIGNED AND ATTESTED TO THIS 24th DAY OF MAY 2016.

Stella Atoruk, Borough Clerk

ATTEST: