## CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2017-24**

## A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA SUPPORTING SITKA MARITIME HERITAGE SOCIETY'S APPLICATION UNDER THE FY18 HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND GRANT PROGRAM FOR CERTIFIED LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

- WHEREAS, Sitka Maritime Heritage Society is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to preserving our region's rich maritime history and promoting knowledge of maritime heritage and skills; and
- WHEREAS, the Japonski Island Boathouse is owned by the City and Borough of Sitka and leased by Sitka Maritime Heritage Society for the purpose of rehabilitating the structure into a working maritime heritage center; and
- WHEREAS, the Japonski Island Boathouse is a contributing structure to the Sitka Naval Operating Base and U.S. Army Coastal Defenses National Historic Landmark; and
- WHEREAS, Sitka Maritime Heritage Society's goal through this grant application is to continue the rehabilitation of the Japonski Island Boathouse with walls, roof, and ramp for an accessible entry and toilet addition; and
- WHEREAS, Sitka Maritime Heritage Society proposes to contribute \$16,667 of its own resources to the project while requesting \$25,000 from the Historic Preservation Fund for Certified Local Governments.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Assembly of the City and Borough of Sitka hereby supports the FY18 application of the Sitka Maritime Heritage Society for a \$25,000 grant through the Historic Preservation Fund Grant program for Certified Local Governments.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED** by the Assembly of the City and Borough of Sitka, Alaska this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2017.

Matthew Hunter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sara Peterson, CMC Municipal Clerk

1st and final reading 10/24/17