CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-01

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA SUPPORTING HOUSE BILL (HB) 201: AN ACT CHANGING THE RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR HUNTING, TRAPPING, AND SPORT FISHING PRIVILEGES

WHEREAS, HB 201 aligns requirements for an individual to receive a resident hunting, trapping, or sport fishing license with the requirement to receive a Permanent Fund Dividend (AS 43.23); and

WHEREAS, passage of HB 201 will limit the amount of time and reasons one can be absent from the state and still qualify for a resident license while at the same time making residency requirements easier to enforce; and

WHEREAS, HB 201 ensures that Alaskans who qualify for a resident hunting, trapping, or sportfishing license are in fact year-round residents of Alaska who deserve the increased bag limits and reduced costs that are the privilege of state residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Assembly of the City and Borough of Sitka supports the passage of House Bill 201 by the Alaska State Legislature.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the Assembly of the City and Borough of Sitka, Alaska on this 9th day of January, 2024.

Kevin Mosher, Deputy Mayor

ATTEST:

Sara Peterson, MMC Municipal Clerk

1st and final reading: 1/9/24

Sponsor: Administrator