

CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA

RESOLUTION 2011-24

**A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA SUPPORTING
SITKA SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVAL'S APPLICATION UNDER THE FY2012 HISTORIC
PRESERVATION FUND GRANT PROGRAM FOR CERTIFIED LOCAL GOVERNMENTS**

WHEREAS, Sitka Summer Music Festival is an Alaska 501(c)3 non-profit corporation committed to provide world class chamber music; and

WHEREAS, Sitka Summer Music Festival was organized in 1972 in Sitka; and

WHEREAS, Sitka Summer Music Festival uses private contributions, corporate donors, state and federal grants to support employment of one and a half staff in Sitka; and

WHEREAS, Sitka Summer Music Festival's goal for Stevenson Hall is to transform it into an Alaska year-round center for classical music education and innovation; and

WHEREAS, Sitka Summer Music Festival's goal for the Stevenson Hall will provide retreat space and serve as a residency program for classical music ensembles from around the world when not housing festival staff and artists during concert seasons; and

WHEREAS, Sitka Summer Music Festival plans to have month-long residencies that will be underwritten by Festival supporters, giving resident groups an opportunity to work on their own material, while performing for the community and working with local youth and musicians; and

WHEREAS, the City and Borough of Sitka provided financial support through its General Fund Grants for non-profit organizations; and


WHEREAS, Sitka Summer Music Festival objectives are to provide chamber music performances and education.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Assembly of the City and Borough of Sitka, Alaska hereby supports the FY2012 application of the Sitka Summer Music Festival for a \$21,832.50 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, on this 25th day of October, 2011.


Cheryl Westover, Mayor

ATTEST:


Colleen Ingman, MMC
Municipal Clerk