CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-24

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION TO THE EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) PROGRAM FOR A PASS-THROUGH GRANT WITH THE STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES GRANTS OFFICE

- WHEREAS, the Justice Assistance Grant program is an important source of revenue that has funded a Sitka Police Officer dedicated to addressing the manufacture, transportation, and sale of illegal drugs in Sitka and Southeast Alaska; and
- WHEREAS, the City and Borough of Sitka Police Department seeks to again obtain financial assistance to fund the personnel costs of a Sitka Police Officer position to participate in the High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area program (HIDTA) and the Southeast Alaska Cities Against Drugs task force (SEACAD); and
- WHEREAS, with this application, the JAG program will provide full funding for the personnel costs of a Sitka Police Officer to enforce laws related to the illegal manufacturing, distribution, and use of illegal drugs in Sitka.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Assembly of the City and Borough of Sitka that the Administrator is authorized to apply for and execute the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program pass-through grant with the State of Alaska Department of Public Safety Division of Administrative Services Grants Office.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the Assembly of the City and Borough of Sitka, Alaska on this 13th day of September, 2022.

Kevin Knox, Deputy Mayor

ATTEST:

Sara Peterson, MMC Municipal Clerk

1st and final reading: 9/13/2022

Sponsor: Administrator