

City and Borough of Sitka

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MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor Paxton and Assembly Members

From: Keith Brady, Municipal Administrator

Date: 4-17-19

Subject: Approval of a resolution for the FS to apply for a FLAP grant for the reconstruction of

Harbor Mountain/Gavan Hill Trail

Summary

The local US Forest Service (FS) District in the past has been able to apply for these Federal Lands Access Program (FLAP) grants on their own. Recently, the rules have changed that now they need support from the local government. The FLAP also required CBS to sign a joint endorsement application.

This application is for \$1,318,114 in grant money to fix/reroute Gavan Hill portion of the trail. CBS would not receive the funds or need to deal with any administration of the contract, so there is no impact on CBS staff time. This money will allow for more use of the trail with upgrades and less maintenance.

Fiscal Note

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Recommendation

Approval of a resolution for the FS to apply for a FLAP grant for the reconstruction of Harbor Mountain/Gavan Hill Trail