

CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA

RESOLUTION #21-43

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA  
SUPPORTING THE VALDEZ SENIOR CENTER TRANSPORTATION GRANT  
APPLICATION

WHEREAS, the Valdez City Council passed the 2021 Valdez Coordinated Community Transportation Plan on May 18, 2021; and

WHEREAS, Goal 1 of the Plan outlines a community priority to "...continue to provide transportation to Valdez Senior Center, Inc. clients" which includes senior citizens and persons with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, Goal 2 of the Plan outlines a community priority to "...continue to provide transportation to eligible individuals within the Valdez community" which includes senior citizens and persons with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, past changes in agency capacity to provide services to eligible individuals meant there was a gap in transportation service in Valdez for senior citizens and persons with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, since 2016, the Valdez Senior Center, Inc. has filled some of that gap by providing transportation to senior citizens and persons with disabilities, including persons requiring the use of a wheelchair; and

WHEREAS, the Valdez Senior Center Inc.'s 2016 Ford Transit Van, 2014 Hyundai Tucson SUV, and the use of a 2014 Dodge Caravan (wheelchair accessible van) with Connections to Care, Inc. will enable them to provide these transportation services; and

WHEREAS, the transportation program being proposed by the Valdez Senior Center will have no negative impact on the budget of the organization.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA THAT:

The Valdez City Council supports the Valdez Senior Center Inc.'s Transportation Grant Application.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA this 2nd day of November, 2021.

CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sharon Scheidt, Mayor

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sheri L. Pierce, MMC, City Clerk