CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA RESOLUTION # 23-15

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA, AUTHORIZING MATCHING GRANT FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$235,000.00 IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM "TAP" GRANT

WHEREAS, the City of Valdez and the Alaska Department of Transportation are partners in providing safe and efficient transportation; and

WHEREAS, the City of Valdez adopted the revised Valdez Comprehensive Plan in 2021, "Plan Valdez," which sets a goal of "improving community transportation connections; and

WHEREAS, "Plan Valdez" additionally specifies an action of "coordinate with DOT & PF to prioritize the improvements of the "Valdez Arch" sign site (pull-out and pedestrian crossing facilities),"; and

WHEREAS, the "Valdez Arch" is an important landmark in the City of Valdez; and

WHEREAS, the Dayville Road and Allison Point Access Trails are important to pedestrian activity and supporting recreation in Valdez; and

WHEREAS, the Alaska Department of Transportation requires the City of Valdez to contribute a minimum match of 9.03% to TAP projects; and

WHEREAS, the City of Valdez contribution to grant match improves scoring for Alaska Department of Transportation grant application TAP grant application;

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

The City Manager of the City of Valdez, Alaska is authorized by Valdez City Council to work with city staff in partnering with the Alaska Department of Transportation to provide a total grant match of \$235,000 toward the Dayville Road Allison Point Trail Access and Valdez Arch Pull-out projects as detailed below:

Project	Total Cost	Required Match	Proposed Match
Dayville Road Allison	\$1,495,000	\$135,000	\$135,000
Point Trail Access			
Valdez Arch Pull-out	\$236,000	\$21,948	\$100,000

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY C ALASKA, this 4^{th} day of April, 2023.	OUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALDEZ,
	CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA
	Sharon Scheidt, Mayor
ATTEST:	

Sheri L. Pierce, MMC, City Clerk