## CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA

## RESOLUTION #19-07

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA, AUTHORIZING CITY ADMINISTRATION TO DEFER PAYMENTS DUE FROM INDIVIDUAL FEDERAL EMPLOYEES FOR CITY SERVICES AND TO WAIVE RELATED INTEREST CHARGES FOR THE DURATION OF ANY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT "SHUT-DOWN" FURLOUGH PERIOD IN 2019

WHEREAS, Council acknowledges the hardship borne by Valdez citizens employed by the Federal Government resulting from the current furlough; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to mitigate the impact of the furlough by deferring the due-date of payments for City services, and by waiving all related interest and penalty charges, for furloughed federal employees; and

WHEREAS, deferrals of payments-due and waivers of related interest and penalties may not be implemented for taxes levied; and

WHEREAS, amendments to the City's established billing policies require Council approval via Resolution.

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

City Administration is authorized to defer payments due from individual Federal employees for City services and to waive related interest charges for the duration of any Federal Government "shut down" furlough period in 2019.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALDEZ, ALASKA, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019.

	City of Valdez, Alaska	
ATTEST:	Jeremy O'Neil, Mayor	
ATTEST.		
Sheri L. Pierce, MMC, City Clerk		