

Legislation Text

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## ITEM TITLE:

#19-32 - Providing for the Submission to the Qualified Voters of the City of Valdez, Alaska, the
Question of Incurring General Obligation Bond Indebtedness in an Amount Not To Exceed
\$15,000,000 for the Design and Construction of the Citywide Pavement and Utilities Upgrades

**SUBMITTED BY:** Brian Carlson, Finance Director

## FISCAL NOTES:

Expenditure Required: n/a Unencumbered Balance: n/a Funding Source: n/a

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Approve Resolution No. 19-32.

## SUMMARY STATEMENT:

- The attached resolution directs staff to prepare a bond authorization ballot measure for a September 10 special election.
- The proposed bonding (\$15 million) will fund construction beginning in 2020 for various projects identified in the City's pavement management and utilities replacement and upgrade plan.
- The proposed bonding amount reflects staff's estimate of 2020 construction. <u>The amount of</u> <u>the proposed bond does not reflect the total cost of the entire pavement and utilities upgrades</u> <u>as outlined in the plan, which will be phased over several years.</u>
- Though 2020 construction represents "Phase One," staff has drafted the resolution and ballot measure language without specifying a particular phase, so as to allow for flexibility within the plan's overall scope and scheduling.
- Bond Counsel has reviewed the resolution, and is apprised of the City's plan for a September 10 election, and subsequent bond issue in 2019.