

## CITY OF WASILLA

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## INFORMATION MEMORANDUM NO. 90-30

TO: Council

FROM: Mayor Stein

DATE: November 8, 1990

RE: State Legislative Lobbyist

It has been suggested that the City of Wasilla join with other lobbyist for governments to retain a legislative session. Such arrangement would provide an representation for the City at a cost less than individual lobbyist.

The City has not in recent memory utilized the services of a lobbyist. The Mayor makes two or three trips a year to Juneau during the session. The "lobby" budget in the Mayor's department is \$500.00. Travel expenses are budgeted separately.

No recommendation is made with respect to lobbying efforts next year. This concept is offered for consideration only. Council may wish to discuss the City's relationship to the legislature after the Municipal League meeting.

John C. Stein, Mayor