

Prepared by: Deputy Clerk  
Requested by: Clerk  
Introduced: November 24, 2003  
Amended: November 24, 2003  
Public Hearing: December 8, 2003  
Adopted: December 8, 2003  
Vote: Unanimous

**CITY OF WASILLA  
ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 03-71(AM)**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE WASILLA CITY COUNCIL AMENDING THE FY-03 BUDGET BY APPROPRIATING \$161,195 FROM THE GENERAL FUND'S FUND BALANCE FOR ATTORNEYS FEES AND EXPENSES INCURRED IN RELATION TO THE NATURE CONSERVANCY LAWSUIT.**

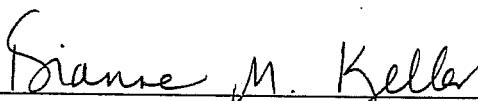
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- \* **Section 1. Classification.** This is a non-code ordinance.
- \* **Section 2. Purpose.** To appropriate funds for attorney fees and expenses in the Federal Court action and appeal, and the eminent domain action in relation to the Nature Conservancy Lawsuit.
- \* **Section 3. Appropriation.** Funds are appropriated to the following:
 

340.4539.453.4501	Land Acquisition	\$161,195
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- \* **Section 4. Sources of Funds.** Funds are appropriated from the following:
 

General Fund's Fund Balance	\$161,195
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- \* **Section 5. Effective date.** This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption of the Wasilla City Council.

ADOPTED by the Wasilla City Council on December 8, 2003.

  
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DIANNE M. KELLER, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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KRISTIE SMITHERS, CMC  
City Clerk

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VIA MAT-SU COURIERS

November 3, 2003

Mayor Dianne M. Keller  
City of Wasilla  
290 East Herning Avenue  
Wasilla AK 99654-7091

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CITY OF WASILLA, ALASKA

Re: Nature Conservancy Billings

Dear Mayor Keller,

I have enclosed our billings for attorneys fees and expenses incurred in the Federal Court action and appeal in the total amount of \$22,698.30, and for attorney fees and expenses incurred in the eminent domain action in the total amount of \$22,443.03.

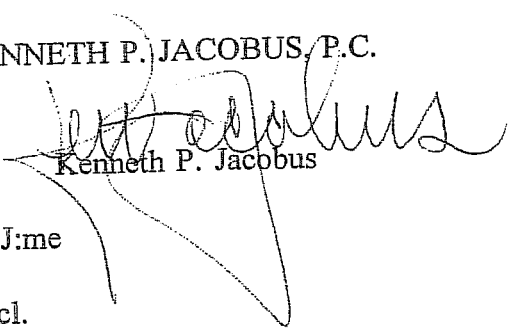
I have brought both these bills up to date to include charges through October 31, 2003.

If you have any questions, please let me know. Thank you for your patience.

Very truly yours,

KENNETH P. JACOBUS, P.C.

By

  
Kenneth P. Jacobus

KPJ:me

Encl.



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**TO:** Wasilla City Council  
**THRU:** Mayor Dianne M. Keller  
**FROM:** Kristie Smithers, City Clerk  
**DATE:** November 18, 2003  
**SUBJECT: Ordinance Serial No. 03-71**

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*SUMMARY:* Funding is requested from the general fund's, fund balance to cover attorney fees and expenses incurred in the Federal Court action and appeal, and the eminent domain action in relation to the Nature Conservancy Lawsuit.

The city received the invoice for services on November 3, 2003. The billing period is from November 1, 2002 through October 31, 2003. We do not have sufficient funds budgeted cover the invoice; therefore funding is requested from general fund's, fund balance.

*FISCAL IMPACT:* If yes, amount requested: \$45,142

Account No.:

*RECOMMENDED ACTION:* To introduce and set public hearing.

*ATTACHMENTS:* cover letter from vendor regarding billing, dated November 3, 2003.