Requested by: Public Works Introduced: November 24, 2003 Public Hearing: December 8, 2003

Adopted: December 8, 2003

Vote: Unanimous

CITY OF WASILLA ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 03-72

AN ORDINANCE OF THE WASILLA CITY COUNCIL AMENDING 13.20.010, DEFINITIONS, AMENDING WMC 13.20.270, ANIMALS, AND AMENDING WMC 1.20.030, DISPOSITION OF SCHEDULED OFFENSES – FINE SCHEDULE, IN REGARD TO ANIMAL HANDLING AT THE WASILLA MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.

- * Section 1. Classification. This ordinance is of a general and permanent nature and shall become part of the city code.
- * Section 2. Amendment of section. WMC 13.20.010, Definitions, is amended by adding a definition of "animal," to read as follows:

"Animal" means any vertebrate domestic or domesticated member of the animal kingdom.

- * Section 3. Amendment of section. WMC 13.20.270, Animals, is amended to read as follows:
- A. No person may cause or permit an [NO PETS OR DOMESTICATED] animal[S] to be within the airport, except where the animal is:
- 1. In transit to or from an aircraft, and under the direct control of its

 owner or handler and [ARE PERMITTED ON THE AIRPORT EXCEPT DURING

 TRANSIENT AND MUST BE] on a leash or confined at all times;
- 2. Confined in a vehicle, building, cage or kennel pending transportation; or

Bold and underline added. [CAPS AND BRACKETS, DELETED.]

- 3. Under the direct control of a peace officer or emergency responder performing official duties at the airport, and trained to assist in performing those duties.
- * Section 4. Amendment of section. WMC 1.20.030, Disposition of scheduled offenses Fine schedule, is amended to add a fine for Airport Animal Violations, to read as follows:

WMC 13.20.270	Airport Animal Violations	<u>\$300</u>

* Section 4. Effective date. This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption of the Wasilla City Council.

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

DIANNE M. KELLER, Mayor

ATTEST:

KRISTIE SMITHERS, CMC

City Clerk

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TO:

Wasilla City Council

THRU:

Mayor Dianne M. Keller MY

FROM:

Archie Giddings, Public Works Director

DATE:

November 18, 2003

SUBJECT: Ordinance Serial No. 03-72

SUMMARY: This ordinance provides more flexibility in controling animal activities at the airport. This is in response to a current animal enforcement action, where a pilot is exercising a dog in the air operations area.

FISCAL IMPACT: If yes, amount requested: none at this time Account No.:

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Council is requested to adopt Ordinance Serial No. 03-72.

ATTACHMENTS: none