

NON-CODE ORDINANCE

Requested by: Parks & Recreation

Introduced: April 24, 2006

Public Hearing: May 8, 2006

Adopted: May 8, 2006

Vote: Cox, Ewing, Menard, Metiva, O'Neil & Straub in favor

**CITY OF WASILLA
ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 06-17**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE WASILLA CITY COUNCIL AMENDING THE FY-06 RECREATIONAL SERVICES BUDGET BY APPROPRIATING \$1,500 IN STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF FORESTRY GRANT FUNDS FOR THE 2006 ARBOR DAY PROGRAM.

Section 1. Classification. This is a non-code ordinance.

Section 2. Purpose. To amend the FY-06 Recreational Services budget by appropriating \$1,500 from the State of Alaska, Department of Natural Resources, Division of Forestry grant funds for the City's Arbor Day Celebration to purchase tree seedlings and other plant materials to be handed out to the public on the day of the event.

Section 3. Appropriation. Funds are appropriated to the following funds:

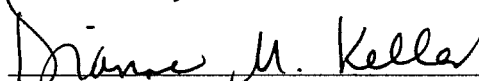
Expense Account: 001-4570-457-60.13 \$1,500

Section 4. Source of Funds.

Revenue Account: 001-4500-331-12.24 \$1,500


Section 5. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption by the Wasilla City Council.

ADOPTED by the Wasilla City Council on May 8, 2006.



DIANNE M. KELLER, Mayor

ATTEST:



KRISTIE SMITHERS, MMC

City Clerk

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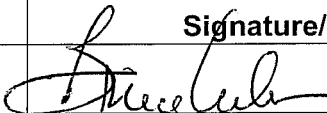
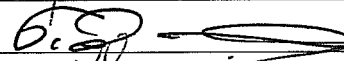
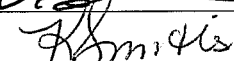


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LEGISLATION STAFF REPORT**

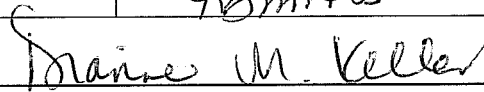
RE: ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 06-17: AMENDING THE FY-06 RECREATIONAL SERVICES BUDGET BY APPROPRIATING \$1,500 IN STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF FORESTRY GRANT FUNDS FOR THE 2006 ARBOR DAY PROGRAM

Agenda of: April 24, 2006
Originator: Recreation & Cultural Services Director

Date: April 14, 2006

Route to:	Department	Signature/Date
	Recreational and Cultural Services Library, Museum	
X	Finance *signature required	
X	Clerk	

REVIEWED BY MAYOR DIANNE M. KELLER:



FISCAL IMPACT: yes no Funds Available yes no
Account name/number: 001-4570-457-60.13 / Attachments: Grant Agreement

SUMMARY STATEMENT: Recreation Services has applied for and received an Alaska Community Forestry Program Grant in the amount of \$1,500.

These Grant funds will be used to help fund our local Arbor Day Celebration and provide education through a tree seedling planting and care demonstration. Tree seedlings and containers will be purchased and handed out to our community at the Arbor Day Celebration for planting in public areas, such as our local schools, parks and public right of way areas. The containers will be used by those that wish to pot their seedlings and hold them over until next year for a better success rate. There will be an area provided for planting these seedlings on Arbor Day as well as area's suggested for planting at their convenience. The Elementary School Students can take their seedlings back to their school and plant there as well. A brochure will also be handed out along with the tree seedlings that will provide planting and care information similar to that of our demonstration.

The City will once again be doing a poster contest in conjunction with Arbor Day. This contest encourages the local schools to become involved with the Arbor Day Celebration. The children will gain knowledge of the importance of trees through their attendance of our Arbor Day Celebration and with the tree seedling planting and care demonstration, their own seedlings to plant and care for at their local school, and the poster contest. Prizes for the poster contest are provided through donations from local businesses and the City.

The Arbor Day Celebration program will be held on Monday May 15, 2006