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**RESOLUTION NO. WR95-06**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WASILLA, ALASKA SUPPORTING LEGISLATION TO ESTABLISH SLED DOG CLASSICS.**

WHEREAS, the Iditarod Sled-Dog Race is an internationally renown event which brings credit to the people of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the race is an important economic enterprise generating export revenue from tourism; and

WHEREAS, the race provides positive local economic impact on local communities involved in the race, its racers and sponsors; and

WHEREAS, national race sponsors have recently come under attack from animal rights groups whose opposition to the race will likely never be resolved; and

WHEREAS, loss of national sponsorships threaten stable funding for the race organization; and

WHEREAS, existing games of chance classics have provided revenue for worthy organizations throughout the state.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Wasilla City Council supports the establishment of sled dog classics to help fund the Iditarod Race and that the Council supports passage of SB66.

I certify that a resolution in substantially the above form was passed by a full council at a duly called and conducted meeting of the Wasilla City Council this 13<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1995.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

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Marjorie D. Harris, CMC  
City Clerk

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