

**CITY OF WASILLA
RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 99-31**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WASILLA IN SUPPORT OF THE
CONSTRUCTION AND PLACEMENT OF CHIEF WASILLA STATUE AND
MEMORIAL ON THE SHORE OF WASILLA LAKE.**

WHEREAS, Alaska was purchased in 1867 and the City of Wasilla was founded by the Alaska Railroad in 1917; and

WHEREAS, there were many native people in the Matanuska-Susitna Valley and Chief Wasilla was a great leader and chief of his people; and

WHEREAS, Chief Wasilla and his people owned lands in the city area, including lakes and streams; and

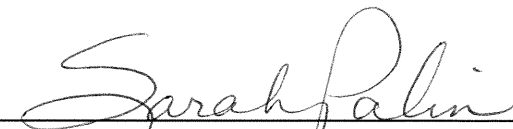
WHEREAS, the City of Wasilla bears the name of the chief, and this monument and its related research material would put forth the history of the city's name; and

WHEREAS, Chief Wasilla was a major force in the development of Wasilla and the Valley.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the City of Wasilla supports the construction and placement of a Chief Wasilla memorial on the shores of Wasilla Lake.

ADOPTED by the Wasilla City Council on September 13, 1999.

I certify that a resolution in substantially the above form was passed by a majority of those voting at a duly called and conducted meeting of the governing body of the City of Wasilla this 13th day of September 1999.



SARAH PALIN, Mayor

ATTEST:



KRISTIE L. VANGORDER, CMC/AE
City Clerk

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