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**MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA
RESOLUTION NO. 15-03R**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SKAGWAY, ALASKA SUPPORTING THE FOOD GARDEN INITIATIVE AND AUTHORIZING THE USE OF BUDGETED FUNDS TO PROVIDE SUBSIDIES FOR THE PLANTING OF FOOD GARDENS WITHIN THE SKAGWAY BOROUGH.

WHEREAS, \$5,000 has been budgeted in FY15 for the Food Garden Initiative; and

WHEREAS, the Food Garden Initiative subsidizes Skagway residents who start a new food garden, maintain an existing food garden that has not already received a subsidy, or expand an existing food garden; and

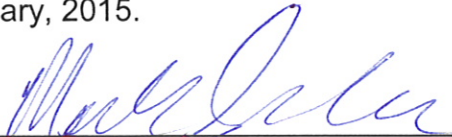
WHEREAS, the Food Garden Initiative provides subsidies at the rate of \$0.50 per square foot of garden to qualifying residents for up to 500 square feet per applicant; and

WHEREAS, in FY13 and FY14, a total of 9,189.5 square feet of garden was subsidized through this initiative;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT: the Skagway Borough Assembly supports the continued implementation of the Food Garden Initiative; and


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT: the Skagway Borough Assembly authorizes the use of FY15 budgeted funds to subsidize the planting and maintenance of food gardens within the Skagway Borough through the Food Garden Initiative.

PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the Borough Assembly of the Municipality of Skagway this 5th day of February, 2015.



Mark Schaefer, Mayor

ATTEST:



Emily A. Deach, Borough Clerk

(SEAL)

