

Introduced By: Mayor John Eberhart
Introduced: January 20, 2014

RESOLUTION NO. 4608

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO NEGOTIATE
MUTUAL AID AND COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS FOR FIRE AID**

WHEREAS, Alaska Statutes Section 18.70.150, Adoption of Mutual Fire Aid Agreements, authorizes cities, other incorporated entities, and other fire protection groups to make mutual aid agreements for fire protection purposes; and

WHEREAS, the City Fire Department is currently operating under the authority granted by Resolution No. 3815, passed and approved on May 3, 1999; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 3815 is in need of updating to encompass updated mutual aid agreements and to acknowledge the provisions of Resolution No. 4507 that allowed the City to enter contracts for extraterritorial extension of fire suppression services,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council as follows:

1. That the Mayor is given authority to negotiate and prepare for submission to the City Council for approval any agreement that will provide mutual fire protection aid; and
2. That in the absence of such an agreement or in the absence of a contract for the extraterritorial extension of fire suppression services, no city fire equipment or personnel may respond to any alarm or fire outside of the City limits, except when a fire outside the City limits is endangering city property, government agencies at any level, hospitals, or schools, as shall be determined by the City Fire Chief or any person acting on his/her behalf.

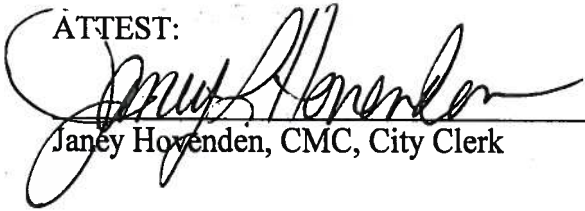
Passed and Approved and Effective this 20th Day of January 2013.



John Eberhart, City Mayor

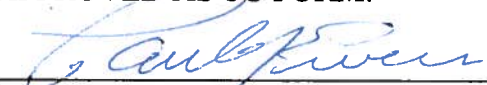
AYES: PASSED and APPROVED on Consent Agenda
NAYS: None
ABSENT: None
APPROVED: January 20, 2014

ATTEST:



Janey Hovenden, CMC, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Paul J. Ewers, City Attorney