

**CITY OF EDNA BAY, ALASKA  
RESOLUTION NO. 2015-02**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF EDNA BAY REQUESTING THE STATE OF ALASKA  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF MINING, LAND & WATER  
AND THE DIVISION OF FORESTRY EXCLUDE THE 113 ACRES OF LAND  
IDENTIFIED AS SETTLEMENT FROM THE EDNA BAY PARLAY TIMBER SALE AS  
THE NEWLY FORMED CITY IS STILL FINALIZING ITS MUNICIPAL ENTITLEMENT  
SELECTION.**

**WHEREAS**, the State of Alaska granted Edna Bay city status for meeting the sustained needs of the residents to meet current and future service and growth needs through maximum self-government; and

**WHEREAS**, for the City of Edna Bay to meet current and future needs of government, residents, and businesses the city needs adequate entitlement lands of sufficient volume; and

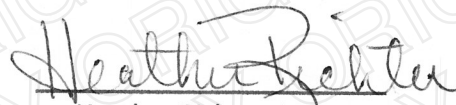
**WHEREAS**, the City of Edna Bay deliberately established its boundaries to include the 113 acres identified in the Edna Bay Parlay Timber Sale as Settlement due to the land designation of industrial for future development needs; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed Edna Bay Parlay Timber Sale will severely restrict the municipal entitlement pool and mire the city in an economic and managerial crisis that will stifle growth potential and the ability of the city to meet its needs; and

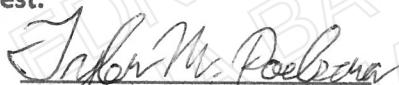
**WHEREAS**, the proposed Edna Bay Parlay Timber Sale stands to critically impact the future viability of the city by including the only lands within the city limits designated for industrial development; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** the City of Edna Bay formally requests the Department of Natural Resources Division of Mining, Land & Water, and the Division of Forestry exclude the 113 acres of land identified in the Edna Bay Parlay Timber Sale as Settlement as the newly formed city is still finalizing its municipal entitlement selection.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** by the Edna Bay City Council on this 19th day of January 2015.

  
Heather Richter, Mayor

**Attest:**

  
Tyler Poelstra, City Clerk

