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VALDÉZ RECEPTION NO.

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STATE OF ALASKA  
LOCAL AFFAIRS AGENCY  
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
JUNEAU, ALASKA

CERTIFICATION OF BOUNDARIES

CITY OF VALDEZ

I, SIGVALD J. STRANDBERG, Acting Director of the Local Affairs Agency, Office of the Governor, State of Alaska, do hereby certify that the attached recommendation for a local government boundary change entitled

Recommendation for Changing the Corporate Boundaries of the City of Valdez

became effective on March 8, 1970.

A PETITION requesting the extension of its corporate boundaries to encompass Port Valdez and other adjoining territory was submitted by the City of Valdez and was received by the Local Affairs Agency on November 5, 1969. The agency immediately conducted an investigation of the petition and requested further supportive information. On December 3, 1969, the petitioner submitted an amended petition together with the required supportive information. The agency completed its investigation of the amended petition and the Local Boundary Commission called for and held a public hearing in Valdez, Alaska on December 19, 1969. A formal business meeting was held by the Commission in Anchorage, Alaska on January 4, 1970, at which it voted to accept the amended petition and to recommend to the legislature the boundary change presented therein.

THE COMMISSION'S recommendation was presented to the state legislature pursuant to Section 12, Article X of the Constitution of the State of Alaska:

Section 12. Boundaries. A local boundary commission or board shall be established by law in the executive branch of the state government. The commission or board may consider any proposed local government boundary change. It may present proposed changes to the legislature during the first ten days of any regular session. The change shall become effective forty-five days after presentation or at the end of the session, whichever is earlier, unless disapproved by a resolution concurred in by a majority of the members of each house. . .

the Commission's recommendation on January 21, 1970, the tenth day of the legislative session. No resolutions requesting legislative disapproval of the Commission's recommendation were introduced. The Local Boundary Commission's "Recommendation for Changing the Corporate Boundaries of the City of Valdez" became effective on March 8, 1970, the forty-sixth day after its presentation to the legislature. The boundaries of the City of Valdez are now, therefore, as described in the Local Boundary Commission's recommendation, to wit:

Beginning at the North East corner of Township 9 South, Range 4 West (projected), Copper River Meridian, State of Alaska, and commencing as follows:

thence southerly along the east line of Range 4 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) to the South East corner of Section 1, Township 10 South, Range 4 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);

thence westerly along the south line of Sections 1 through 6 of Township 10 South, Range 4 West, Copper River Meridian; Township 10 South, Range 5 West, Copper River Meridian; Township 10 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian; Township 10 South, Range 7 West, Copper River Meridian; Township 10 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian (all projected) to the South West corner of Section 6, Township 10 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);

thence northerly along the west line of Township 10 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian and Township 9 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) to the North West corner of Township 9 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);

thence easterly along the south line of Township 8 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) to the South West Corner of Section 34, Township 8 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);

thence northerly along the west line of Sections 34, 27, Township 8 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) to the North West Corner of Section 27, Township 8 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);

thence easterly along the north line of Sections 27, 26, 25 Township 8 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian (projected), Sections 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25 Township 8 South, Range 7 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) to the North East corner of Section 25 Township 8 South, Range 7 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);

thence northerly along the west line of Township 8 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian and Township 7 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) to the North West corner of Section 19, Township 7 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);

thence easterly along the north line of Sections 19, 20, 21, 22 Township 7 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) to the North East corner or Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);

thence southerly along the east line of Sections 22, 27, 34, Township 7 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian (projected), Sections 3, 10, 15, 22 Township 8 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian (projected), to the South East corner of Section 22, Township 8 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);

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thence easterly along the north line of Sections 26, 25 Township 8 South, Range 6 West, Copper River Meridian (projected), Sections 30, 29, 28, Township 8 South, Range 5 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) to the North East corner of Section 28, Township 8 South, Range 5 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);  
thence southerly along the east line of Sections 28, 33, Township 8 South, Range 5 West, Copper River Meridian (projected), to the South East corner of Section 33, Township 8 South, Range 5 West, Copper River Meridian (projected);  
thence easterly along the north line of Township 9 South, Range 5 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) and Township 9 South, Range 4 West, Copper River Meridian (projected) to the North East Corner of Township 9 South, Range 4 West, Copper River Meridian (projected), the true point of beginning and end of this description.

GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the State of Alaska, in the City of Juneau, on this 5th, day of June, 1970.

Sigvald J. Strandberg  
Acting Director of the Local Affairs Agency  
Office of the Governor, State of Alaska



ATTEST: Robert W. Ward  
Secretary of the State of Alaska

RECORDED - FILED n/c  
Valdez REC. DIST.  
DATE June 22, 1970  
TIME 4:10 P.M.  
Requested by State of Alaska  
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Juneau, Alaska

