

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 25-077**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY AMENDING THE SCOPE OF WORK FOR THE WASILLA POOL DRAIN AND BACKWASH PIT REPAIRS TO INCLUDE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT AND SAFETY UPGRADES AT RECREATION FACILITIES, INCLUDING THE PURCHASE OF AN AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT-COMPLIANT POOL CHAIR LIFT, AUTOMATIC DOOR WITH ACCESS CONTROL, LOCKER ROOM SECURITY DOORS AND ENTRANCE DOOR CRASH BARS.

WHEREAS, the Matanuska-Susitna Borough has a remaining balance of funds from the Wasilla Pool Drain and Backwash Pit Repair Project; and

WHEREAS, Americans with Disabilities Act compliance and public safety at recreation facilities is critical to providing safe access and a secure setting for all users, including the elderly, families and youth who rely on these public spaces for recreation and community engagement;

WHEREAS, the Americans with Disabilities Act-compliant pool chair lift at the Palmer Pool is no longer operational and replacement parts are no longer available; and

WHEREAS, the front entrance of the Big Lake Recreation Center does not meet Americans with Disabilities Act standards and requires an automatic door with access control to ensure accessibility and security; and

WHEREAS, the locker rooms at the Big Lake Recreation Center currently lack security doors, which are necessary to prevent theft, protect privacy, and ensure proper supervision; and

WHEREAS, the Big Lake Recreation Center requires crash bars on the front entrance doors to improve emergency egress at one of the Borough's highest occupancy facilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly approves the amended scope of work for the Wasilla Pool Drain and Backwash Pit Repair Project (Project No. 15053-5300-5302, Fund 440) to include the following ADA and safety upgrades:

1. Purchase and installation of an ADA-compliant pool chair lift at Palmer Pool;
2. Installation of an Americans with Disabilities Act-compliant automatic door with access control at Big Lake Recreation Center;
3. Installation of security doors for the locker rooms at Big Lake Recreation Center;
4. Installation of crash bars on the front entrance doors at Big Lake Recreation Center.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 19 day
of August, 2025.


EDNA DeVRIES, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:


LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk
(SEAL)

PASSED UNANIMOUSLY: Nowers, McKee, Sumner, Gamble, Fonov, and
Bernier