

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 25-029**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF A GRANT APPLICATION BY THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH TO THE ALASKA STATE OFFICE OF HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGY ON BEHALF OF THE DEPRIEST FAMILY TRUST TO CONDUCT RESEARCH AND LIST THE DEPRIEST FARM SITE, INCLUDING THE COLONY BARN, IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES.

WHEREAS, the intent and rational of this resolution are found in the accompanying Informational Memorandum No. 25-068.

WHEREAS, the DePriest Family Trust approached the Borough requesting support for their grant application to the Alaska State Office of History and Archaeology; and

WHEREAS, the grant is to fund the research and determination of eligibility to list the DePriest Family Farm Site on the National Register of Historic Places; and

WHEREAS, the Borough is a Certified Local Government, with a Historical Preservation Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Borough's Historical Preservation Commission is to recommend to the Assembly National Register of Historic Place Nominations to be supported by the Borough; and

WHEREAS, the Historical Preservation Commission supports the DePriest Family Trust's efforts to document, preserve, and interpret the region's history; and

WHEREAS, the Historical Preservation Commission unanimously recommended endorsement of the DePriest Family Trust's grant application on February 6, 2025; and

WHEREAS, this support is right and proper given the Borough's role as a Certified Local Government.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Assembly authorizes the submittal of a grant application to the Alaska State Office of History and Archaeology to fund the research and determination of eligibility to list the DePriest Family Farm Site on the National Register of Historic Places.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 18 day of March, 2025.


EDNA DeVRIES, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:


LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

(SEAL)

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