NONCODE ORDINANCE

Sponsored By: Borough Manager

Introduced: 08/04/20 Public Hearing: 08/18/20 Adopted: 08/18/20

MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 20-077

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING \$5,500 FROM THE MAT-SU TRAILS AND PARKS FOUNDATION, TO FUND 440, PROJECT NO. 15015, WEST BUTTE TRAIL PROJECT.

WHEREAS, in June 2020, the Borough was awarded a \$5,500 grant from the Mat-Su Trails and Parks Foundation for improvements on the West Butte Trail; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Trail Crew plans to install split-rail fencing in critical areas to decrease the number of people cutting through between trail sections; and

WHEREAS, the Trail Crew will add railing posts to the side of the crib step section of the trail that currently does not have posts and install three strands of rubber coated cable to the new posts; and

WHEREAS, the current railing posts will have an additional strand of rubber coated cable added so that they will have three strands as well; and

WHEREAS, when completed the crib step section will have posts and three strands of cable on both sides of the trail, which will keep most people on the trail by decreasing their ability to leave the official trail and cut through on social trails; and

WHEREAS, these improvements will increase the life and safety of the trail; and

WHEREAS, the grant requires the Borough to provide a match of \$11,640; and

WHEREAS, the Borough will provide the \$11,640 of in-kind match using Recreational Services fiscal year operating funds in the form of staff time and labor.

BE IT ENACTED:

Section 1. <u>Classification</u>. This ordinance is a noncode ordinance.

Section 2. Acceptance and Appropriation Source. The Assembly hereby accepts and appropriates \$5,500 from the Mat-Su Trails and Parks Foundation to fund 440, project no. 15015, for improvements on the West Butte Trail.

Section 3. <u>Effective Date</u>. This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 18 day of August, 2020.

Borough Mayor

ATTEST:

McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

(SEAL)

PASSED UNANIMOUSLY: Hale, Nowers, Leonard, Mayfield, Sumner, and Boeve