

Action:

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 26-033**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY DIRECTING THE MANAGER TO AQUIRE LAND ON WOLF LAKE FROM THE STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, DEVELOP AND MANAGE A PARK FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is subdividing a 22.81-acre parcel on the west side of Wolf Lake with the intent to offer up lots for private sale and development; and

WHEREAS, the Matanuska-Susitna Borough may have the opportunity to acquire a portion of property to preserve public access and develop a borough-managed park to be known as Wolf Lake Park; and

WHEREAS, community support for preserving the Wolf Lake parcel as public park with lake access is strong, as demonstrated by Parks, Recreation and Trails Advisory Board Resolution Number 25-01 and a North Lakes Community Council survey indicating 93 percent support for park preservation; and

WHEREAS, acquisition and development of Wolf Lake Park is consistent with borough goals to expand recreational opportunities, protect natural resources, and respond to demonstrated community priorities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly hereby directs the Borough Manager to pursue

acquisition of a parcel on Wolf Lake from the State of Alaska Department of Natural Resources for the purpose of establishing Wolf Lake Park; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that upon acquisition and subject to available funding, the Borough may develop and manage the property as a public park in accordance with adopted borough policies and the Wolf Lake Feasibility Study.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this - day of -, 2026.

EDNA DeVRIES, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:

LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

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