



RESOLUTION NO. CY2022-139
Endorsing Congresswoman Mary Peltola
for Re-Election to the United States House of Representatives

WHEREAS, Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corporation (KIC) is the Alaska Native Corporation organized to serve the Inupiat people of Kotzebue, Alaska, and

WHEREAS, KIC is owned by its more than 2,000 Inupiat shareholders, the majority of whom live in Kotzebue and throughout Alaska, and

WHEREAS, KIC selected and received title to more than 208,000 acres of surface estate through the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of 1971, and continues to manage the land to support the traditional subsistence needs of our shareholders, and

WHEREAS, KIC operates a diverse portfolio of businesses in Kotzebue, throughout the United States, and around the world through our subsidiary companies, many of which provide services to the United States government and are certified by the Small Business Administration as 8(a) small businesses, and

WHEREAS, Representative Mary Peltola, understands and is committed to improving the social and economic conditions in Kotzebue, throughout Alaska, and the rest of the United States, and

WHEREAS, the KIC Board of Directors is proud to congratulate Representative Mary Peltola on being the first Alaska Native to represent Alaska in the United States Congress and looks forward to continuing to work with her in the years to come, and now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Directors of Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corporation endorses Representative Mary Peltola for re-election to the United States House of Representatives.

Adopted this 22 day of September, 2022, at a duly called meeting where a quorum was present by a vote of 7 directors for and 0 directors against and 0 directors not voting.


Harold Lambert, Chairperson

CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, Kathleen Sherman, Secretary of the Corporation, an Alaskan Corporation, does hereby certify that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said CORPORATION duly called and held on the 22 day of September, 2022.

Attest: Kathleen Sherman
Kathleen Sherman, Secretary