

CITY OF KOTZEBUE

RESOLUTION NO. 26-25

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KOTZEBUE ACCEPTING THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH (“NWAB”) ASSEMBLY DONATION IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$150,000.00) FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, The NWAB Assembly approved an Assembly donation in its Resolution 26-18, dated April 28, 2026 in the amount of \$150,000.00. Copies of Resolution 26-18 are attached hereto as Exhibit “A”;

WHEREAS, this donation from the NWAB is an annual, continuing effort of the NWAB to help support the City of Kotzebue’s Fire Department EMS, medivac and related services;

WHEREAS, these vital services are essential to the health and public safety of the residents of Kotzebue and the NANA Region;

WHEREAS, the City of Kotzebue’s Fire Department provision of EMS, medivac and related services has been wholly under funded for many years and the NWAB Assembly’s donation helps in some measure to close this serious funding gap; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Kotzebue’s Fire Department’s First Responders deeply appreciate this much needed financial support from the NWAB Assembly.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Kotzebue accepts the NWAB Assembly donation as set out herein.

PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the City Council of the City of Kotzebue, Alaska, this 20th day of May 2026.

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CITY OF KOTZEBUE

Saima Chase
Mayor

ATTEST:

[SEAL]

Donald Jones Jr
City Clerk

Attachments:

- **Exhibit A:** NWAB Resolution 26-18 [2 Pages]

**NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 26-18**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH
ASSEMBLY APPROVING AN ASSEMBLY DONATION UNDER THE FY26
BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF KOTZEBUE FIRE DEPARTMENT, AND FOR
RELATED PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS: on an annual basis the Borough receives donation requests from a variety of community and regional organizations, and the Assembly has often appropriated funds to meet certain donation requests; and

WHEREAS: under the FY26 Budget adopted by Ordinance 25-04, the Borough Assembly budgeted \$325,000 for FY26 donations through Account # 01-01-7050; and

WHEREAS: the Borough's Donation Policy requires organizations to submit requests for donations to receive funding under the FY26 budget; and

WHEREAS: the Borough has annually supported the City of Kotzebue Fire Department, which provides emergency services in Kotzebue that benefit the entire region; and

WHEREAS: after reviewing the City of Kotzebue Fire Department's request for a donation to help fund its FY26 programs, the Borough has determined that this donation will further a public purpose and facilitate services within the Borough that the Borough cannot otherwise provide; and

WHEREAS: the City of Kotzebue Fire Department's donation request complies with the Borough's organizational donation policy codified at Chapter 6.32 of the Borough Code.

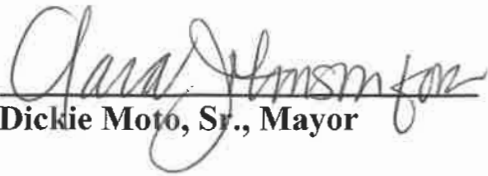
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: the Northwest Arctic Borough Assembly hereby approves an FY26 Assembly donation to the City of Kotzebue in the amount of \$150,000.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 28th DAY OF APRIL 2026.




Craig McConnell, Assembly President

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 28th DAY OF APRIL 2026.


Dickie Moto, Sr., Mayor

SIGNED AND ATTESTED TO THIS 28th DAY OF APRIL 2026.


Stella Atoruk, Borough Clerk

ATTEST:

