

**Petersburg Borough, Alaska
RESOLUTION # 2024-13**

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AWARD FOR REMOVAL, DEMOLITION AND DISPOSAL OF A DERELICT VESSEL, THE F/V PACIFIC QUEEN, FROM THE PETERSBURG HARBOR FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$83,200

WHEREAS, the Petersburg Harbor Department has legally impounded a derelict vessel, the F/V Pacific Queen, that has been moored in Petersburg's South Harbor; and

WHEREAS, the F/V Pacific Queen was offered for public sale on Thursday, October 3, 2024, for a minimum bid of \$13,000 to recuperate unpaid moorage and electric fees, plus the cost of impound and notice of sale; and

WHEREAS, there were no interested bidders; and

WHEREAS, the F/V Pacific Queen has been abandoned is currently sinking in the harbor stall; and

WHEREAS, the presence of derelict vessels in the harbor poses significant environmental hazards, including potential oil spills and debris that can harm marine life and water quality; and

WHEREAS, the removal of the F/V Pacific Queen is necessary to maintain safety, cleanliness and overall functionality of the harbor; and

WHEREAS, Buck's Marine Service has agreed to remove, demolish/deconstruct and transport the vessel to the Petersburg Baler facility for disposal for a cost not to exceed \$83,200, and the Assembly approved the hire of Buck's Marine Service at the September 3, 2024 Assembly meeting; and

WHEREAS, Borough Code Section 4.04.040A allows for purchases of \$75,000 or more, but less than \$150,000 to proceed without competitive bidding by Assembly resolution.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Petersburg Borough Assembly approves the hire of Buck's Marine Service for removal and disposal of the F/V Pacific Queen for a cost not to exceed \$83,200.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Petersburg Borough Assembly on October 7, 2024.

Mark Jensen, Mayor

ATTEST:

Debra K. Thompson, Borough Clerk