Introduced and Adopted: May 18, 2015

**CITY OF NORTH POLE** 1 **RESOLUTION 15-11** 2 3 A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE PURCHASE OF PENTEX CORPORATION AS A CRITICAL STEP TO THE TIMELY 4 ADVANCEMENT OF THE INTERIOR ENERGY PROJECT 5 WHEREAS, Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority ("the Authority") proposes to 6 purchase in the amount in excess of \$53,000,000 to provide the funds to and acquire Pentex 7 Corporation and assets to advance the Interior Energy Project, (IEP), for the development, 8 acquisition, and operation of various facilities that supply natural gas from the Cook Inlet area to 9 10 residents of the Fairbanks North Star Borough and other existing supply contracts (the "Project"); and 11 WHEREAS, under the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority Act, the Authority 12 must solicit the review and advice of the local governing body; and 13 WHEREAS, it is appropriate and desirable to adopt this resolution supporting this Project: 14 NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the North Pole City Council supports the 15 16 Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority (AIDEA) in the development and operation of the Project within and for the economic benefit of the City of North Pole and Fairbanks North 17 Star Borough residents. 18 PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the North Pole City Council this 19 18th day of May, 2015. 20 Mul 21 22 Bryce J. Ward, Mayor 23 ATTEST: 24 25 26 27 Kathryn/M. Weber, MMC North Pole City Clerk 28 29 30

> No: 1 - Holm Absent: 0

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Yes: 6 - Hunter, Smith, McCarthy, McGhee, Welch, Ward