City of Tenakee Springs
RESOLUTION 2020-12

In the Council
March 26, 2020

A RESOLUTION FOR THE CITY OF TENAKEE SPRINGS, ALASKA, MANDATING THAT ANYONE ARRIVING IN TENAKEE SPRINGS SELF-QUARANTINE FOR TWO WEEKS IN AN ATTEMPT TO SUPPRESS THE SPREAD OF COVID-19

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is potentially the direst threat to the health of the residents of Tenakee Springs that the City has faced; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, an Executive Order for the City of Tenakee Springs to “Hunker Down and shelter in place” for all Residents was issued by Mayor Dan Kennedy to help mitigate a corona virus outbreak in Tenakee Springs; and

WHEREAS, the Tenakee Springs health care system is totally unprepared to care for a case of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, it is essential to the health of our citizens to prevent the spread of the virus; and

WHEREAS, people arriving in Tenakee Springs are likely to have been exposed to the virus; and

WHEREAS, a significant proportion of Tenakee Springs residents are in the high-risk category; then

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that all non-resident travelers are temporarily banned from entering the City of Tenakee Springs and all resident travelers who are currently not in Tenakee Springs shall return to Tenakee Springs as soon as possible and shall self-quarantine for 14 days upon their return in an attempt to suppress the spread of COVID-19. The only exceptions to the temporary ban is non-resident travelers who are workers directly involved with healthcare related to COVID-19 and critical infrastructure.

ADOPTED 6 Yes, 1 Vacant Seat THIS 26th DAY OF March 2020

Dan Kennedy
City Council President
Ex officio MAYOR

ATTEST:

Mary Almy, City Clerk