Eagle River Valley Community Council P.O. Box 772812 Eagle River, Alaska 99577

Eagle River Valley Community Council Resolution No. 2019-5

Resolution Supporting creation of a Cemetery Steering Committee to investigate establishing a community cemetery in Chugiak-Eagle River area.

WHEREAS, Chugiak-Eagle River does not currently have a community cemetery; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Tom Looney, a resident of Chugiak, is interested in forming a Cemetery Steering Committee to build support for and to investigate the possibility of establishing a community cemetery; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Tom Looney presented his proposal to form a Cemetery Steering Committee to Eagle River Valley Community Council at a regular meeting on April 10, 2019, and requested the Council's support and requested recommendation of a member to serve on the Committee; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Tom Looney presented his proposal to the Chugiak-Eagle River Advisory Board and the Advisory Board passed a resolution supporting the CER Cemetery effort, and encouraging/requesting that the Parks and Rec, HLB and other MOA entities cooperate and help identify potential sites, and that local community councils solicit members to make up a steering committee; and,

WHEREAS, Chugiak-Eagle River Comprehensive Plan Update, dated December 2006, under Public Facilities and Services, pages 56-57, includes Section J. COMMUNITY CEMETERY supporting establishment of a community cemetery;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Eagle River Valley Community Council hereby declares its support for establishment of a Cemetery Steering Committee to investigate establishment of a community cemetery for Chugiak-Eagle River; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Eagle River Valley Community Council recommends member Greg Kennedy to serve on the Cemetery Steering Committee.

This Resolution was passed on May 8, 2019 by vote of 12 yea, 0 nay, and 0 abstain.

David W. Schade, President

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