MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

Department of Transportation & Public Facilities
Office of the Commissioner

TO: Distribution **DATE:** November 17, 2023

FROM: Ryan Anderson, PE

SUBJECT: Creation of FY25

Commissioner

Herber Project

Harbor Project Evaluation Committee

In 2006, the Alaska Legislature passed landmark legislation which established a 50/50 matching grant program called the Municipal Harbor Facility Grant Program (now called the Harbor Facility Grant Program). The purpose of the grant program is to recapitalize local government's small boat harbor infrastructure and further the sustainability of Alaska's public harbor system. For fiscal year 2023 (FY24), the Governor approved the capital budget of \$5.5 million.

Today, I am hereby creating a Harbor Project Evaluation Committee (PEC) to evaluate and rank applicants for the Department's Harbor Facility Grant Program and appointing six members to the Harbor PEC. The Harbor PEC consists of one planner representing each region, one planner representing statewide, a regional harbor maintenance representative, and a community harbormaster representative. The Harbor PEC members are:

Facilitator: Michelle Duncan, Transportation Planner 1, Headquarters Member: Sarah Cripe, Area-wide Planner, Southcoast Region

Member: Eric Taylor, Multimodal Transportation Planning Chief, Headquarters

Member: Courtney Kreis, Transportation Planner, Northern Region

Member: Philana Miles, Aviation and Programs Planner, Central Region

Member: Marcus Zimmerman, Regional Maintenance Chief, Southcoast Region

Member: Stephen Ribuffo, Harbormaster Representative, Port of Anchorage

Alaska is blessed with one of the finest harbor systems in the country, and our magnificent coastline and bountiful marine resources make our harbors vitally important to Alaskans and our communities. The Harbor Facility Grant Program is consistent with the Department's transportation mission and furthering our role in supporting community owned harbor capital projects.

Please contact Michelle Duncan at (907) 465-6971 if you have any questions about your role or responsibilities.

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- 4. you consent to undertake the TRANSACTION electronically; and
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Copies of TRANSACTION Records

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How to Contact the State of Alaska

To ask a question on this ERSD or the DocuSign document generated after you complete the TRANSACTION or on using DocuSign to electronically undertake the TRANSACTION, contact the Alaska Department of Administration at either of the following addresses:

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