

**Resolution of the City of Gustavus, Alaska
Resolution No. 2008-08**

**A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE DOCUMENT "SALMON RIVER
HARBOR POLICY AND PROCEDURES"**

WHEREAS, The City of Gustavus has the need to develop a body of policy to direct the City Council in matters pertaining to management of the Salmon River Harbor, and;

WHEREAS, the City of Gustavus needs to create a procedural process to ensure safe, efficient and environmentally sound use of the Salmon River Harbor, its facilities, ramps, docks, floats, water front and natural environments for all citizens, businesses and visitors in a fair, equal and open manner;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the document titled 'Salmon River Harbor Policy and Procedures', be adopted as an official policy of the City of Gustavus.

PASSED and APPROVED by the Gustavus City Council, this 8th day of May, 2008.



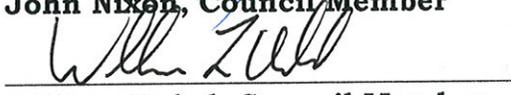
Ken Klawunder, Mayor



Mike Atkins, Council Member



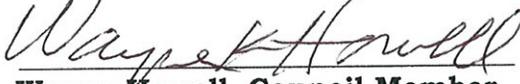
John Nixon, Council Member



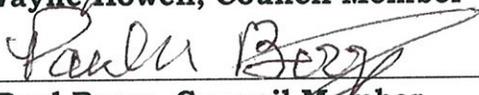
William Unkel, Council Member



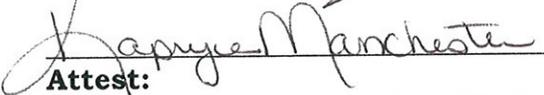
Sandi Marchbanks, Vice-Mayor



Wayne Howell, Council Member



Paul Berry, Council Member



**Attest:
Kapryce Manchester, City Clerk**

City of Gustavus

Policies and Procedures

Title: Salmon River Harbor Policy and Procedures

POLICY:

It is the Policy of the City of Gustavus to provide for the safe and efficient use of the Salmon River Harbor, its facilities, ramps, docks, floats and water front, to all citizens, businesses and visitors in a fair, equal and open manner. In so doing, it is the Policy of the City of Gustavus to protect the natural environment in the Salmon River harbor against any impacts which might, as a result of these various uses, including all uplands, shores, inter-tidal lands, and river bottom. Of particular importance is preservation, to the greatest extent possible, of the Salmon River estuary, its attributes, assets, biotic resources and natural processes.

To that end, the City of Gustavus will adopt ordinances, rules, regulations and operating procedures which will:

- (a) Provide for the orderly management, development, and control of the harbor facilities;
- (b) Protect and preserve the lives, health, safety and well-being of persons who use, work or maintain property at the harbor facilities;
- (c) Protect public property;
- (d) Prevent fire, hazardous spills, health hazards and abate nuisances;
- (e) Present and discourage the use of the harbor facilities for derelict vessels and property;
- (f) Insure adequate financial resources are available for upkeep and eventual replacement of the harbor facilities by the assessment of reasonable user fees, or through other means;
- (g) Conform with State of Alaska standards regarding ordinances and operations of harbor facilities
- (h) Foster an environment, by implementing rules, regulations and procedures in which all businesses that provide services utilizing City facilities and lands have fair, equal and open access to those facilities and lands for the conduct of their business, insuring that one business cannot gain an unfair advantage over another through unequal access or use of City-owned resources;
- (i) In developing and operating all facilities, consider any impacts such facilities or operations might have on the natural and biological resources of the Salmon River estuary, and devise means to abate those impacts; and
- (j) Honor the traditional uses and users of the Salmon River Harbor while fulfilling the spirit of the policy spelled out herein
- (k) Limit all development and improvements to the eastern shore of the Salmon River.

PROCEDURE:

Specific rules, regulations and operating procedures will be adopted, altered or amended as needed, and appended to this Policy and Procedure document under the heading 'Procedures.'

Signed

Mayor of the City of Gustavus