

**Denali Borough, Alaska
Planning Commission**

Resolution No. PC 14-06

**A RESOLUTION URGING THE ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES (DNR) TO
CONSIDER MULTIPLE STRESSES TO THE STAMPEDE CORRIDOR IN ITS DECISION MAKING,
PATROLING OF THE AREA, AND ISSUANCE OF PERMITS.**

WHEREAS, all formal acts by the Planning Commission must be by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Denali Borough government is well suited to make recommendations for land use within the Denali Borough; and

WHEREAS, the Stampede Corridor is used by many types of user groups, including both locals and visitors from around the state and country; and

WHEREAS, increasing annual deterioration of trails adds to observable erosion both on and near trails; and

WHEREAS, other notable problems include the presence of human waste, litter, and threats to human safety (e.g. search and rescue events, fatalities); and

WHEREAS, Yukon Tanana Area Plan establishes Habitat and Recreation as the designated land use and management intent for the Stampede Corridor; and

WHEREAS, DNR reviews permits of various types for use of the Stampede including the recent off-road filming application (LAS 25941).

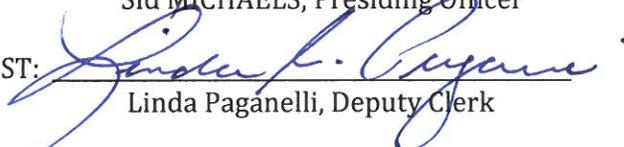
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Denali Borough Planning Commission requests that the Alaska DNR:

- maintain its presence as a landlord and monitor the use of the area relative to the terms of permits issued, ensuring that terms are met by permittees,
- consider the cumulative impacts to the area when reviewing new permit applications,
- consider alternative locations for the issuance of land use permits and consult with local sources of knowledge about land use in the Stampede corridor and elsewhere in the Denali Borough, and
- support the legislative efforts to create a State Recreation Area as an appropriate tool for management of this popular area.

PASSED and APPROVED by the DENALI BOROUGH PLANNING COMMISSION this 17th day of June 2014.


Sid MICHAELS, Presiding Officer

ATTEST:


Linda Paganelli, Deputy Clerk

VOTE: YEA: GRIGGS, JONES, JUSCZAK, LIGHTFOOT, MCKINLEY, MICHAELS, TENCH
NAY: 0
ABSENT: MENKE, MERCER

