

**CITY OF WHITTIER, ALASKA
RESOLUTION #03-2019**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WHITTIER, ALASKA,
DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO CEASE FURTHER PARTICIPATION OF THE
CREATION OF A PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND (PWS) BOROUGH WHICH INCLUDED THE
CITY OF WHITTIER**

WHEREAS, on September 18, 2018, the Whittier City Council adopted Resolution #24-2018 authorizing a payment of \$10,000 to Information Insights Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the payment was a contribution to a Prince William Sound Borough feasibility study in which The Girdwood Governance Association and The City of Cordova also participated; and

WHEREAS, on December 13, 2018, the Girdwood Governance Association and Information Insights Inc. held a public meeting in Whittier to report the findings of the feasibility study; and

WHEREAS, The City Council of Whittier, Alaska, along with citizens of the city proper, reviewed the study results; and

WHEREAS, after careful review and consideration, the City Council determined that further participation with the Girdwood Governance Association towards the creation of PWS Borough is not in the City's best interest; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of Whittier, Alaska, is opposed to the borough formation and directs the City Manager to cease further participation on the creation of a Prince William Sound Borough.

INTRODUCED by Jim Hunt, City Manager

PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the Whittier City Council on this 15th day of January, 2019.



Daniel Blair
Mayor

ATTEST:



Naelene Matsumiya
City Clerk

Ayes: 7
Nays: 0
Absent: 0
Abstain: 0