Introduced by: Councilmember Marney

Date: January 13, 2025

RESOLUTION NO. 5152

A RESOLUTION ALLOCATING DISCRETIONARY FUNDS FROM THE ROOM RENTAL TAX IN THE AMOUNT OF FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$400,000.00)

WHEREAS, the total amount of discretionary funds from the room rental tax for the FY2025 budget is four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000.00); and

WHEREAS, the Mayor appointed a committee to review grant applications from organizations to determine how and to whom these funds should be distributed; and

WHEREAS, although most proposals were laudable and had merit, there is only a limited amount of funds available; and

WHEREAS, after due deliberation the Discretionary Fund Committee is bringing forth this recommendation for City Council consideration.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Fairbanks, that:

Section 1. The following named recipients are hereby allocated the total sum of four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000.00) as follows:

	Name of Organization	Award	
1	Fairbanks Youth Litter Patrol, Inc.	\$	12,333.00
2	Alaska International Senior Games, Inc.	\$	16,333.00
3	World I.C.E. Association dba: Ice Alaska	\$	40,920.00
4	North Star Community Foundation/Friends of S.S. Nenana	\$	30,167.00
5	Pioneer Memorial Park, Inc. dba Fairbanks Pioneer Museum	\$	19,833.00
6	Clay Street Cemetery Commission	\$	11,712.00
7	Festival Fairbanks, Inc.	\$	28,167.00
8	Friends of Creamer's Field	\$	15,337.00
9	Yukon Quest International, Ltd. (Yukon Quest Alaska)	\$	34,667.00
10	Cold Steel Pan Orchestra	\$	2,675.00
11	Fairbanks Children's Museum	\$	13,833.00
12	The World Eskimo-Indian Olympics	\$	21,416.00

	Name of Organization (continued)	Award	
13	Georgeson Botanical Garden Friends	\$	12,104.00
14	Alaska Songbird Institute	\$	9,299.00
15	Alaska Dog Musher's Association, Inc.	\$	26,833.00
16	Fairbanks Youth Soccer Association	\$	8,917.00
17	Alaska Goldpanner Baseball, Inc.	\$	30,167.00
18	University of Alaska Museum of the North	\$	6,410.00
19	Fairbanks Community Band, Inc.	\$	12,750.00
20	Literacy Council of Alaska	\$	9,700.00
21	Fairbanks Community Museum	\$	18,667.00
22	Downtown Association of Fairbanks Community Services	\$	12,660.00
23	Golden Heart Consulting	\$	5,100.00
	TOTAL	\$	400,000.00

Section 2. The effective date of this resolution is five days after adoption.

David Pruhs, City Mayor

AYES:

PASSED and APPROVED on the CONSENT AGENDA

NAYS:

None Tidwell

ABSENT:

APPROVED: January 13, 2025

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

D. Danyielle Snider, MMC, City Clerk

Thomas A. Chard II, City Attorney

CITY OF FAIRBANKS FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST:								
Ordinance or Resolution No	o: <u>5152</u>							
Abbreviated Title: RESOLUTION ALLOCATING DISCRETIONARY FUNDS FOR 2025								
Department(s):	GENERAL							
Does the adoption of this or	dinance or resolution authorize:							
1) additional costs beyond t	he current adopted budget?	Yes	No	x				
2) additional support or mai	additional support or maintenance costs? YesNo							
If yes, w	hat is the estimate? see below	***************************************						
3) additional positions beyo	nd the current adopted budget?	Yes	No	х				
	ow many positions?							
If ye	s, type of positions?	(F - Full Time, P - Pa	art Time, T - T	emporary)				
II. FINANCIAL DETAIL:								
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PROJECTS:								
ROOM RENTAL DISTRIBUTIO	NS		\$	-				
TOTAL			\$	•				
FUNDING SOURCE:				TOTAL				
GENERAL FUND [GENERAL .	ACCOUNT]		\$	TOTAL -				
TOTAL			\$	•				
	e room rental distribution for discretions		nt of \$400,000 v	vas .				
appropriated in the 2025 budge	t in accordance with Fairbanks Genera	al Code 74-117 (b)(3).						
Prepared by Finance Depar	tment: Initial_	mb	Date	1/3/2025				