KETCHIKAN CHARTER COMMISSION

Glen Thompson, Chair email: charter@kpunet.net

May 4, 2006

Mr. Dan Bockhorst Division of Community Advocacy Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development 550 West 7th Ave., Suite 1770 Anchorage, AK 99501-3510

VIA EMAIL

RE: REQUEST FOR TECHNICAL REVIEW

Dear Mr. Bockhorst:

The Ketchikan Charter Commission met on May 3, 2006 to approve that a request be sent to DCED for a technical review of the Petition for Consolidation's charter. That agenda item passed unanimously.

In accordance with the suggestion in the Preliminary Report on the Ketchikan Charter Commission's Consolidation Petition, we respectfully request that the DCED conduct a technical review of the Charter contained within the Ketchikan Charter Commission's Petition for the proposed consolidated Municipality. We encourage the DCED to consult with staffs of the City of Ketchikan and the Ketchikan Gateway Borough during this technical review.

Sincerely,

Glen Thompson, Chair

Ketchikan Charter Commission

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Attachment: Final Amended Charter, Petition for Consolidation

C: City Manager, Karl Amylon, w/Attachment Borough Manager, Roy Eckert, w/Attachment City Clerk, Katy Suiter w/Attachment Borough Clerk, Harriett Edwards w/Attachment City Finance Director, Bob Newell w/Attachment Borough Finance Director, Mike Houts w/Attachment City Attorney, Steve Schweppe w/Attachment Borough Attorney, Scott Brandt-Erichsen w/Attachment City Clerk, City of Saxman, w/Attachment -- Mail Librarian, Judith Anglin, w/Attachment

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