

CITY OF DILLINGHAM, ALASKA

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-50

A RESOLUTION OF THE DILLINGHAM CITY COUNCIL ADOPTING AN ALTERNATIVE ALLOCATION METHOD FOR THE FY25 SHARED FISHERIES BUSINESS TAX PROGRAM AND CERTIFYING THAT THIS ALLOCATION METHOD FAIRLY REPRESENTS THE DISTRIBUTION OF SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS OF FISHERIES BUSINESS ACTIVITY IN FMA 5: BRISTOL BAY AREA

WHEREAS, AS 29.60.450 requires that for a municipality to participate in the FY25 Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program, the municipality must demonstrate to the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development that the municipality suffered significant effects during calendar year 2023 from fisheries business activities; and

WHEREAS, 3 AAC 134.060 provides for the allocation of available program funding to eligible municipalities located within fisheries management areas specified by the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development; and

WHEREAS, 3 AAC 134.070 provides for the use, at the discretion of the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, of alternative allocation methods which may be used within fisheries management areas if all eligible municipalities within the area agree to use the method, and the method incorporates some measure of the relative significant effect of fisheries business activity on the respective municipalities in the area; and

WHEREAS, The Dillingham City Council proposes to use an alternative allocation method for allocation of the FY25 funding available within the FMA 5: Bristol Bay Area in agreement with all other municipalities in this area participating in the FY25 Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dillingham City Council certifies that the following alternative allocation method fairly represents the distribution of significant effects during 2023 fisheries business activity in FMA 5: Bristol Bay Area:

- All municipalities share equally 40% of all allocation; all share remaining 60% on a per capita basis
- Lake & Peninsula Borough population is reduced by the population of the Cities of Newhalen, Nondalton, Pilot Point & Egegik

PASSED and ADOPTED by a duly constituted quorum of the Dillingham City Council on December 17, 2024.

Alice Ruby, Mayor

ATTEST:

[SEAL]

Abigail Flynn, Acting City Clerk



THE STATE
of **ALASKA**
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Dear Anita Fuller:

The Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development is pleased to announce availability of the **FY 2025 Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program**. The purpose of the program is to allocate a share of state fish tax collected outside municipal boundaries with municipalities affected by fishing industry activities. Municipalities around the state will share approximately \$770,000.00 based on 2023 fisheries activity as reported by fish processors on their fish tax returns. Details of how the program works are included in the application under Program Description.

Historically, your municipality along with the other communities in your fisheries management area, FMA 5: Bristol Bay has filed using the Alternative Method found on the last four pages of this application. A breakdown is included that details the communities in your FMA, in addition to the anticipated payment based on the agreed upon allocation method for your FMA. If this agreement is still in place with your FMA, you will only need to have your Council/Assembly pass the enclosed alternative method sample resolution in order to participate in the program.

If your FMA intends to change the alternative method of allocation, the new proposal must be submitted to our office no later than **January 15, 2025**. If an agreement cannot be made with all communities in your FMA, you will need to file using the standard method and claim your significant effects. Instructions on both of these methods are detailed in the application packet.

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF COMPLETED APPLICATION IS
FEBRUARY 15, 2025**

Applications can be scanned and emailed to caa@alaska.gov with the subject line "**City of Dillingham, FY25, SFBT**". If you have any questions about the program or require assistance in completing the application, please contact Lindsay Reese at lindsay.reese@alaska.gov or call (907) 269-7906.

Sincerely,

Lindsay Reese

Lindsay Reese
Grants Administrator 2

FMA 5: Bristol Bay					FY 22 Landing Tax Allocation	Reference
	Total allocation:	40% Divided	60% per capita	LONG	\$0.00	Number
	\$30,449.62	\$12,179.85	\$18,269.77			
Community	Population	40% divided share	60% per capita share	Calculated Allocation	Calculated Allocation	Total Distribution
Bristol Bay Borough	809	\$936.91	\$2,215.93	\$3,152.84	\$0.00	25-SF05-02 \$ 3,152.84
City of Aleknagik	218	\$936.91	\$597.12	\$1,534.03	\$0.00	25-SF05-01 \$ 1,534.03
City of Clark's Point	58	\$936.91	\$158.87	\$1,095.78	\$0.00	25-SF05-03 \$ 1,095.78
City of Dillingham	2,118	\$936.91	\$5,801.41	\$6,738.32	\$0.00	25-SF05-04 \$ 6,738.32
City of Egegik	29	\$936.91	\$79.43	\$1,016.35	\$0.00	25-SF05-05 \$ 1,016.35
City of Ekwok	104	\$936.91	\$284.87	\$1,221.78	\$0.00	25-SF05-06 \$ 1,221.78
City of Manokotak	495	\$936.91	\$1,355.85	\$2,292.76	\$0.00	25-SF05-08 \$ 2,292.76
City of New Stuyahok	465	\$936.91	\$1,273.68	\$2,210.59	\$0.00	25-SF05-09 \$ 2,210.59
City of Newhalen	184	\$936.91	\$503.99	\$1,440.91	\$0.00	25-SF05-10 \$ 1,440.91
City of Nondalton	113	\$936.91	\$309.52	\$1,246.43	\$0.00	25-SF05-11 \$ 1,246.43
City of Pilot Point	59	\$936.91	\$161.61	\$1,098.52	\$0.00	25-SF05-12 \$ 1,098.51
City of Togiak	733	\$936.91	\$2,007.76	\$2,944.67	\$0.00	25-SF05-13 \$ 2,944.68
Lake & Peninsula Borough	1,285	\$936.91	\$3,519.74	\$4,456.65	\$0.00	25-SF05-07 \$ 4,456.65
Totals	6,670	\$12,179.85	\$18,269.77	\$30,449.62	\$0.00	\$ 30,449.63
Community Count	13					
* All municipalities share equally 40% of allocation; all share remaining 60% on a per capita basis.						
** L & P Borough population = pop (1407 less pop. of cities in FMA in Borough (Newhalen, Nondalton, Pilot Point & Egegik)						
					FBT + FLT	
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					\$30,449.62	
					OKAY	