

Comment

Docket OST-00-8556-39

DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION  
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City of Adak, Alaska Resolution 02-050902

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL REQUESTING THE  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TAKE NECESSARY ACTION REGARDING  
ESSENTIAL AIR SERVICE AT ADAK, ALASKA

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Transportation issued order 2001-7-3 on July 9, 2001 for Essential Air Service at Adak, Alaska pursuant to 49 USC 41731 et seq selecting Evergreen International Airlines, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the decision of the U.S. Department of Transportation recognized that the very long distance of 1,200 miles, coupled with very severe and unpredictable weather almost dictates the use of large aircraft; and

WHEREAS, Evergreen International contracted with the United States to provide Adak with two one stop round trip to Anchorage weekly - year round, passenger and cargo combination jet service;

WHEREAS, Evergreen International was finally awarded the U. S. Mail contract on March 6, 2002;

WHEREAS, It is the position of the USDOT that the 120 day clock for Evergreen to provide passenger service started, effective when it received the Mail service contract on March 6, 2002;

WHEREAS, The 120 day clock therefore expires on or about July 4, 2002; and,


WHEREAS, Evergreen International is to provide Combination passenger and freight/mail service to Adak twice a week;

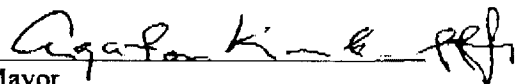
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Adak that the U.S. Department of Transportation makes a demand upon Evergreen to meet its contractual obligation for Essential Air Service to Adak on or before July 4, 2002;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the U.S. Department of Transportation considers reopening the docket OST-8556 for acceptance of new carrier proposals if the deadline is not reasonably met.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 2002.

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk (Acting)

  
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Mayor