## Town of Homer Amended Ordinance No. 16-006

## AN AMENDED ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF HOMER TO REGULATE THE RAISING AND/OR KEEPING OF LIVESTOCK WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF HOMER

WHEREAS, an ordinance has been proposed to be adopted by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Homer; and

WHEREAS, the proposed ordinance must be introduced by its title; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing must be held prior to its adoption; and

WHEREAS, the title of the proposed ordinance must be published in the official journal and the notice shall provide for the time and place where the Board will consider its adoption;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the following ordinance be and it is hereby adopted by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Homer:

## **Livestock Prohibition**

It shall be unlawful for any person to raise and/or keep livestock within the municipal limits of the Town of Homer, unless that person keeps the livestock in a well maintained, fenced area that consists of at least three (3) acres.

This provision shall not apply to livestock who are participating in, or traveling to or from, a parade within the municipal limits of the Town of Homer.

This provision shall also not apply to livestock that are temporarily kept in conjunction with any State sanctioned animal rescue program.

"Livestock" shall be defined as domesticated animals raised or kept to produce commodities such as food, fiber, and labor, including but not limited to horses, cattle, pigs, sheep, and other livestock.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this ordinance of the Town of Homer shall become effective on the <u>11th</u> day of <u>July</u> , 2016.
This Ordinance was duly introduced, the title of this ordinance was duly published in accordance with law, and then duly read and adopted on the11th day ofJuly_, 2016 by the following votes:
<u>5</u> YEAS <u>0</u> NAYS <u>0</u> ABSENT <u>0</u> ABSTAIN.
This Ordinance was adopted on the11th day ofJuly_, 2016 and presented to the Mayor for his signature on11th day ofJuly_, 2016, 2016 (which is less than 3 days from the date the ordinance was adopted).  LORI KIRKPATRICK, TOWN CLERK
Approved by the Mayor on this11th day ofJuly_, 2016.  DANNY ROY LEWIS, MAYOR