

**COPPER VALLEY ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION, INC.**

**RESOLUTION 17-04**

**SUPPORT FOR ROADBELT ELECTRICAL TRANSMISSION LINE DEVELOPMENT**

WHEREAS, Copper Valley Electric Association (CVEA) has pursued connectivity to the Railbelt Grid for over two decades; and

WHEREAS, CVEA Members would get relief from winter energy prices by such a connection to the Railbelt Grid; and

WHEREAS, a State grid connected to the Railbelt Grid, now known as the "Roadbelt Grid" project, would provide greater reliability and stability for all those connected to it; and

WHEREAS, a transmission line from Sutton to Glennallen to Delta would create a statewide grid that gives CVEA's system greater reliability and allow the sale of excess hydropower from Allison Creek and Solomon Gulch Hydropower Plants; and

WHEREAS, a connection into the Roadbelt Grid is in the best interest of CVEA; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the CVEA Board of Directors declares herein that CVEA is in support of the Roadbelt Electrical Transmission Line Development effort.

Approved and signed this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 2017, in Glennallen, Alaska.

  
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Secretary Pro Tem

  
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Lon Rake, President of the Board

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