

**THE KUSKOKWIM INTER-TRIBAL FISH COMMISSION**

**A RESOLUTION APPOINTING A FOURTH MEMBER TO THE IN-SEASON  
CONSULTATION COMMITTEE AND CREATING A FOURTH IN-SEASON  
MANAGER POSITION.**

**RESOLUTION 18-02**

WHEREAS, in 2016 the Kuskokwim Inter-Tribal Fish Commission (KRITFC) entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to formalize the fishery management partnership between the United States Department of the Interior and the KRITFC and to provide for cooperative management of the Kuskokwim River;

WHEREAS, in the MOU, the KRITFC agreed to designate an in-season consultation committee composed of the fewest number of Commissioners that can adequately represent the member tribes;

WHEREAS, the KRITFC subsequently designated three of its Commissioners to the in-season consultation committee, and referred to those committee members as "in-season managers";

WHEREAS, after the 2015, 2016 and 2017 seasons, the KRITFC believes that in order to better represent its member tribes, it is necessary to designate the Commissioner from Bethel as an in-season manager;

WHEREAS, the KRITFC believes that the Commissioner from Bethel's Orutsararmiut Native Council (ONTC) is uniquely situated to represent a large number of tribal users served by the Commission, and is best able to share those users' concerns and observations during in-season management discussions and actions;

WHEREAS, the inclusion of this fourth in-season manager will not be an additional in-season travel cost, as the Commissioner for Bethel must reside in Bethel.

NOW BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, the KRITFC hereby appoints the Commissioner for Bethel as an in-season manager and member of the in-season management committee.

PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the Executive Council of the KRITFC this 5<sup>th</sup> day of MAY, 2018.

ATTEST: Charlene Erik  
Charlene Erik, Secretary

Nick Kameroff, Jr.  
Nick Kameroff, Jr., Chairman