CITY OF CRAIG **RESOLUTION 12-14**

SUPPORTING EFFORTS TO IMPROVE CELLULAR TELEPHONE SERVICE TO NORTH PRINCE OF WALES ISLAND

WHEREAS, cellular phone usage has become standard for routine, emergency, personal and business use throughout Prince of Wales Island; and

WHEREAS, cellular service is now available to most communities and populated areas in central and southern Prince of Wales Island; and

WHEREAS, improved cellular service on the northern portion of Prince of Wales Island would improve emergency response and communications; and

WHEREAS, there have been numerous emergency situations, including fatal accidents in populated areas without cellular service; and

WHEREAS, improved cellular service would increase business opportunity in the northern Prince of Wales Island communities; and

WHEREAS, improved cellular service would improve boating safety by backing up marine communications in the area; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the City of Craig hereby supports improving cellular service on northern Prince of Wales Island by installing necessary communications towers and other equipment.

October APPROVED 2012.

Demis Watson, Mayor

ATTEST

