RESOLUTION NO. 59-90

WHEREAS, tourism development is extremely important to the economic diversification of Mason County; and,

WHEREAS, public salt water access is vital to the community for their continued enjoyment to the waters of Hood Canal; and,

WHEREAS, the Port of Hoodsport is striving to increase public access to Hood Canal and provide new recreational opportunities; and,

WHEREAS, the Washington Department of Natural Resources has available grant funds for land acquisition for increased public access from their Aquatic Land Enhancement Account.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Board of Mason County Commissioners is in full support of the Hoodsport Port's application to the Department of Natural Resources for \$57,688.00 to acquire certain adjoining uplands and tidelands adjacent to the Port's existing dock in Hoodsport for the purpose of increased public access to the waters of Hood Canal.

DATED this 24th day of July, 1990.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MASON COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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