Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 08/19/25
Hearing: 09/02/25
Action: Enacted
Vote: 8 Yes, 0 No, 1 Absent

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ORDINANCE 2025-19-08

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2024-19-36, RELATING TO COMMERCIAL PASSENGER VESSEL TAX PROCEEDS RECEIVED FROM THE STATE OF ALASKA TO THE CITIES OF SEWARD AND HOMER, TO PROVIDE A REVISED EFFECTIVE DATE

- WHEREAS, Ordinance 2024-19-36, appropriating and allocating commercial passenger vessel tax proceeds received from the State of Alaska to the city of Seward and the city of Homer for \$532,595, was effective immediately upon its enactment on May 20, 2025; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Commercial Passenger Vessel (CPV) excise tax collections are derived from taxes imposed on cruise ship passengers; and
- **WHEREAS,** the City of Seward and City of Homer are both eligible ports of call for receiving CPV funds; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Seward notified the KPB that it incurred eligible costs for CPV funds use as of May 1, 2025 and requests the effective date provided for in Ordinance 2024-19-36 be amended to provide a May 1, 2025 effective date;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:

- **SECTION 1.** That this is a non-code ordinance.
- **SECTION 2.** That Section 6 of Ordinance 2024-19-36 is hereby amended to read as follows: "That this ordinance shall be effective retroactively on May 1, 2025."
- **SECTION 3.** That the Mayor is authorized to execute grant agreements, amendments, and any other documents deemed necessary to fulfill the intent and purpose of this ordinance.
- **SECTION 4.** That all other enacted sections and provisions of Ordinance 2024-19-36 remain intact and unchanged.
- **SECTION 5.** This ordinance shall be effective immediately.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 2ND DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2025.



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ATTEST:

Michele Turner, CMC, Borough Clerk

Cox, Cooper, Ecklund, Dunne, Johnson, Morton, Tunseth, Ribbens Yes:

No: None

Absent: Baisden