

Kenai Peninsula Borough

Community & Fiscal Projects Manager

MEMORANDUM

TO: Brent Hibbert, Assembly President
Members, Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly

THRU: Charlie Pierce, Mayor *CP*
Melanie Aeschliman, Planning Director *MA*

FROM: Brenda Ahlberg, Community & Fiscal Projects Manager *Bd*

DATE: November 19, 2020

SUBJECT: Resolution 2020-082, Supporting the Transportation Priorities to be Considered for Grant Funding to be Submitted to the State of Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities (Mayor)

This resolution supports the local transportation committee's efforts to prioritize projects identified in the Kenai Peninsula Coordinated Transportation Plan as updated in 2019. The committee is made up of diverse stakeholders, including nonprofit, medical, tribal, governmental, private business and agencies, transportation providers and users of public transportation.

The prioritized projects will be submitted by the Independent Living Center, Inc. to the Alaska Department of Transportation for the purpose of applying for federal pass-through funding from Federal Transit Administration programs as well as the Alaska Mental Health Trust. The Independent Living Center, Inc. was the only organization that presented applications to the committee for consideration and ranking.

The prioritized projects must be supported by a local governing body for the projects to be eligible for federal and state transit funding. This resolution requests such support and has no fiscal note attached for the borough assembly.