

Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 04/20/21
Hearing: 05/04/21
Action: Enacted
Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE 2020-19-28**

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$46,000 FROM THE SEWARD-BEAR CREEK FLOOD SERVICE AREA FUND BALANCE TO COMPLETE GROUND CONTROL SURVEYS, ESTABLISH BENCHMARKS AND CHANNEL DESIGN IN THREE SITES FOR THE SEDIMENT MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE PROGRAM

- WHEREAS,** the Seward-Bear Creek Flood Service Area (SBCFSA) provides flood planning, protection, and mitigation services for flooding within the service area; and
- WHEREAS,** during high water events, large volumes of sediments and debris are transported throughout the watersheds of Seward, Bear Creek and Lowell Point neighborhoods through channelized stream corridors; and
- WHEREAS,** the SBCFSA completes periodic channel and embankment maintenance projects at strategic locations in five area creeks; and
- WHEREAS,** in recent years the SBCFSA has prioritized the development of standardized maintenance and sediment management plans for these project sites; and
- WHEREAS,** the SBCFSA proposes to establish a sediment management and maintenance program to reduce costs and extend the time between necessary maintenance projects; and
- WHEREAS,** the SBCFSA has developed maintenance plans in two sites and completed a successful project in Sawmill Creek; and
- WHEREAS,** to finalize the standardization and maintenance plans for this program, SBCFSA will contract the completion of ground control surveys, establishment of benchmarks and channel design plans for three maintenance sites; and
- WHEREAS,** at the February 8, 2021 regular meeting, the SBCFSA Board of Directors unanimously recommended approval of this appropriation;

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

SECTION 1. That \$46,000 is appropriated from the Seward Bear Creek Flood Service Area Fund, fund balance to account number 259.21212.21SED.49999 to support the standardization and maintenance plans for three sites, Lost Creek, Box Canyon Creek and the Salmon Creek diversion.


SECTION 2. That this ordinance shall be effective immediately upon enactment.

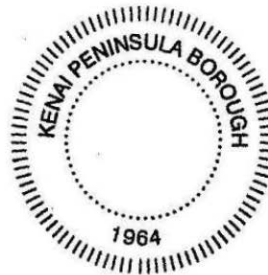
ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 4TH DAY OF MAY, 2021.



Brent Hibbert, Assembly President

ATTEST:



Jonni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk

Yes: Bjorkman, Carpenter, Chesley, Cox, Derkevorkian, Dunne, Elam, Johnson, Hibbert
No: None
Absent: None