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MEMORANDUM

TO: Blaine Gilman, Assembly President
Members, Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly

THRU: Mike Navarre, Mayor *MN*
Craig Chapman, Finance Director *C Chapman*
Valentina Sustaita, Purchasing and Contracting Director *V. Sustaita*

FROM: Stephanie Presley, Flood Service Area Coordinator *SP*

DATE: October 13, 2016

SUBJECT: Ordinance 2016-19- 14, Appropriating \$75,000 from the Seward/Bear Creek Flood Service Area Fund Balance to Complete Repair and Recovery Work on Box Canyon Creek, Sawmill Creek and Two Sites on Salmon Creek near Seward, Alaska (Mayor)

During the week of September 20, 2016, the Seward area received over four inches of rain during a forty-eight hour period, increasing water levels and sediment transportation in local area streams. At four critical sites on Box Canyon Creek, Sawmill Creek and two sites on Salmon Creek the gravel embankments were eroded to breach or near-breach.

Additional storms could cause further damage to these sites and threaten infrastructure and public and private property. The projects will include rebuilding of these river banks to pre-existing conditions to mitigate additional damages.

The Seward/Bear Creek Flood Service Area board at the October 3, 2016, regular meeting approved up to \$75,000 from fund balance to complete recovery and repair work on Box Canyon Creek, Sawmill Creek, and two sites on Salmon Creek.

Your consideration of this ordinance is appreciated.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT ACCOUNT / FUNDS VERIFIED	
Acct. No.	<u>259.27910 (FB)</u>
Amount	<u>\$75,000.00</u>
By: <u>pp</u>	Date: <u>10/13/16</u>