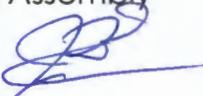


MEMORANDUM

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

FROM: Jesse Bjorkman, Assembly Member 

DATE: December 7, 2021

SUBJECT: Bjorkman Amendment to Ordinance 2021-40, Amending KPB 2.40.015 Regarding Planning Commission Membership and Apportionment (Cox, Chesley)

[Please note the bold underlined language is new and the strikeout bold language in brackets is to be deleted.]

- Amend Section 1, subsection C as follows:
- C. At-Large Seats. Planning commissioners residing [FROM] outside of first class and home rule cities shall be appointed at-large by the mayor and confirmed by the assembly and [MAY BE AS] representative of the following **assembly districts** [GEOGRAPHIC AREAS AS PRACTICAL]:
 1. ~~[East Peninsula]~~**Assembly District 1 - Kalifornsky;**
 2. ~~[Southwest Borough]~~**Assembly District 2 - Kenai;**
 3. ~~[AnchorPoint/Ninilchik]~~[CLAM GULCH/KASILOF]**Assembly District 3 - Nikiski;**
 4. ~~[Clam Gulch/Kasilof]~~**Assembly District 4 – Soldotna;**
 - 5.[4.] ~~[Kalifornsky Beach]~~**Assembly District 5 – Sterling/Funny River;**
 - 6.[5.] ~~[Ridgeway]~~**Assembly District 6 –East Peninsula;**
 - 7.[6.] ~~[Sterling]~~**Assembly District 7 - Central;**
 - 8.[7.] ~~[Northwest Borough.]~~**Assembly District 8 – Homer;**
 9. **Assembly District 9 – South Peninsula.**

Planning commissioners appointed to represent a district shall reside within that district. In the event that no qualified residents of an at-large district apply to fill a vacancy for that district's seat, then that seat may be filled with a qualified resident of the Borough who resides outside of city limits.

[The geographic areas referenced in this section are depicted in the map on file at the borough clerk's office bearing the borough seal and identified as the planning apportionment map approved in Ordinance 2001-29.]

- Add a new Section 3 as follows:

SECTION 3. That the amendments to KPB 2.40.015 shall not affect current borough planning commissioners and shall only be applicable to a planning commissioner whose terms begins after January 1, 2022.

Your consideration of these amendments is appreciated.