

Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 10/08/19
Hearing: 10/22/19
Action: Enacted
Vote: 8 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent,
1 Abstention

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE 2019-19-12**

**AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING FUNDING FROM THE
STATE OF ALASKA IN THE AMOUNT OF \$426,303 FOR COMMUNITY PURPOSES
UNDER THE STATE’S 2019/2020 COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, the Alaska State Legislature has provided funding to municipalities and unincorporated communities through the Community Assistance Program (“CAP”); and

WHEREAS, AS 29.60.865 requires the assembly of a borough or unified municipality to adopt a resolution identifying those unincorporated communities located within their municipal boundaries that the assembly determines meet the CAP program eligibility criteria established under AS 29.60.865; and

WHEREAS, through enactment of KPB Resolution 2019-019, the borough assembly certified that 27 unincorporated communities within the Kenai Peninsula Borough are eligible for participation in the state’s CAP program; and

WHEREAS, funds in the amount of \$426,303 have been received from the Alaska Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development for the benefit of the 27 unincorporated communities; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to KPB Resolution 2013-022, a fee of 2.0 percent of the grant amount will be charged against the grant to cover general administrative costs; and

WHEREAS, the \$426,303, less administrative costs, is to be distributed evenly among the 27 unincorporated communities within the borough, or may be expended by the borough on behalf of the community; and

WHEREAS, the CAP program allows funds to be used for any public purpose at the discretion of the local governing body and as allowed by state statutes and borough code; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the borough and the 27 unincorporated communities to accept these state funds to help defray costs of providing services and programs to their residents;

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

SECTION 1. That the mayor is authorized to accept \$426,303 from the State of Alaska for distribution to eligible communities or for expenditure by the borough on the community's behalf.

SECTION 2. That the mayor is authorized to execute any documents deemed necessary to accept and expend the Community Assistance Program funds and to fulfill the intents and purposes of this ordinance.


SECTION 3. That state funds in the amount of \$426,303 are appropriated to account 271.94910.20CAP.49999 contract services.

SECTION 4. Acceptance of the above grant by a community is subject to the requirement that prior to the distribution of grant funds, the recipient(s) and proposed project(s) shall be approved by the assembly through adoption of a resolution.

SECTION 5. That due to the length and nature of this project, a community shall forfeit any remaining grant distribution at the end of two consecutive fiscal years if the community has not fulfilled the intents and purposes of its grant agreement to be reappropriated by the assembly.


SECTION 6. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its enactment.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 22ND DAY OF OCTOBER, 2019.

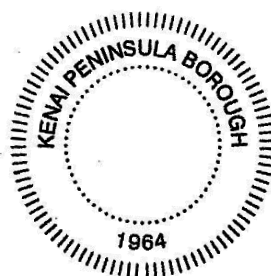


Kelly Cooper, Assembly President

ATTEST:



Johni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk



Yes: Bjorkman, Blakeley, Carpenter, Cox, Dunne, Hibbert, Smalley, Cooper

No: None

Absent: None

Abstention: Johnson