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**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 2020-029**

**A RESOLUTION TEMPORARILY SUSPENDING CERTAIN ITEMS ON THE
ASSEMBLY AGENDA DURING THE COVID-19 DISASTER**

WHEREAS, the borough mayor issued a Disaster Emergency Declaration on March 16, 2020, due to the current and imminent impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic in the areas of the borough outside of the cities which the assembly extended for 90 days through Resolution 2020-026 adopted March 17, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Governor Dunleavy issued a Declaration of Public Health Disaster Emergency (“disaster emergency”) on March 11, 2020 due to the spread of COVID-19 which the Alaska Legislature extended through passage of Senate Bill 241 (“SB241”); and

WHEREAS, due to restrictions on public gatherings imposed by the state and federal governments, and the worldwide efforts underway to limit the spread of COVID-19, the assembly meetings are being held remotely via telephonic and on-line technology such as Zoom, Facebook and other platforms; and

WHEREAS, while the use of telephonic and on-line technology enables the meetings to be held remotely and the public to have access, preparing for, establishing, managing and attending these meetings is time-consuming and has challenges for all involved during this already trying time; and

WHEREAS, temporarily suspending some items on the agenda during this difficult time will help to shorten the meetings and allow for more efficient use of time for everyone involved;

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

SECTION 1. That the following items are temporarily suspended from the assembly meetings until the assembly meets in person again:

- A. Ceremonial matters such as commending resolutions and proclamations.
- B. Presentations to the assembly with prior notice, except those directly related to COVID-19 or other time-sensitive matters as approved by the Assembly President.

SECTION 2. That the quarterly reports required to be provided by South Peninsula Hospital, Inc. and Central Peninsula General Hospital, Inc. shall be submitted to the assembly and administration in writing.


SECTION 3. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 21ST DAY OF APRIL, 2020.

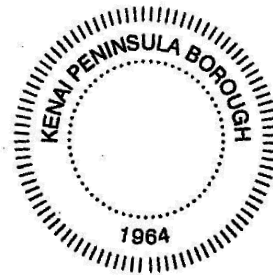


Kelly Cooper, Assembly President

ATTEST:



Johni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk



Yes: Bjorkman, Blakeley, Carpenter, Cox, Dunne, Hibbert, Johnson, Smalley, Cooper
No: None
Absent: None