

Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 06/20/17
Hearing: 07/18/17
Action: Enacted
Vote: 8 Yes, 0 No, 1 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE 2017-19-01**

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND APPROPRIATING GRANT FUNDS TOTALING \$34,559.67 FROM THE ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES FOR THE VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM ON BEHALF OF ANCHOR POINT FIRE & EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE AREA, BEAR CREEK FIRE SERVICE AREA, CENTRAL EMERGENCY SERVICE AREA, KACHEMAK EMERGENCY SERVICE AREA AND NIKISKI FIRE SERVICE AREA

WHEREAS, Anchor Point Fire & Emergency Service Area, Bear Creek Fire Service Area, Central Emergency Service Area, Kachemak Emergency Service Area and the Nikiski Fire Service Area applied for individual grants under the 2017 Volunteer fire Assistance Program administered by the Alaska Department of Natural Resources, Division of Forestry; and

WHEREAS, the borough received award notification, allowing the service areas to purchase wildland firefighting equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Volunteer Fire Assistance Program requires a 10 percent match of local expenditures toward the grant funds; and

WHEREAS, the service areas will meet the match requirement through expenditures made from their approved FY18 operating budget prior to December 31, 2017; and

WHEREAS, at its regular meeting on April 19, 2017, the Anchor Point Fire & Emergency Service Area board recommended by unanimous approval to accept the grant funds; and

WHEREAS, at its regular meeting on April 11, 2017, the Bear Creek Fire Service Area board recommended by unanimous approval to accept the grant funds; and

WHEREAS, at its regular meeting on January 19, 2017, the Central Emergency Service Area board recommended by unanimous approval to accept the grant funds; and

WHEREAS, at its regular meeting on April 13, 2017, the Kachemak Emergency Service Area board recommended by unanimous approval to accept the grant funds; and

WHEREAS, at its regular meeting on March 8, 2017, the Nikiski Fire Service Area board recommended by unanimous approval to accept the grant funds; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the borough to accept the grant funds;

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

SECTION 1. That the mayor is authorized to accept the 2017 Volunteer Fire Assistance Program grant funds from the Alaska Department of Natural Resource on behalf of the Anchor Point Fire & Emergency Service Area, Bear Creek Fire Service Area, Central Emergency Service Area, Kachemak Emergency Service Area and the Nikiski Fire Service Area, and is authorized execute a grant agreement and any other documents deemed necessary to expend the grant and to fulfill the intents and purposes of this ordinance.

SECTION 2. That Anchor Point Fire & Emergency Service Area grant funds in the amount of \$7,500 are appropriated to the account 209.51410.18VF3.49999.

SECTION 3. That Bear Creek Fire Service Area grant funds in the amount of \$6,473.67 are appropriated to the account 207.51210.18VF2.49999.

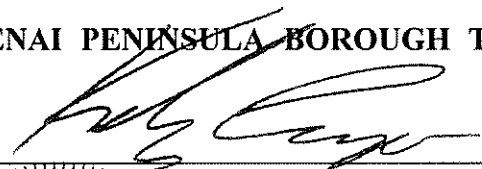
SECTION 4. That Central Emergency Service Area grant funds in the amount of \$6,602 are appropriated to the account 211.51610.18VF4.49999.

SECTION 5. That Kachemak Emergency Service Area grant funds in the amount of \$7,226 are appropriated to the account 212.51810.18VF5.49999.

SECTION 6. That Nikiski Fire Service Area grant funds in the amount of \$6,758 are appropriated to the account 206.51110.18VF1.49999.

SECTION 7. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon enactment.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 18TH DAY OF JULY, 2017.

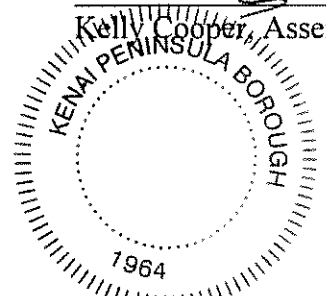


Kelly Cooper, Assembly President

ATTEST:



John Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk



Yes: Bagley, Carpenter, Dunne, Fischer, Hibbert, Ogie, Schaefer, Cooper
No: None
Absent: Welles