Kenai Peninsula Borough

Proposed Central Kenai Economic Development Service Area – Ordinance 2015-24 Public Hearing Summary

August 13, 2015, 2015 – 6:00 p.m.

Assembly Chambers, George A. Navarre Borough Administrative Building, Soldotna, Alaska

CALL TO ORDER

In accordance with KPB 16.04.040, a public hearing was held in Soldotna, Alaska on August 13, 2015, at the George A. Navarre Borough Administration Building. Assembly Member Wolf called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting was to hear comments from interested persons favoring or opposing Ordinance 2015-24 which proposes the establishment of the Central Kenai Economic Development Service Area.

There were present:

Kelly Wolf, Chair Wayne Ogle Stan Welles

Assembly appointed members of the public hearing special committee.

Also in attendance were:

Mike Navarre, Borough Mayor Liz Leduc, Assistant Borough Attorney Johni Blankenship, Borough Clerk Michele Turner, Deputy Borough Clerk

OPENING REMARKS

Assistant Borough Attorney Liz Leduc provided an overview of the service area development process.

Chair Wolf provided information regarding the purpose, proposed boundary area and the economic feasibility of the service area.

Mayor Navarre provided clarification regarding the annexation process and shared the discussions he has had with the City of Soldotna.

PUBLING HEARING

The following people spoke and asked questions regarding the proposed economic development service area:

Sally Uelrich, Skyline
Brian Olson, Poppy Lane
Rick Uelrich, Skyline
Dave Wartenbee, Aloft Street
Gary Knopp, Patrick Drive
Bob Wortham, Rolling Cove Avenue
Dave Yragui, Kenai
Robin Davis, Pingo Street
Mike Thompson
Bob Krizer, Murwood Subdivision

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Wolf adjourned the meeting at 7:09 p.m.