

Introduced by: Mayor  
Date: 12/06/16  
Action: Adopted  
Vote: 8 Yes, 0 No, 1 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH  
RESOLUTION 2016-074**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE THE FISCAL YEAR  
2017 ALASKA LAND MOBILE RADIO COMMUNICATION SYSTEM MEMBERSHIP  
AGREEMENTS**

**WHEREAS,** the Alaska Land Mobile Radio Communications System ("ALMR") is a statewide effort to develop and implement a communications system capable of providing interoperable wireless voice systems for first responders, mutual aid and emergency and medical response personnel; and

**WHEREAS,** the ALMR membership agreement submitted for the Mayor's signature is for the period of July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017, and would provide the Kenai Peninsula Borough with access to the Project 25 compliant system, multiple system redundancies with backup power, emergency alert availability, system security, radio interoperability, system management, and numerous other benefits as described in the membership agreement; and

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to prior membership in ALMR, the Kenai Peninsula Borough has purchased and placed into operation numerous ALMR mobile radio communication devices and must be a member of ALMR to use this equipment; and

**WHEREAS,** although the membership agreements provide for the individual member agencies to request and obtain sufficient funds to cover the members' annual cost share, no cost share has been determined or proposed at this time; and

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to Paragraph XI.A, nothing in the membership agreement binds the Kenai Peninsula Borough to expend in any fiscal year any sum in excess of available appropriations; and


**WHEREAS,** the Kenai Peninsula Borough has previously participated as a member in ALMR, and the best interests of the borough would be served by renewing its membership for the current fiscal year;

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


**SECTION 1.** That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Mayor is authorized to execute the accompanying ALMR Communications System Membership Agreement with the borough as well as the ALMR agreements with the 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 for the 2017 fiscal year.

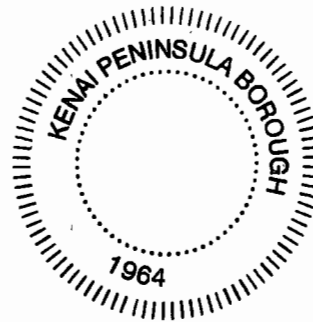
**SECTION 2.** That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

**ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 6TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2016.**

  
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Kelly Cooper, Assembly President

ATTEST:

  
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John Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk



Yes: Bagley, Fischer, Gilman, Holmdahl, Knopp, Ogle, Welles, Cooper  
No: None  
Absent: Dunne