

Kenai Peninsula Borough
Assembly

MEMORANDUM

TO: Wayne Ogle, Assembly President
Members, Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly

FROM: Kelly Cooper, Assembly Member (K.M.) for K.C.

DATE: July 25, 2019

RE: Amendment to Ordinance 2019-16 Providing for a Ballot Proposition on the Question of Adopting a Manager Plan of Government in 2019 (Cooper, Smalley)

As discussed during the meeting of July 2, 2019, it was my intention that if the voters approve adopting a manager form of government, the change would take place at the beginning of the next term of office of the mayor in 2020. This amendment clarifies that point:

[Please note the underlined bold language is new and the bold strikeout language in brackets is to be deleted.]

- Amend Section 1, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the assembly hereby approves a motion to adopt a manager plan of government as provided in Alaska Statute 29.20.460(a) ~~], to be effective upon commencement of the term of office of the person elected to be the Kenai Peninsula Borough Mayor in the regular or run-off election held in 2020.~~

- Amend Section 2, as follows:

SECTION 2. That a ballot proposition shall be placed on the ballot in the next regular borough election, to be held October 1, 2019, which shall read as follows:

Shall the Kenai Peninsula Borough adopt a manager plan of government, **effective after the 2020 election,** where the chief administrative officer is a manager appointed by the assembly instead of the mayor? The mayor would then serve as the presiding officer of the assembly, ~~can~~ **could** vote in the case of a tie and may veto actions by the assembly.

Yes _____ No _____

Your favorable consideration of this amendment is appreciated.