

Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 11/09/21
Hearing: 12/07/21
Action:
Vote:

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE 2021-19-28**

**AN ORDINANCE ALLOCATING AND REDIRECTING U.S. DEPARTMENT OF
TREASURY, CORONAVIRUS STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS
ESTABLISHED BY THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021 AND
APPROPRIATING GENERAL FUND FUND BALANCE TO SPECIFIC PAY-GO
CAPITAL PROJECTS**

WHEREAS, Ordinance 2021-19-08 approved and appropriated \$11,403,341 from the U.S. Department of the Treasury, Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (“Grant Funds”), established by the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Grant Funds are governed by Sections 602 and 603 of the Social Security Act as added by Section 9901 of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, Pub. L. No. 117-2; and

WHEREAS, the Grant Funds were appropriated for three qualified projects that may provide the greatest public benefit on an areawide basis as follows:

\$2,000,000 of the Grant Funds allocated to educational services and transferred to the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District for education;

\$6,000,000 of the Grant Funds were allocated to the Solid Waste Leachate Project;

\$3,403,341 of the Grant Funds were allocated to “pay-go” infrastructure projects to be approved by the assembly; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance allocates Grants Funds of \$2,203,341 to fund the Homer High School Roof Replacement Pay-Go Critical Infrastructure Project; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance appropriates \$1,800,000 from the General Fund fund balance to complete Phase 2 and Phase 3 of the Homer High School Roof Replacement Project; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance allocates Grant Funds of \$700,000 to construct a new exterior side on a portion of West Homer Elementary to stop water intrusion; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance redirects Grant Funds of \$500,000 to fund critical bridge infrastructure by rebuilding and upgrading bridges within the Kenai Peninsula Borough;

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

SECTION 1. That \$2,203,341 in previously appropriated grant funds are allocated to fund the Homer High School Roof Replacement Pay-Go Critical Infrastructure Project account number 400.72010.SLF03.49999.

SECTION 2. That funds in the amount of \$1,800,000 are appropriated from the General Fund fund balance account 100.27910 to account 400.72010.HHSRF.49999 for the completion of Phase 2 and Phase 3 of the Homer High School Roof Replacement Project.

SECTION 3. That \$700,000 in previously appropriated grant funds are allocated to West Homer Elementary to fund the New Exterior Side Pay-Go Critical Infrastructure Project account number 400.72051.SLF04.49999.

SECTION 4. That \$500,000 in previously appropriated grant funds, account 271.94910.SLF03.49999, is redirected to 271.94910.SLF05.49999 to be transferred to 434.33950.SLF05.49999 for the completion of necessary pay-go critical borough bridge infrastructure improvements.

SECTION 5. That the appropriations made in this ordinance are of a project length nature and as such do not lapse at the end of any particular fiscal year.

SECTION 6. That this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its enactment.

**ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS * DAY
OF * 2021.**

Brent Johnson, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Johni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk

Yes:

No:

Absent: