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MEMORANDUM

TO: Wayne Ogle, Assembly President

Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly Members

FROM: Willy Dunne, Assembly Member (B) for W.D.

DATE: December 21, 2017

RE: Ordinance 2018-04, Amending KPB Chapters 16.20 and 16.44 to Provide for

Appointed Members to Serve on the Kachemak Emergency Service Area Board and the

Seldovia Recreational Service Area Board (Dunne)

Both the Kachemak Emergency Service Area and Seldovia Recreational Service Area have relatively small populations making it challenging to recruit people to serve on their service area boards. Some members from both boards have informally indicated they would support converting their elected boards to appointed boards. They have found that a number of potential board members are more reluctant to run for an elected office than serve in an appointed capacity due in large part to the additional paperwork involved. This ordinance would convert these boards from elected to appointed boards.

Your support would be appreciated.