

Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 08/29/19
Action: Adopted
Vote: 8 Yes, 0 No, 1 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
EMERGENCY RESOLUTION 2019-048**

**AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE DECLARATION OF LOCAL
DISASTER EMERGENCY FOR WILDFIRES IN VARIOUS AREAS OF THE KENAI
PENINSULA BOROUGH**

WHEREAS, the borough mayor issued a declaration of disaster emergency on August 21, 2019, related to the Swan Lake fire now near Cooper Landing, the North Fork fire near Homer, and the Caribou Lake Fire near East End Road; and

WHEREAS, the declaration seeks state assistance as the borough has expended significant resources relating to the response to these fires in coordinating with the State of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, this declaration continues for a period of seven days, until August 28, 2019, unless extended by consent of the assembly; and

WHEREAS, as the Swan Lake and Caribou Lake fires are not yet contained and require the ongoing use of borough resources, it is appropriate to extend the disaster declaration;

WHEREAS, the assembly wishes to extend this declaration in the best interests of the public;

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

SECTION 1. That the declaration of local disaster emergency previously issued by the borough mayor on August 21, 2019, is hereby extended for a period of 45 days in order to allow for a more complete response. A copy of the amended declaration of disaster emergency extended by this resolution is attached and incorporated herein by reference.

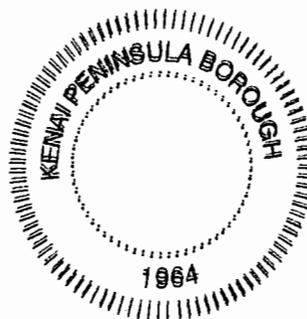
SECTION 2. That this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 29TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2019.

Wayne H. Ogle
Wayne H. Ogle, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Johni Blankenship
Johni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk



Yes: Bagley, Blakeley, Carpenter, Dunne, Fischer, Hibbert, Smalley, Ogle
No: None
Absent: Cooper