Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 06/03/25
Action: Adopted
Vote: 8 Yes, 0 No, 1 Absent

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH RESOLUTION 2025-026

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH AND KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT IN THE ALASKA PUBLIC RISK ALLIANCE

- WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough (KPB) and Kenai Peninsula Borough School District (KPBSD) helped create the Alaska Municipal League Joint Insurance Association (AMLJIA) and have been members since its inception in 1988; and
- WHEREAS, the AMLJIA was created for the purpose of pooling self-insured losses and administrative services, and jointly purchasing excess insurance, reinsurance, or other loss funding mechanisms through a Joint Insurance Arrangement; and
- WHEREAS, the members of the Alaska Municipal League Joint Insurance Association (AMLJIA) and Alaska Public Entity Insurance (APEI) have voted to merge these organizations, effective on or about July 1, 2025, to form the Alaska Public Risk Alliance (APRA), a nonprofit corporation in the State of Alaska, and establish a Joint Insurance Arrangement for eligible municipalities and their public corporations, city and borough school districts, and regional education attendance areas in the State of Alaska; and
- WHEREAS, the KPB and KPBSD intend to participate in the Joint Insurance Arrangement established by APRA; and
- WHEREAS, the KPB&SD Risk Management Committee will monitor the arrangement and provide recommendations moving forward to ensure that membership in APRA serves KPB&SD's best interests;

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

SECTION 1. That the Assembly authorizes the Kenai Peninsula Borough (KPB) and Kenai Peninsula Borough School District (KPBSD) to enter into a Cooperative Participation Agreement (hereinafter the "Agreement") with other Alaska municipalities, school districts and regional education attendance areas as part of the Alaska Public Risk Alliance (APRA) and to assume the duties and responsibilities described in the Agreement. A copy of the Agreement, which may be amended from time to time, is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

SECTION 2. That the KPB and KPBSD's participation in the APRA will commence on July 1, 2025, and will continue in effect unless coverage is cancelled, non-renewed, or otherwise terminated in accordance with the Agreement.

SECTION 3. That this resolution is effective immediately.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 3RD DAY OF JUNE, 2025.

Peter Ribbens, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Michele Turner, CMC, Borough Clerk

Yes: Baisden, Cooper, Ecklund, Dunne, Johnson, Morton, Tunseth, Ribbens

No: None

Absent: Cox