

Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 12/07/21
Hearing: 01/04/22
Action: Enacted as Amended
Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE 2021-19-32**

AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING FUNDING FROM THE STATE OF ALASKA IN THE AMOUNT OF \$153,940.61 FOR THE HEALTHY AND EQUITABLE COMMUNITIES PROGRAM, A FEDERAL PASS-THRU AWARD UNDER THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION

WHEREAS, the Alaska Department of Health and Social Services has notified municipalities of funding through the “Healthy and Equitable Communities Program” that is a federal pass-thru program under the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ; and

WHEREAS, the borough was notified of a grant in the amount of \$153,940.61 that may be used to assist COVID-19 testing and recovery activities; and

WHEREAS, the grant stipulates that \$53,940.61 must be subawarded to the Kenai Peninsula Homeless Coalition to support homelessness facilities; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the borough to accept the grant to help defray costs resulting from the impacts of the coronavirus pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough is not in a state of emergency and approval of the assembly is prudent for spending any federal grant or COVID-19 related funding;

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

SECTION 1. That the mayor is authorized to accept the Healthy and Equitable Communities Program award in the amount of \$153,940.61 from the State of Alaska for testing and recovery activities based upon COVID-19 impacts.

SECTION 2. That the mayor is authorized to execute any documents deemed necessary to accept and expend the funds and to fulfill the intents and purposes of this ordinance.

SECTION 3. That the mayor is authorized to distribute \$53,940.61 to the Kenai Peninsula Homeless Coalition to support homelessness facilities from the Healthy and Equitable Communities Program award from the State of Alaska.

SECTION 4. That any use of the remaining \$100,000.00, which is the balance of the award from the State of Alaska under this program after \$53,940.61 is distributed to the Kenai Peninsula Homeless Coalition, shall be subject to assembly approval.

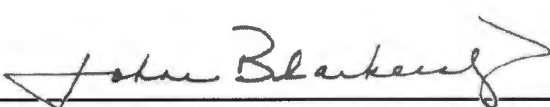
SECTION 5. That the federal pass-thru funds in the amount of \$153,940.61 are appropriated to account 271.94910.22VAC.49999, contingent upon actual award amount.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its enactment.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 4TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2022.


Brent Johnson, Assembly President

ATTEST:


John Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk



Yes: Bjorkman, Chesley, Cox, Derkevorkian, Ecklund, Elam, Hibbert, Tupper, Johnson
No: None
Absent: None