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**MIKE NAVARRE**  
BOROUGH MAYOR

### MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Kelly Cooper, Assembly President  
Members, Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly

**THRU:** Mike Navarre, Mayor *MN*

**FROM:** Colette Thompson, Borough Attorney *CT*  
Craig Chapman, Finance Director *cchapman*

**DATE:** March 23, 2017

**SUBJECT:** Ordinance 2016-19-35, Appropriating Supplemental Funding in the Amount of \$25,000 for Legal Costs Relating to Defending the Borough and Mayor Against a Complaint for Injunctive Relief Filed by Assembly Member William "Willy" Dunne (Mayor)

This ordinance seeks funds for outside counsel to help represent the borough in a lawsuit recently filed by assembly member William ("Willy") Dunne against the borough and Mayor Navarre.

The legal department needs additional funds to pay for outside counsel as it lacks the resources and time to handle this case in addition to its current workload. This ordinance would appropriate funds necessary to enable the borough to retain such outside counsel. Any funds not used for this purpose would lapse to the general fund.

| FINANCE DEPARTMENT<br>ACCOUNT / FUNDS VERIFIED |                      |
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| Acct. No.                                      | <u>100.27900 FB</u>  |
| Amount   | <u>\$25,000.00</u>   |
| By: <u>FB</u>                                  | Date: <u>3/23/17</u> |