Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 04/19/22
Action: Failed to Adopt
Vote: 3 Yes, 5 No, 1 Absent
Date: 04/19/22
Action: Notice of Reconsideration

Given by Derkevorkian

Date: 05/03/22

Action: Motion to Reconsider Passed
Vote: 5 Yes, 4 No, 0 Absent
Action: Adopted
Vote: 5 Yes, 4 No, 0 Absent

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH RESOLUTION 2022-027

A RESOLUTION CHANGING THE SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE MAYOR FROM A PART-TIME POSITION TO A FULL-TIME POSITION AND REMOVING THE POSITION'S DESIGNATION AS CHIEF OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

- WHEREAS, in the Kenai Peninsula Borough (Borough) Fiscal Year 2022 (FY2022) budget, there is a part-time (quarter-time) Special Assistant to the Mayor position designated as Chief of Emergency Services; and
- **WHEREAS,** in FY2017 the Mayor's Office included two Special Assistants to the Mayor; one for Healthcare and one for Oil, Gas and Mining; and
- WHEREAS, in FY2018, the Mayor's Office reduced it's staffing by removing one Special Assistant to the Mayor and making the remaining Special Assistant to the Mayor a more general position not specific to one area of expertise of focus; and
- WHEREAS, in FY2019 the Mayor's Office reduced the one full-time employee Special Assistant to the Mayor, making it half-time and specifically defined as a Special Assistant to the Mayor -Chief of Emergency Services; and
- **WHEREAS,** in FY2021 the Mayor's Office reduced the half-time Special Assistant to the Mayor-Chief of Emergency Services to a quarter-time position and this position remained at a quarter-time as adopted in the FY2022 annual budget; and
- WHEREAS, the Mayor's Office is presently in need of additional resources to serve as a liaison to the Borough's various boards and commissions, assist with upcoming capital projects, a potential \$65 million bond package that would be subject to voter approval, work with cities and their councils to collaborate on borough and city issues, and other duties as assigned; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funds exist in the current FY2022 budget and no additional fiscal appropriations will be necessary;

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

SECTION 1. That the Special Assistant to the Mayor is changed from a part-time to a full-time position within the Administrative Service pursuant to KPB 3.04.70 and KPB 3.04.115. The position's designation as Chief of Emergency Services is hereby removed.

SECTION 2. That this resolution shall be effective immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 3RD DAY OF MAY, 2022.

ATTEST:

Yes:

Johni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk

Brent Johnson, Assembly President

04/19/22 vote on motion to adopt:

No: Bjorkman, Chesley, Cox, Ecklund, Tupper

Derkevorkian, Hibbert, Johnson

Absent: Elam

05/03/22 vote on motion to reconsider:

Yes: Chesley, Derkevorkian, Elam, Hibbert, Johnson

No: Bjorkman, Cox, Ecklund, Tupper

Absent: None

05/03/22 vote on motion to adopt:

Yes: Chesley, Derkevorkian, Elam, Hibbert, Johnson

No: Bjorkman, Cox, Ecklund, Tupper

Absent: None