Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 10/11/22
Hearing: 10/25/22
Action: Enacted
Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ORDINANCE 2022-19-22

AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING \$441,000 FROM THE STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERAN AFFAIRS, DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR AREAWIDE WARNING SIRENS AND CYBERSECURITY UPGRADES

- WHEREAS, the State of Alaska Department of Military and Veterans Affairs, Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management ("DHS&EM") provides funds to enhance the capability of local governments to prevent, deter, respond to and recover from all-hazard incidents and to enhance regional preparedness efforts; and
- **WHEREAS,** the DHS&EM 2022 State Homeland Security Program is a federal grant pass through program with the Federal Emergency Management Agency which provides funding for planning, equipment, training and exercises; and
- WHEREAS, DHS&EM approved the Borough's request for \$316,000 to install sirens in Anchor Point and Kachemak Selo as well as \$125,000 to purchase software and equipment for critical cybersecurity functions; and
- WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Borough to accept the grant funds;

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

- **SECTION 1.** That the mayor is authorized to accept \$441,000 from the State of Alaska Department of Military and Veteran Affairs, Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and to execute a grant agreement and any other documents deemed necessary to accept and to expend the grant funds and to fulfill the intents and purposes of this ordinance.
- **SECTION 2.** That grant funds in the amount of \$441,000 are appropriated to the account 271.94910.22HSP.49999.
- **SECTION 3.** That appropriations made in this ordinance are project length in nature and as such do not lapse at the end of any particular fiscal year.
- **SECTION 4.** That this ordinance shall be effective retroactive to October 1, 2022.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 25TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2022.

Brent Johnson, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Johni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk

Yes: Bjorkman, Chesley, Cox, Derkevorkian, Ecklund, Elam, Hibbert, Tupper, Johnson

No: None

Absent: None