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KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ORDINANCE 2017-13

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING KPB 2.04.060 TO INCREASE THE MAYOR'S SALARY TO \$110,000

- WHEREAS, the borough mayor's salary was set at \$99,000 in 2011; and
- **WHEREAS,** had the mayor's salary been adjusted for inflation in the last six years, it would now be over \$110,000; and
- **WHEREAS,** in this same time period, most borough employees have received cost of living allowances, but not the office of the mayor; and
- **WHEREAS,** by borough code, the mayor's salary may only be adjusted through the budgeting process preceding the mayoral election; and
- **WHEREAS**, increasing the mayor's salary may encourage experienced managers to consider public service;

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

SECTION 1. That KPB 2.04.060 is hereby amended as follows:

2.04.060. Salary.

- A. Compensation for the borough mayor shall be \$[99,000] <u>110,000</u> per year.
- B. The mayor's salary may be adjusted at the end of each term of office through the budgeting process preceding the mayoral election.
- **SECTION 2.** That this ordinance takes effect upon commencement of the term of office of the borough mayor following certification of the 2017 regular borough election.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS * **DAY OF * 2017.** Kelly Cooper, Assembly President ATTEST: Johni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk Yes: No: Absent: