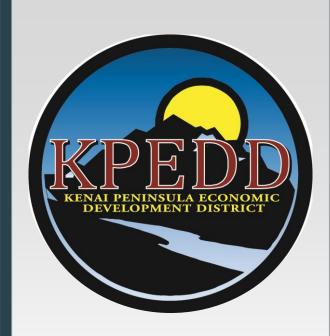


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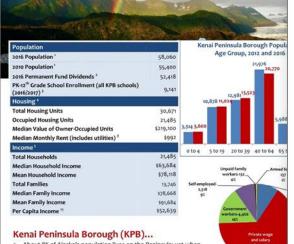
## Goals & Focus Areas



- REGIONAL PARTNERSHIPS
- INFRASTRUCTURE & TECHNOLOGY
- WORKFORCE & HUMAN CAPITAL
- BUSINESS CLIMATE & ENTREPRENEURSHIP
- QUALITY OF PLACE
- KNOWLEDGE CREATION & DISSEMINATION

## Sample of Reports Produced

## Kenai Peninsula Borough



- About 8% of Alaska's population lives on the Peninsula; yet when compared to the number of Alaskan residents that commercial fish, Peninsula residents 9;
  - o Took home 18% of the gross commercial fish earnings that went to Alaskans
  - Harvested 15% of all commercial fish that Alaskans caught
  - Were 15% of Alaskan commercial permit holders
- Accounted for 17% of the permits fished by Alaskans
   1,821 homes sold in KPB in 2016 with an average sales price of \$227,631
- 103 new homes were built in KPB in 2016 <sup>8</sup>. Of the total, 75 were single-family, 16 were in eight do
  6 were in two tri-plexes, 5 were in a multi-family unit, and 1 was a manufactured home. <sup>8</sup>



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## Projects, Programs & Partnerships

- IDENTIFY OPPORTUNITIES AND PARTNERSHIPS TO REOPEN THE NUTRIEN PLANT
- TRUMP ADMINISTRATION: 95% SHOVEL READY PROJECT FUNDING FOR CITIES
- GRAPHITE ONE: SITE SELECTION FOR PROCESSING PLANT
- FACILITATE MEETINGS BETWEEN ALASKA AND POTENTIAL FOREIGN INVESTORS FOR THE LNG PROJECT
- ALASKA DEPT. COMMERCE, COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: STATE-WIDE CEDS
- FACILITATING MEETINGS BETWEEN ALASKA AND FOREIGN INVESTORS
- WORKFORCE PANEL (ALASKA DEPT. OF LABOR, KPCA, AVTEC, KPBSD, KPC): TRAINING PROGRAMS
- KACHEMAK SHELLFISH MARICULTURE ASSOCIATION: EQUIPMENT UPGRADES
- NIKISKI ROAD EXTENSION PROJECT
- TYONEK NATIVE VILLAGE PLANNING DOCUMENT
- SELDOVIA GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES

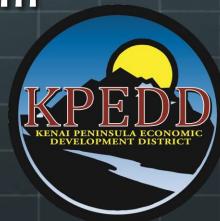


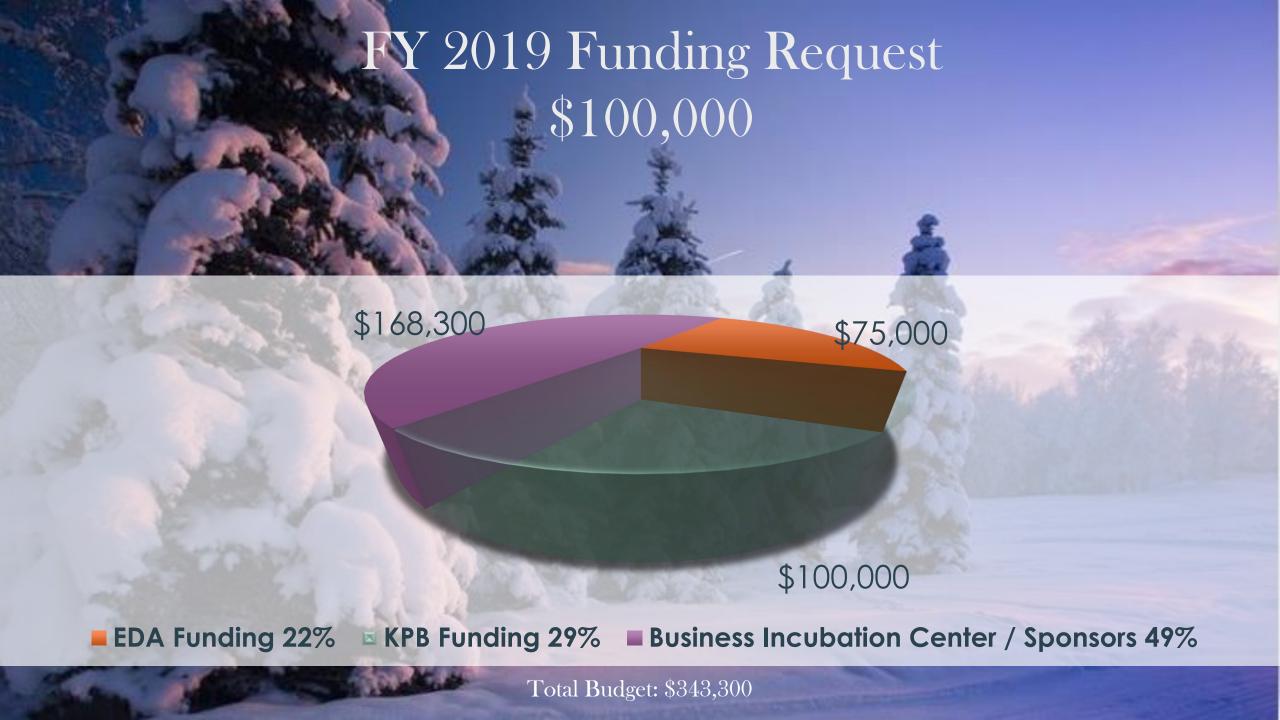




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