Introduced by:

Mayor

Date:

07/02/19

Action:

Adopted

Vote:

9 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent

## KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH RESOLUTION 2019-040

## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE THE FISCAL YEAR 2020 ALASKA LAND MOBILE RADIO COMMUNICATION SYSTEM MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENTS

- WHEREAS, the Alaska Land Mobile Radio System ("ALMR") is a statewide effort to develop and implement a communications system capable of providing interoperable radio services for first responders, mutual aid, and emergency and medical response personnel; and
- WHEREAS, the ALMR membership agreement submitted for the mayor's signature is for the period of July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020, and would provide the Kenai Peninsula Borough ("borough") with access to the Project 25 compliant system, existing radio infrastructure, radio interoperability, system management, and numerous other benefits; and
- WHEREAS, pursuant to prior membership in ALMR, the borough has purchased and placed into operation numerous ALMR radio communication devices and must be a member of ALMR to use this equipment; and
- WHEREAS, the cost share for each department and service area for use of the system has been determined and wholly funded by the State of Alaska; and
- WHEREAS, pursuant to Paragraph XI(A), nothing in the membership agreement binds the borough to expend in any fiscal year any sum in excess of available appropriations; and
- WHEREAS, the borough has previously participated as a member in ALMR, and the best interests of the borough would be served by renewing its membership for the current fiscal year;

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

SECTION 1. That the borough mayor is authorized to execute the accompanying ALMR Communications System Membership Agreement with the borough as well as the agreements with the Anchor Point Fire Emergency Medical Service Area, Bear Creek Fire Service Area, Central Emergency Service Area, Kachemak Emergency Service Area and Nikiski Fire Service Area for the 2020 fiscal year.

**SECTION 2.** That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 2ND **DAY JULY, 2019.** 

ATTEST:

Yes:

Bagley, Blakeley, Carpenter, Cooper, Dunne, Fischer, Hibbert, Smalley, Ogle

No:

None

Absent:

None