

UNIVERSITY of ALASKA ANCHORAGE

#### Presentation to Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly – May 2020





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#### **Primary Goal**

Provide Kenai Peninsula Borough residents the opportunity to pursue postsecondary education.









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#### The KPC System

- Kenai River Campus, Soldotna Certificates, AA and AAS degrees, limited number of 4-year degrees
- Kachemak Bay Campus, Homer Certificates, AA and AAS degrees, limited number of 4-year degrees
- Resurrection Bay Extension Site, Seward Variety of lower division and community interest courses



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#### Who We Are

FT Faculty	31
FT & PT Staff	64
Adjunct Faculty/semester	~70
Student employees	~ <u>35</u>
TOTAL	~200



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#### **Borough Funding Request**

Preliminary Budget per KPB Mayor's proposed budget

IAW 1/10<sup>th</sup> mill property tax levy

\$847,185 as of 11/14/2020



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#### **Request Line Items**

- Tuition Waivers (JumpStart) KPC-wide
  - \$240,000
  - HS juniors & seniors will pay \$78/credit vs \$234/credit
  - Spring 19 Students: 166 (17 schools, 4 homeschool)
  - Spring 19 Credit Hours: 854
  - Fall 19 Students: 216 (13 schools, 3 homeschool)
  - Fall 19 Credit Hours: 1,054
- ABE/GED KRC & KBC
  - \$139,567
  - Soldotna, Homer & outreach to Nanwalek, Port Graham, Voznesenka, Seldovia, Anchor Pt, Ninilchik, Nikiski



- Tutors in the Learning Centers KRC & KBC
  - \$44,728
  - "Peer" students and non-student tutors trained & qualified in specific areas
- Courses in Seward
  - \$32,319
  - Free office space/classrooms in HS
- Coordinator/Night Staffing KRC
  - \$20,935 (50% of cost from KPB)
  - Provides registration, financial aid, security presence



- Developmental Student Advising KRC
  - \$94,787
  - Advising at risk students, classroom visits, placement tests
- Admin/Instructional Support position KBC
  - \$48,872
  - Proctors tests, supported 12 staff & faculty
- Library Technician KBC
  - \$24,080 (60% of cost from KPB)
  - Services to 70+ faculty/staff, 100s of students



- Information/Registration Clerk KBC
  - \$33,760 (50% of cost from KPB)
  - Registers and refers students to resources
- Advising & Student Support Services- KBC
  - \$41,638 (60% of cost by KPB)
  - Admissions, financial aid, academic placement advising
- Veteran Services & Safety Coordinator KPC-wide
  - \$87,450
  - Certifies veteran students VA eligibility and advises
  - Coordinates, oversees safety compliance



- Recruiter KPC-wide
  - \$39,043 (50% of cost from KPB)
  - Visits KPB schools, college fairs, campus tours for 5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders. Interacted with 1,000+ potential students



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#### **Financial Aid Disbursements**

 In FY19, \$1,129,323 provided to admitted KPC degree-seeking students after we deduct tuition & fees.

These monies are spent across the Peninsula on housing, food, & other living expenses.



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# KPB Funds Were Critical to Their Success

#### 2019 Graduates

- 28+ GEDs
- 34 state welding certifications
- 9 1-year certificates
- 36 associate of arts degrees
- 41 associate of applied science degrees
- 18 other University of Alaska degrees



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