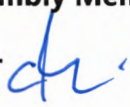



Kenai Peninsula Borough
Planning Department

MEMORANDUM

TO: Kelly Cooper, Assembly President
Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly Members

THRU: Charlie Pierce, Borough Mayor 

FROM: Max J. Best, Planning Director 

DATE: April 16, 2020

RE: Ordinance 2020-16; An Ordinance Amending the Kenai Peninsula Borough Hazard Mitigation Plan by Deleting Existing Annex C, 2010 City of Kenai Hazard Mitigation Plan Update, and Adopting the City of Kenai Hazard Mitigation Plan 2020 Update as the New Annex C

The Kenai Peninsula Borough Planning Commission reviewed the subject Ordinance during their regularly scheduled April 13, 2020 meeting.

A motion passed by unanimous vote (10 Yes, 0 No, 2 Absent) to recommend approval of Ordinance 2020-__.

In the Ordinance, please make the following amendment to the last WHEREAS statement:

WHEREAS, the borough Planning Commission at its meeting held on April 13, 2020 recommended approval of the City of Kenai Hazard Mitigation Plant 2020 Update.

Attached are the unapproved minutes of the subject portion of the meeting.

AGENDA ITEM E. PUBLIC HEARINGS

4. Ordinance 2020-__; An Ordinance Amending the Kenai Peninsula Borough Hazard Mitigation Plan by Deleting Existing Annex C, 2010 City of Kenai Hazard Mitigation Plan Update, and Adopting the City of Kenai Hazard Mitigation Plan 2020 Update as the New Annex C

Staff Report given by Max Best

PC Meeting: April 13, 2020

This is a similar Ordinance that was put before the Planning Commission for the City of Homer. This was brought to the Borough by the City of Kenai. Mr. Best noted that Ms. Appleby with the City of Kenai was available. FEMA requires all states to submit a hazard mitigation plan to be eligible for any FEMA funding for any non-emergency disasters. The ordinance spells out in the whereas statements along with the memorandum to the Assembly the purpose of this ordinance.

END OF STAFF REPORT

Chair Martin opened the meeting for public comment.

1. Elizabeth Appleby, City Planner, City of Kenai

Ms. Appleby stated that the memorandum captured the agenda item. The City of Kenai Hazard Mitigation Plan was completed through a public process. It was then adopted by the City Council. It has been approved by the State of Alaska and FEMA. The current Borough Hazard Plan has the 2010 City Plan and they would like to get it updated.

Seeing and hearing no one else wishing to comment, public comment was closed and discussion was opened among the committee.

MOTION: Commissioner Ruffner moved, seconded by Commissioner Carluccio, to forward to the Assembly a recommendation to approve Ordinance 2020-__; amending the Kenai Peninsula Borough Hazard Mitigation Plan by deleting existing Annex C, 2010 City of Kenai Hazard Mitigation Plan update and adopt the City of Kenai Hazard Mitigation Plan 2020 as the New Annex C.

MOTION PASSED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE: 10 Yes, 0 No, 2 Absent

Yes: Bentz, Carluccio, Ecklund, Ernst, Fikes, Martin, Morgan, Ruffner, Venuti, Whitney

No:

Absent: Brantley, Foster