

Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 05/05/20
Hearing: 05/19/20
Action: Enacted
Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE 2019-19-37**

**AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$77,000 TO THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY
MANAGEMENT TO COVER COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH MITIGATION FOR THE
COVID-19 DISASTER DECLARATION**

WHEREAS, the borough mayor issued a Disaster Emergency Declaration on March 16, 2020, due to the current and imminent impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic in the areas of the borough outside of the cities; and

WHEREAS, the assembly finds an emergency disaster exists as the number of COVID-19 cases are increasing and local, national and worldwide efforts are underway to control its spread, and identify, develop and implement treatments and vaccines; and

WHEREAS, these efforts have included the closure of numerous businesses and quarantine of many people; and

WHEREAS, the assembly adopted Resolution 2020-026 on March 17, 2020 extending the disaster emergency for 90 days; and

WHEREAS, the assembly adopted Ordinance 2019-19-31 appropriating \$125,000 to cover initial response incident management wages, contracting costs, personal protective equipment and other costs directly related to the disaster response; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Emergency Management anticipates \$77,000 in additional funds needed immediately to provide mitigation measures to help protect borough employees and the public from the pandemic as the Governor's phased rollout to reopening segments of the Alaskan economy occurs; and

WHEREAS, the additional appropriation will fund materials and labor to construct virus protective barriers and to purchase personal protective equipment and other costs directly related to the phased rollout.

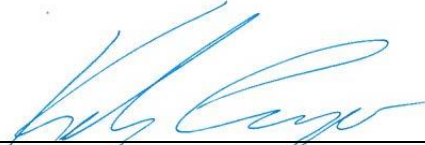
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:

SECTION 1. That \$77,000 is hereby appropriated from the general fund, fund balance and transferred to account no. 260.11250.20D1X.49999 for response, assessment, and mitigation by the borough for the declared disaster emergencies within the borough.

SECTION 2. That the funds appropriated are of a project length nature and as such do not lapse at the end of any particular fiscal year.


SECTION 3. That this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its enactment.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 19TH DAY OF MAY, 2020.

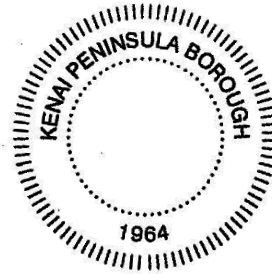


Kelly Cooper, Assembly President

ATTEST:



Johni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk



Yes: Bjorkman, Blakeley, Carpenter, Cox, Dunne, Hibbert, Johnson, Smalley, Cooper
No: None
Absent: None