

Introduced by: Mayor at request of Road  
Service Area Board  
Date: 03/02/99  
Hearing: 04/06/99  
Action: Enacted as Amended  
Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH  
ORDINANCE 99-12**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING APPENDIX A "ROAD CONSTRUCTION  
STANDARDS" ADOPTED UNDER KPB 14.06, ROAD STANDARDS**

**WHEREAS,** the assembly adopted new road standards in 1998; and

**WHEREAS,** the road service area has been operating under those standards and recognizes a need for some modification; and

**WHEREAS,** the road service area board recommends changes expanding the time frame in which roads may be accepted for maintenance to better correlate with the construction season; and

**WHEREAS,** developing a clear zone will promote traffic safety and aid road maintenance;

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

**SECTION 1.** That Section I of Appendix A of Road Construction Standards shall be amended as follows:

**I. Introduction**

The following criteria (standards) for the construction of local roads within the Kenai Peninsula Borough represent a ~~minimum~~ level construction for these roads. The developer, engineer or contractor is encouraged to build the roads to the highest standard possible within the economical constraints of the project. A [ROAD MAINTENANCE APPLICATION] right-of-way construction permit prior to construction is required. No roads will be accepted for maintenance before June 1 or after [SEPTEMBER 1ST] October 15 of each year.

**SECTION 2.** That Section VI(B) of Appendix A of Road Construction Standards shall be amended as follows:

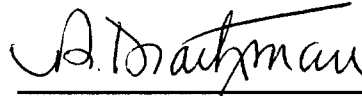
**B. Horizontal Alignment**

Horizontal alignment shall meet the requirements of KPB 20.20.120, 20.20.130 and 20.20.140. Roads shall be constructed along the centerline of the right-of-way and shall have curves meeting the minimum radius requirements of not less than 300 feet for right-of-ways 100 feet in width or more, and not less than 200 feet on all other roads.

There shall be a roadside clear of hazardous objects or conditions for a distance consistent with the speed, traffic volume, and geometric conditions of the site. Roads shall be constructed with a minimum clear zone of 6.5 feet. Where hazardous physical features exist which cannot be located outside the clear zone, alternative treatments such as guardrails may be required.

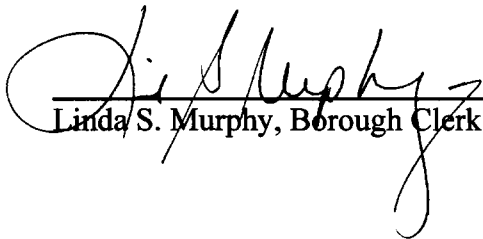
**SECTION 3.** That this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon enactment.

**ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1999.**



Ronald Wm. Drathman, Assembly President

ATTEST:



Linda S. Murphy, Borough Clerk

