

Introduced by: Moss, Mayor
Date: 02/04/03
Hearing: 03/11/03
Action: Enacted
Vote: 8 Yes, 0 No, 1 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE 2002-19-32**

AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING A GRANT FROM THE U.S. NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$399,659 FOR THE COOK INLET SALMON BRANDING PROJECT

- WHEREAS,** in July 2002 the borough submitted an application to the U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) for funding under the Saltonstall-Kennedy Program; and
- WHEREAS,** the borough has received notice of award of a grant in the amount of \$399,659 for the Cook Inlet salmon branding program; and
- WHEREAS,** the grant program requires a minimum cost share of 10 percent of the total project cost; and
- WHEREAS,** Cook Inlet Salmon Brand, Inc. (CISB), a nonprofit corporation established to implement the branding project received a State legislative grant in the amount of \$93,000; and
- WHEREAS,** \$73,550 of the State grant to CISB was transferred to the borough and appropriated to the Cook Inlet salmon branding program through enactment of KPB Ordinance 2002-19-25; and
- WHEREAS,** CISB has allocated \$40,000 of the state grant to meet the cost share requirement of the NOAA grant; and
- WHEREAS,** acceptance of the grant from NOAA will allow the CISB to continue the Cook Inlet salmon branding project for another year; and
- WHEREAS,** CISB will use the funds to train certified inspectors, market certified branded salmon, and other authorized purposes; and
- WHEREAS,** the borough may exercise economic development powers on a non-areawide basis pursuant to AS 29.35.210; and
- WHEREAS,** KPB 19.30.020-19.30.070 provides policies and procedures for newly proposed economic development projects, and this is an ongoing project previously supported by the assembly;

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

SECTION 1. That notwithstanding the provisions of KPB 19.30.020-19.30.070, the mayor is authorized to accept a grant from the U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in the amount of \$399,659 for the Cook Inlet salmon branding program and is authorized to execute a grant agreement and any other documents deemed necessary to accept the grant and fulfill the intents and purposes of this ordinance. The funds will be used on a non-areawide basis to train certified inspectors, to market the branded fish, and other activities as authorized in the grant documents.

SECTION 2. That funds in the amount of \$399,659 are appropriated to account 275.11225.BRAND.49999.

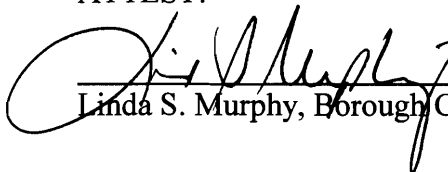
SECTION 3. That due to the length and nature of this project, the appropriations established through this ordinance shall not lapse at the end of any particular fiscal year.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its enactment.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 11TH DAY OF MARCH, 2003.


Pete Sprague, Assembly President

ATTEST:


Linda S. Murphy, Borough Clerk

