

## KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

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JOHN J. WILLIAMS BOROUGH MAYOR

## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Ron Long, Assembly President

Members of the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly

**THRU**: John J. Williams, Borough Mayor

Craig Chapman, Finance Director

**FROM:** Bonnie L. Golden, Grants Manager

**COPY:** Nikiski Senior Service Area

**DATE:** August 8, 2007

**SUBJECT:** Ordinance No. 2007-19-14: An Ordinance accepting and appropriating \$35,000

from the State of Alaska for purchasing a delivery vehicle for the Nikiski Senior

Service Area

The Nikiski Senior Service Area ("Service Area") has identified the need for a delivery vehicle to assist in providing home meals. Having a vehicle designed to carry food will enable the senior center to expand and improve its home delivery meal program.

A request for funding a home meal delivery vehicle was included in the Borough's 2007 State Funding Priorities as the Service Area's number two priority. Funding for the project was included in Senate Bill 53, the State's capital budget, which was passed by the Legislature and signed by the Governor in June 2007. The State Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development has notified the Borough that \$35,000 is available to the Service Area for a delivery vehicle. The Service Area Board approved the acceptance of this grant at its meeting of July 10, 2007. Enactment of the attached ordinance will accept and appropriate the grant, making funds available to the Service Area to purchase a delivery van.

Attachments: Ordinance, DCCED notification letter