

Introduced by: Mayor
Date: 04/01/08
Shortened Hearing: 04/15/08
Action: Enacted
Vote: 8 Yes, 1 No, 0 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE 2007-19-43**

**AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$401,750 IN MATCHING FUNDS
NEEDED FOR RECEIPT OF A \$486,750 GRANT FROM THE DENALI
COMMISSION FOR REPLACEMENT AND EXPANSION OF
THE SERENITY HOUSE TREATMENT CENTER**

WHEREAS, Central Peninsula General Hospital, Inc. (CPGH, Inc.) currently operates Serenity House, an alcohol and chemical dependency treatment center, under a long-term lease and needs to secure a new location to optimize its operation; and

WHEREAS, multiple options for the future of the program have been reviewed and a potential site and facility that would accommodate expanding the program to 10 to 12 beds at a cost significantly less than new construction has been identified; and

WHEREAS, CPGH, Inc. applied for a grant from the Denali Commission in support of the project and received notification of funding in the amount of \$486,750 contingent upon providing matching funding of \$486,750; and

WHEREAS, CPGH, Inc. has received a grant from the State of Alaska Department of Health and Social Service in the amount of \$35,000 that can be used as a partial match; and

WHEREAS, the Central Peninsula Health Foundation has committed to providing \$50,000 for the Serenity House project; and

WHEREAS, the CPGH Inc., board at its January 31, 2008 board meeting authorized the use of up to \$973,500 from the Plant Expansion and Replacement Fund, of which only \$401,750 is needed, to provide the balance of the match necessary to receive the grant from the Denali commission; and

WHEREAS, the CPGHSA board at its February 18, 2008 meeting supported the expansion of the Serenity House Treatment Center;

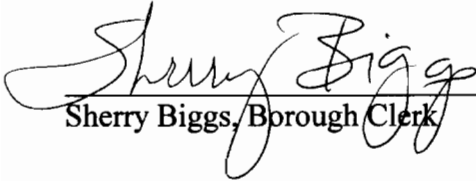
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:

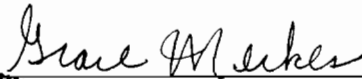
SECTION 1. That the sum of \$401,750 is appropriated from the CPGH, Inc. Plant Expansion and Replacement Fund to account No. 490.81110.8DCCH.49999, Serenity House project account, to provide matching funds necessary to receive a grant from the Denali Commission for the Serenity House Treatment Center expansion project.

SECTION 2. That this ordinance takes effect immediately upon its enactment.

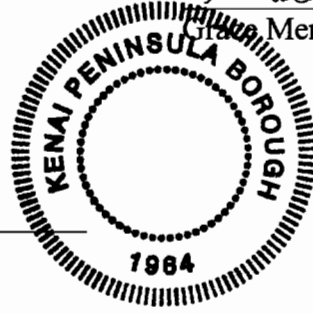
ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 15TH DAY OF APRIL, 2008.

ATTEST:


Sherry Biggs, Borough Clerk



Grace Merkes, Assembly President



- Yes: Gilman, Knopp, Long, Martin, Smith, Sprague, Superman, Merkes
- No: Fischer
- Absent: None