



KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH GRANTS MANAGEMENT

MEMORANDUM

TO: Pete Sprague, Assembly President
Members of the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly

THRU: David R. Carey, Borough Mayor *DR Carey*
Craig Chapman, Finance Director *C Chapman*

FROM: Brenda Ahlberg, Community & Fiscal Projects Manager *B Ahlberg*

DATE: 04 January 2010

SUBJECT: Ordinance 2009-19- 26 Accepting and appropriating \$250,000 from Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC)

The ADEC has awarded a grant in the amount of \$250,000. ADEC intends for the funds to be managed by the borough and services to be contracted with the Cook Inlet Regional Citizens Advisory Council for the purpose of conducting a marine vessel traffic risk assessment study in the Cook Inlet. The study will enhance spill prevention and safe navigation and advance the level of planning and preparedness for oil and hazardous substance releases in Cook Inlet.

The Assembly has accepted and appropriated three prior grants from ADEC for the purpose of conducting studies in the Cook Inlet:

Ordinance 1999-33	\$20,000 response strategies for lower and central Cook Inlet
Ordinance 2001-19-22	\$85,000 response strategies for central, upper and outer Kenai coastal areas
Ordinance 2002-19-28	\$10,000 response strategies with emphasis on the outer Kenai coastal region

This ordinance will accept and appropriate the ADEC grant in the amount of \$250,000 and authorize the mayor to contract with CIRCAC.

Shortened hearing is requested as the notice of award was just received, which is needed to accept and appropriate the grant, and the work needs to be started as quickly as possible.

Attachments: ordinance, notification letter, ADEC MOU