Introduced by:

Mayor, McClure

Date:

03/02/10

Hearing:

04/06/10

Action:

Enacted as Amended

Vote:

5 Yes, 4 No, 0 Absent

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ORDINANCE 2010-13

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING KPB 2.56.007 TO AMEND THE 2005 KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH COMPREHENSIVE PLAN BY ADOPTING THE COOPER LANDING WALKABLE COMMUNITY PROJECT AS APPENDIX K IN CHAPTER 5, TRANSPORTATION

- WHEREAS, Goal 5.4 of the 2005 Kenai Peninsula Borough (KPB) Comprehensive Plan is "To create trails or pedestrian walkways along highways and other busy roads, especially within communities"; and
- **WHEREAS,** Objective 2 of Goal 5.4 is to "Include appropriate pedestrian facilities along roads built by or for the Borough that serve settled areas"; and
- WHEREAS, the Sterling Highway passes through Cooper Landing, a community in the Kenai Peninsula Borough; and
- WHEREAS, Cooper Landing has been included in the scope of a regional project involving a comprehensive plan for alternative transportation, from the Federal Transit Administration through the Native Village of Eyak; and
- WHEREAS, meetings and workshops have been held by a community group of Cooper Landing citizens and many borough, state, and federal organizations and partners; and
- WHEREAS, a list of project goals aimed at reducing congestion and road impacts and improving pedestrian facilities while maintaining access have been defined and prioritized; and
- WHEREAS, three of the Walkable Community Project goals were adopted as 2010 State Capital Improvement Projects by the KPB Assembly in Resolution 2010-001; and
- WHEREAS, adoption of the Cooper Landing Walkable Community Project as part of the borough's comprehensive plan will assist in the acquisition of grant funds for the property listed in the plan; and
- WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough Planning Commission reviewed this ordinance during its regularly scheduled meeting of March 22, 2010, and recommended enactment by unanimous consent;

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

SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly supports this project as a much needed enhancement to the quality of life for the residents and visitors of the Cooper Landing area.

SECTION 2. That KPB 2.56.007 is hereby amended to add subsection E as follows:

2.56.007. Borough plan amendments.

Ε. "Cooper Landing Walkable Community Project" dated March 2010 is hereby adopted as Appendix K in Chapter 5, Transportation, of the 2005 Kenai Peninsula Borough Comprehensive Plan.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance takes effect immediately upon its enactment.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 2010.

ATTEST:

Johni Blankenship, Borough Clerk

WENNSULA TO SEE THE TO

Yes:

Haggerty, McClure, Smalley, Smith, Sprague

No:

Fischer, Knopp, Pierce, Superman

Absent:

None