

Introduced by: Mayor
Date: Jan. 20, 1981
Vote: Unanimous
Action: Adopted

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 81-13

REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC FACILITIES TO ESTABLISH A SEPARATE MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION DIVISION FOR THE AREA ENCOMPASSED BY THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH.

WHEREAS, the reconstruction and proper maintenance of State roads within the Borough is a matter of great importance to both residents of the Borough and to visitors and tourists; and

WHEREAS, the Borough is presently included in the Central Regional Maintenance and Operations Division, which also includes the Anchorage area and the Matanuska-Susitna Borough; and

WHEREAS, the maintenance level of State roads in the Kenai Peninsula Borough is poor, often resulting in dangerous driving condition; and

WHEREAS, the populous areas of the Borough are distant from the administrative offices of the Central Regional Division and the road maintenance problems are not recognized and addressed by Central Regional Division staff; and

WHEREAS, the Borough is now one of the largest population centers of the State; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities Central Regional Division has given limited attention and funding to the needs of the Kenai Peninsula Borough;

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

Section 1. That the State of Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities is requested to establish a separate Maintenance and Operations Division for the area encompassing the Kenai Peninsula Borough.

Section 2. That the Clerk shall serve copies of this resolution upon the Honorable Jay S. Hammond, Governor of the State of Alaska, upon the Honorable Jay Kerttula,

President of the State Senate, upon the Honorable Speaker of the House, upon the Honorable Donald E. Gilman, State Senator, upon the Honorables Bette Cato, Hugh Malone and Pat O'Connell, State Representatives, and upon the Honorable Robert W. Ward, Commissioner of the State Department of Transportation and Public Facilities.

Section 3. That this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ON THIS 20 DAY OF January, 1981.

Paul A. Fischer
Paul Fischer
Assembly President

ATTEST:

Franco Brymes
Borough Clerk