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KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 81-15

ACKNOWLEDGING THAT SEPTIC TANK PUMPINGS ARE A FORM OF SOLID WASTES WHOSE TREATMENT AND DISPOSAL IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE BOROUGH.

WHEREAS, the disposal of septic tank pumpings, known as septage waste, has become a problem of critical Borough-wide concern; and

WHEREAS, the lack of facilities for the disposal of septage waste poses a serious threat to the public health and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the Borough exercises solid waste collection and disposal powers in all areas of the Borough; and

WHEREAS, the United States Environmental Protection Agency and the State of Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation have defined septage waste as solid waste in their regulations;

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

Section 1. That the Assembly concurs with the definition of septage waste as solid waste as set forth in the regulations of the United States Environmental Protection Agency and the State of Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation and acknowledges that the treatment and disposal of septage waste generated in those areas of the Borough outside the Cities of Kenai, Soldotna, Homer, and Seward is the responsibility of the Borough.

Section 2. That the Mayor is authorized to proceed with all appropriate temporary measures necessary to provide for the immediate relief of the septage waste disposal problem in the Kenai, Soldotna and Homer areas and, further, to proceed with long range planning to provide septage waste treatment and disposal facilities for all areas within the Kenai Peninsula Borough.

Section 3. That the Mayor is authorized to effectuate this resolution, which takes effect immediately upon its

adoption.

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

Paul Fischer
Assembly President

ATTEST:

Borough Clerk

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