

Introduced by: Wade
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Action: Adopted

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 81-46

URGING THE LEGISLATURE TO LIMIT PAY AND BENEFITS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYEES TO THE MEDIAN LEVEL PAID BY PRIVATE ENTERPRISE IN THIS STATE.

WHEREAS, the professionals in the labor force employed by the State of Alaska represent a significant and growing proportion of the labor force within the state; and

WHEREAS, the salary and benefits provided to state employees have increased at a rate exceeding that paid to employees in the private sector and now substantially exceed the compensation and benefits provided to private employees in similar positions and exercising similar levels of responsibility and skill; and

WHEREAS, the Assembly finds that the State of Alaska should not compete with the private sector of our economy through providing its employees with salaries and benefits exceeding those paid in the private sector;

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

Section 1. That the Assembly urges the Twelfth Legislature, First Session, to provide that the salaries and benefits provided to state employees shall not exceed the median salaries and benefits provided in the private sector to employees in similar positions of employment and exercising similar levels of skill and responsibility.


Section 2. That the Clerk shall serve a copy of this resolution upon the Honorable Jay S. Hammond, Governor of the State of Alaska, upon the Honorable Jalmar Kerttula, President of the State Senate, upon the Honorable James . Duncan, Speaker of the State House, upon the Honorable Donald E. Gilman, State Senator, and upon the Honorables Bette Cato, Hugh Malone, and Pat O'Connell, State Representatives.

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

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ON THIS 3 DAY OF March, 1981.


Paul Fischer, Assembly President

ATTEST:


Borough Clerk