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KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 83-14 (SUBSTITUTE)

A RESOLUTION OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY REQUESTING THAT THE PROPER STATE OFFICIALS HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS, PRIOR TO MAKING A FINAL DECISION, IN ALL AREAS OF THE BOROUGH NOW UNDER ACTIVE CONSIDERATION AS A POSSIBLE SITE FOR A PRISON FACILITY.

WHEREAS, publication of Resolution 82-225 supporting the Kenai Native Associations' request for State consideration of Wildwood as a location for a minimum correction facility has aroused considerable opposition and shown the concern of the public, and the need for public hearings; and

WHEREAS, it has come to our attention that other areas in the Borough such as Seward and Homer are also actively being considered; and

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

Section 1. That the proper State officials are requested to hold hearings in all areas of the Kenai Peninsula Borough now under active consideration as a possible prison facility site and to consider the desires and concerns of the inhabitants of those areas concerning the location of any kind of a correction facility in that area prior to making a final decision.

Section 2. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly strongly opposes the siting of any kind of correction facility in our Borough prior to such public hearings and considerations.

Section 3. That copies of this resolution be distributed to Governor Bill Sheffield, to Acting Commissioner of Health & Social Services Allen Korhonen, to Director for the Division of Adult Corrections Roger Endell, to State Senators Don Gilman and Paul Fischer, and to Representatives Hugh Malone, Milo Fritz, Bette Cato, and Vernon Hurlbert.

Section 4. That this resolution takes effect immediately on the date of its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS 18TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1983.


Donald L. McCloud, Assembly President

ATTEST:


Francis Bryson
Borough Clerk