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KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 85-118

SUBSTITUTE

REQUIRING ASSEMBLY APPROVAL FOR TRAVEL OUTSIDE OF THE BOROUGH BY INDIVIDUAL ASSEMBLY MEMBERS.

WHEREAS, the members of the Borough Assembly annually expends significant funds on travel costs incurred by individual assembly members for travel outside of the Kenai Peninsula Borough; and

WHEREAS, such travel plans are currently authorized subject solely to approval of the president of the assembly; and

WHEREAS, there is a concern that the lack of requirement for concurrence by the majority of the assembly in approval of such travel expenses could potentially lead to abuse of the use of such funding; and

WHEREAS, that travel which is specifically authorized in the budget has already undergone review and approval by the full assembly;

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

Section 1. That any expenditures for travel expenses incurred by assembly members for travel outside of the Borough shall hereinafter be subject to approval of the full assembly for reimbursement to the individual assembly members.

Section 2. That travel expenses may be reimbursed, but only after the assembly member submits a written report to the Borough Clerk's office detailing conferences or meetings attended, persons contacted, and other relevant activities. This report shall be submitted in time to be included in the packet for the next regularly scheduled assembly meeting after the assembly member returns.

Section 3. That expenses for specifically budgeted travel shall require no further assembly review and approval.

Section 4. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.