

Introduced by: Mullen,  
O'Connell  
Date: November 3, 1987  
Vote: 15 YES  
Action: ADOPTED

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 87-102

CREATING A LOCAL HIRE COMMITTEE.

WHEREAS, the unemployment rate in the Kenai Peninsula Borough was over 16% in June of 1987, according to State of Alaska Department of Labor figures; and

WHEREAS, the unemployment rate in the Kenai Peninsula Borough is consistently higher than the average unemployment rate for the State of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, it is currently borough policy to support local hire, as stated in KPB 18.05.010; and

WHEREAS, it is currently borough practice to provide a bonus incentive for hiring local residents to contractors awarded borough contracts over \$500,000, as stated in KPB 18.10; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable to take further action to encourage local hire; and

WHEREAS, a borough committee could study local hire options and ways to reduce local unemployment and make recommendations to the borough assembly about ways to implement policies encouraging local hire; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable to form such a committee to study and make recommendations concerning local hire practices;

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

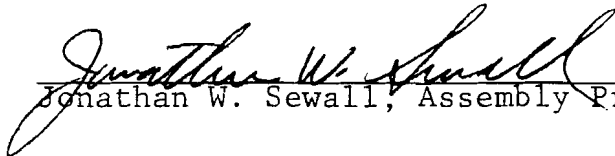
Section 1. That the borough mayor shall appoint a committee of seven members to study issues related to local hire and make recommendations to the borough assembly. The committee shall report their findings to the assembly no later than the first assembly meeting in May 1988. At that time, the committee shall be disbanded unless continued by the assembly. Appointments shall be confirmed by the assembly. Assembly members may be appointed to serve on the committee.

Section 2. That a chairperson, vice-chairperson, and secretary shall be selected from and by the appointed members of the commission. The local hire committee shall meet on a monthly basis or more frequently as necessary. The secretary shall


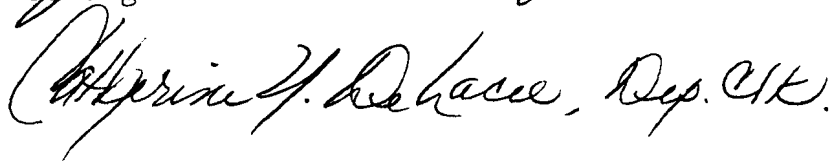
submit the minutes of each meeting to the borough clerk for filing.

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

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS 3rd DAY OF November, 1987.

  
Jonathan W. Sewall, Assembly President

ATTEST:

  
Borough Clerk  
  
Rep. CK.