

Introduced by: Nash  
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KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 87-36

SUPPORTING THE RECRIMINALIZATION OF THE POSSESSION OR USE OF MARIJUANA.

WHEREAS, Alaska reportedly has one of the highest per capita incidents of drug use in the United States; and

WHEREAS, the current state law is in conflict with federal law; and

WHEREAS, Alaska's current law sends mixed signals to our school children by indicating that drugs are okay; and

WHEREAS, the state legislature is presently considering legislation to recriminalize the possession or use of marijuana; and

WHEREAS, the assembly desires to express its support of the recriminalization of the marijuana laws without passing judgement on any specific proposal now pending before the legislature;

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

Section 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly supports the recriminalization of marijuana by the Alaska legislature during its current legislative session.

Section 2. That copies of this resolution be mailed to Senator Paul Fischer; Representatives C.E. Swackhammer and Mike Navarre; the Chairmen of the Health, Education & Social Services Committees and Judiciary Committees of the Alaska Senate and House of Representatives.

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

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ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS 7th DAY OF April, 1987.

Jonathan W. Sewall, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Borough Clerk