Introduced by: McLane &

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Date: Feb. 21, 1989 Adopted Vote: Unanimous Action:

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 89-19

RECOMMENDING AND URGING THE STATE OF ALASKA TO FUND THE WATER QUALITY STUDY OF THE KENAI RIVER.

WHEREAS, there presently exists public concern about the water quality of the Kenai River; and

WHEREAS, development of the Kenai River area is projected to continue; and

WHEREAS, a significant population of wildlife is dependent upon the Kenai River; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai River Special Management Area Advisory Board has recommended that an initial water quality study be performed to establish baseline data to protect and preserve the integrity of the river; and

WHEREAS, the projected cost of that initial study is approximately \$100,000;

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

Section 1. That the Assembly of the Kenai Peninsula Borough urges and requests the State to appropriate or provide funds necessary to conduct a water quality study of the Kenai River in order to establish data that would be necessary for future actions to protect and preserve the integrity of the Kenai River.

Section 2. That copies of this resolution shall be sent to Commissioner Lennie Gorsuch, State of Alaska Department of Natural Resources, to Neil Johannsen, Director of State of Alaska Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation, to Senator Paul and to Representatives C.E. Swackhammer and Mike Fischer, Navarre.

Section 3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS __21 ___ DAY OF __ February ___ , 1989.

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