

Introduced by: Skogstad
Date: April 17, 1990
Action: Adopted
Vote: Unanimous

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 90-38

RECOGNIZING THE TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF EARTH DAY ON APRIL 22, AND ENCOURAGING PARTICIPATION IN EARTH DAY ACTIVITIES PLANNED IN BOROUGH COMMUNITIES.

WHEREAS, Earth Day was first celebrated twenty years ago by millions of Americans who were concerned about water and air pollution and advocated the concept of ecology; and

WHEREAS, in Earth Day's wake the Clean Air Act was passed and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) was established; and

WHEREAS, in the last twenty years much progress has been made in revitalizing the earth's environment as a result of increased awareness and concern; and

WHEREAS, we still face issues of global warming, air pollution, water contamination and more; and

WHEREAS, the economic welfare of this borough depends heavily on natural resources which must be protected; and

WHEREAS, increased awareness and participation by residents of the Kenai Peninsula Borough will result in a healthier, cleaner environment; and

WHEREAS, each citizen can make a difference by altering the habits of their daily lives; and

WHEREAS, communities across the borough have planned activities beginning on April 21, to celebrate Earth Day and to provide information for the public on how each person can help.

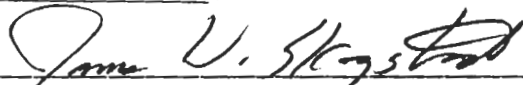
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE
KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:

Section 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough recognizes Earth
Day 1990, the twentieth anniversary of Earth Day.

Section 2. That citizens of the Kenai Peninsula Borough are
encouraged to celebrate Earth Day 1990 by attending activities
planned in their community, or making their own small difference by
doing such things as recycling, picking up litter, taking household
hazardous waste to a borough collection facility, or any other activity
that would improve the welfare of the environment.

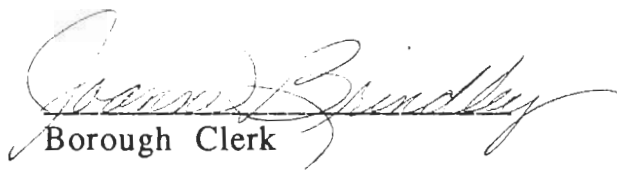
Section 3. That the borough clerk shall send copies of this
resolution to all radio stations and newspapers in the Kenai Peninsula
Borough.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON
THIS 17th DAY OF April, 1990.



James W. Skogstad, Assembly President

ATTEST:


Borough Clerk