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KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 91-23

REQUESTING THE ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE TO DESIGNATE ADEQUATE FUNDING FOR DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES (DGGS) FOR THE TIMELY COMPLETION OF PHASE II AND III OF THE KENAI PENINSULA HYDROGEOLOGIC STUDY.

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly has requested state funding for the Kenai Peninsula Hydrogeologic Study in Resolution 89-10 and Resolution 89-130, and

WHEREAS, support for the hydro study through continued DGGS funding is enumerated in the 1991 Legislative Priority List for the Kenai Peninsula Borough, and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough is now a part of the joint funding venture supporting the study, and

WHEREAS, funding commitments from the U.S. Geological Survey and the Alaska Oil and Gas Association are specifically designated for Phase II work in calendar year 1991, and

WHEREAS, the continued cooperative efforts of citizens, industry and agency officials have produced Phase I and Phase II is beginning, and

WHEREAS, a Phase II pilot project outline for Nikiski has been developed with the objective of resolving as many groundwater issues as possible within a one year time frame within that subregional area, and

WHEREAS, a timely start for the Nikiski project this summer would be of direct benefit to that community and the Borough as a long awaited planning tool for land uses and future developments.

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

Section 1. The Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly requests an additional \$155,000 needed to undertake the Nikiski Phase III Pilot Project be provided to the Division of Geologic and Geophysical Surveys FY92.

Section 2. That copies of this resolution be sent to Commissioner Heinze, Department of Natural Resources; Commissioner Sandor, Department of Environmental Conservation; Senators Jay Kertulla, Curt Menard, Paul Fischer, Representatives Jim Zawacki, Mike Navarre, and Gail Phillips.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS 19th DAY OF February, 1991.

Betty J. Glick
James W. Skogstad, Assembly President
Vice President

ATTEST:

Janet A. Sumey
Janet A. Sumey, Borough Clerk