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KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 91-52

A RESOLUTION OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF PARKS AND OUTDOOR RECREATION TO CONSIDER PAYMENT OF KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH SALES TAX TO QUALIFY FOR KENAI RIVER GUIDING EXPERIENCE

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska Department of Natural Resources Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation has proposed regulations to limit the number of professional guides on the Kenai River and Kenai River guiding experience is one of the criteria used to determine who qualifies for Guide Permits; and

WHEREAS, detailed maps and interpretations on soil properties, vegetation and stream channel dynamics are required to develop and enforce land use regulations which will discourage or minimize unfavorable effects of uses to protect the Kenai River from erosion, from ground and surface water contamination, and from loss of fish and wildlife habitat; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough has contributed funding, personnel and equipment for projects important to the well being of the Kenai River resources such as the Kenai River Cooperative Basin Study; and

WHEREAS, Kenai Peninsula Borough Code Chapter 5.18 levies a 2% consumer sales tax on all retail sales and on all services made or rendered within the borough; and

WHEREAS, all funds collected pursuant to Chapter 5.18 are borough moneys and are important to the financial well being of the borough and its ability to provide financial assistance for other Kenai River related projects; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough maintains records sales tax returns for a period of 6 years, and such records are available to the seller of services;

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

Section 1. The Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly urges the State of Alaska Department of Natural Resources Division of Parks

and Outdoor Recreation to require records of sales tax payments to the Borough for those years of Kenai River commercial guiding experience used to qualify for Guide Permits issued by the division.

Section 2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Mr. Neil C. Johannsen, Director Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS 7th DAY OF May, 1991.

James W. Skogstad
James W. Skogstad, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Teressa Hudson
Acting Borough Clerk