Introduced by: Mayor Date: June 4, 1991 Action: Adopted Vote: Unanimous

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 91-71

CONCEPT APPROVAL OF THE PORT GRAHAM/ENGLISH BAY AMSA AS AN ADDITION TO THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH COASTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough is a Coastal District within the Alaska Coastal Management Program; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough Coastal Management Program, adopted in June of 1990, recommended the development of an Area Which Merits Special Attention Plan for the Port Graham/English Bay area; and

WHEREAS, the Port Graham/English Bay AMSA Plan is designed to protect and preserve natural resources, habitats, and the traditional subsistence culture and lifestyles that exist on the southwestern Kenai Peninsula while allowing planned development to occur; and

WHEREAS, the Village Councils of Port Graham and English Bay have each adopted the Port Graham/English Bay AMSA Public Review Draft by resolution in April of 1990; and

WHEREAS, a 60-day public comment review period running from May 23, 1990 to July 27, 1990 and a public hearing held on August 6, 1990 have yielded no appreciable public opposition to the Port Graham/English Bay AMSA Public Hearing Draft; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough Planning Commission reviewed this plan at their August 6, 1990 meeting and passed Resolution 90-17 recommending approval;

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

<u>Section 1</u>. That the Port Graham/English Bay AMSA be conceptually approved as an addition to the Kenai Peninsula Borough Coastal Management Program and forwarded to the Alaska Coastal Policy Council for adoption by the State of Alaska.

Section 2. That upon acceptance by the State of Alaska, the borough intends to adopt the Port Graham/English Bay Area Which Merits Special Attention Plan by ordinance within 90 days pursuant to 6 AAC 85.180(b).

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ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS DAY OF ________, 1991.

James W. Skogstad, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Acting Borough Clerk