Introduced Date:

Mayor 6/18/96 Adopted Unanimous

Action: Vote:

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH RESOLUTION 96-058

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE STATE OF ALASKA, DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, DIVISION OF FORESTRY, AND THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON BEHALF OF CENTRAL EMERGENCY SERVICE AREA, NIKISKI FIRE SERVICE AREA, BEAR CREEK FIRE SERVICE AREA, AND ANCHOR POINT FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICE AREA

- **WHEREAS,** pursuant to AS 41.15.010, *et seq.*, the State of Alaska is responsible for the protection of all state, private, and municipal lands; and
- WHEREAS, pursuant to Title 16 of the Kenai Peninsula Borough Code of Ordinances, the borough is responsible for fire protection within its service area boundaries; and
- WHEREAS, the borough has negotiated an intergovernmental cooperative agreement between the borough and the State of Alaska, Department of Natural Resources, Division of Forestry, in order to provide more comprehensive fire protection from wildland fires to protect persons within the service area; and
- WHEREAS, intergovernmental cooperative agreements for fire protection are sanctioned by the Alaska Statutes; and
- **WHEREAS**, the borough administration has examined the proposed agreement and has concluded that it should be adopted by the assembly;

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

SECTION 1. That the Cooperative Fire Protection Agreement and the 1996 Annual Operating Agreement between the State of Alaska, Department of Natural Resources, Division of Forestry, and the Kenai Peninsula Borough on behalf of Central Emergency Service Area, Nikiski Fire Service Area, Bear Creek Fire Service Area, and Anchor Point Fire and Emergency Service Area are adopted and the Mayor is authorized to execute and effectuate this agreement.

SECTION 2. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 18th DAY OF JUNE, 1996.

Andrew P. Scatzi, Assembly Presiden

ATTEST:

Gaye J. Vaughan, Borough Clerk