

Introduced by: Legislative Committee
Date: 3/04/97
Action: Adopted as Amended
Vote: Unanimous

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 97-013**

**A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF STATE LEGISLATION, RELATING TO
LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS HELD OUTSIDE OF JUNEAU**

WHEREAS, legislation has been introduced to the state legislature which would amend the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State legislature relating to certain committee meetings held outside of the state capital; and

WHEREAS, Uniform Rule 23A is proposed to be amended by adding a new language which states that "each standing committee shall hold at least one meeting at a location outside of the state capital during the period beginning with the 61st day of each regular session and ending on and including the 7th day"; and

WHEREAS, having State committee meetings held outside the capital would provide greater direct access by local citizens to their legislators and allow for greater participation in the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly encourages its citizens to participate in all state and local government processes;

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

SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough supports the passage of legislation requiring standing committees of the State Legislature to hold meetings outside of the state capital.

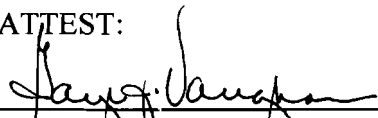
SECTION 2. That this resolution takes effect immediately upon adoption.

SECTION 3. That copies of this resolution shall be provided to Senator Jim Duncan, Representatives Kim Elton and Bill Hudson, and to all Kenai Peninsula Borough legislators.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 4th DAY OF MARCH 1997.



Jack Brown, Assembly President

ATTEST:


Gaye J. Vaughan, Borough Clerk