

Introduced	Mayor
Date:	7/15/97
Action:	Adopted
Vote:	6 Yes, 3 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH  
RESOLUTION 97-053**

**A RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT TO PTI COMMUNICATION FOR LEASE  
OF TELEPHONE SYSTEM**

**WHEREAS,** a request for proposals a for Lease of the Borough Administration Building Telephone System was released February 27, 1997 to two local telephone vendors; and

**WHEREAS,** PTI Communications was the only submitted proposal; and

**WHEREAS,** based on only one submittal, a Telecommunications Project Team was appointed to explore, research and submit recommendations of alternative approaches to maximize utilization of the available telecommunications technology for the lowest possible cost; and

**WHEREAS,** it was concluded by the Telecommunications Project Team that the technology for advanced telecommunications (i.e., fiber optics, increased bandwidth, vendor competition, etc.) is either not cost effective or is prohibitive due to the Kenai Peninsula Borough topography; and

**WHEREAS,** sufficient funds are budgeted and available in account 43110 to enter into this lease agreement; and

**WHEREAS,** the three year contract with PTI Communications would allow the Kenai Peninsula Borough to increase its current telecommunications system at a lease rate that is slightly higher than the current rate and is in the best interest of the borough;

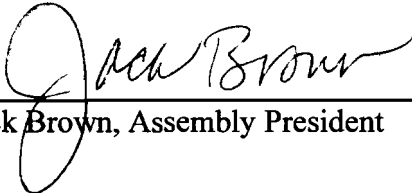
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI  
PENINSULA BOROUGH:**

**SECTION 1.** The PTI Communications Proposal be accepted and signed, with lease terms of three years, beginning September 5, 1997 and ending September 5, 2000.

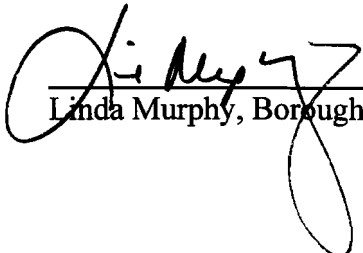
**SECTION 2.** That the mayor is authorized to sign the documents necessary to lease the proposed telecommunication system.

**SECTION 3.** That this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

**ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 15TH DAY OF JULY, 1997.**

  
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Jack Brown, Assembly President

ATTEST:

  
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Linda Murphy, Borough Clerk