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**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 2003-061**

**A RESOLUTION URGING FULL FEDERAL FUNDING FOR THE
TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY (TBI) ACT FOR FY 2004**

WHEREAS, The Traumatic Brain Injury Advisory Board for Alaska has received a federal grant under the TBI Act, Public Law 104-166, to help identify, develop, implement and sustain needed programs and resources that promote prevention and expand treatment and service delivery to Alaskans who experience traumatic brain injury; and

WHEREAS, Traumatic Brain Injury is a hidden disability lasting a lifetime with cognitive impairments unlike those associated with mental illness;

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

SECTION 1. That the United States Senate and House of Representatives are urged to appropriate the full \$23.7 million request for the FY 2004 TBI Act to fund the following programs:

Health Resources and Services Administration

- \$10.2 million - State Grants
- \$6 million - Protection and Advocacy Services


Center for Disease Control and Prevention

- \$7.5 million - National Education and Public Awareness

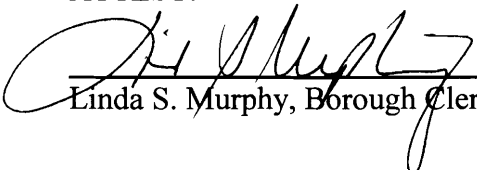
SECTION 2. That copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to U. S. Senator Ted Stevens, U. S. Senator Lisa Murkowski and U. S. Congressman Don Young.

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

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 20TH DAY OF MAY, 2003.


Pete Sprague, Assembly President

ATTEST:


Linda S. Murphy, Borough Clerk

