

Introduced by: Martin, Moss,  
Brown  
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Action: Enacted  
Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH  
ORDINANCE 2000-19-21**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A \$10,000 INTERGOVERNMENTAL LOAN AND  
APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE GREATER KACHEMAK VOLUNTEER FIRE &  
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE AREA TO ASSIST WITH START-UP COSTS  
AND TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE SERVICE AREA**

**WHEREAS,** the Greater Kachemak Volunteer Fire & Emergency Medical Service Area (Service Area) was established by voter approval October 10, 2000; and

**WHEREAS,** the Service Area will start operations with the Fiscal Year 2002 beginning July 1, 2001; and

**WHEREAS,** the Service Area will incur various start-up costs prior to July 1, 2001 in order that it may provide fire and emergency medical services effective with start of Fiscal Year 2002; and

**WHEREAS,** the administration has agreed to provide the Service Area a \$10,000 inter-governmental loan to cover these start-up costs, subject to assembly approval; and

**WHEREAS,** the present name for this service area is long and cumbersome, and the service area board voted unanimously at its January 4, 2001 meeting to recommend that the assembly amend the name to "Kachemak Emergency Service Area" and authorize the \$10,000 intergovernmental loan;

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

**SECTION 1.** That a \$10,000 inter-governmental loan is authorized for the Service Area and shall be accounted for in the General Fund account number 100.00000.00000.14120.

**SECTION 2.** The Service Area shall pay interest on the loan at an annual rate of 6.4% on the outstanding balance computed monthly and that the loan is due in full by October 31, 2001.

**SECTION 3.** That Fund 212 shall be established to account for activity of the Service Area.

**SECTION 4.** That \$10,000 shall be appropriated to the Service Area account number 212.51710.00000.49999 for start-up cost.

**SECTION 5.** That the title of Chapter 16.20 of the Kenai Peninsula Borough Code of Ordinances be amended as follows:

**CHAPTER 16.20. [GREATER] KACHEMAK [VOLUNTEER FIRE AND] EMERGENCY [MEDICAL] SERVICE AREA**

**SECTION 6.** That KP.B 16.20.010 shall be amended as follows:

**16.20.010. Boundaries.**

There is established a service area within the borough designated as the “[GREATER] Kachemak [VOLUNTEER FIRE AND] Emergency [MEDICAL] Service Area” in that portion of the borough described as all the following referenced to the Seward Meridian, Alaska:

Beginning at the north 1/16 line of section 35, T5S, R15W, and the mean high water line on the westerly shore of Cook Inlet;

Thence Easterly along the 1/16 line to the north 1/16 corner common to section 32 and 33, T5S, R14W;

Thence north along the section line to the intersection of the thread of Anchor River;

Thence easterly along the thread of Anchor River to the point of intersection with the line common to section 36, T4S, R12W and section 31, T4S, R11W;

Thence north to the Northwest corner of T4S, R11W;

Thence east along the township line to the section corner common to section 35 and 36, T3S, R11W, and section 1 and 2, T4S, R11W;

Thence north to the section corner common to section 1, 2, 11, and 12, T3S, R11W;

Thence east to the section corner common to section 5, 6, 7, and 8, T3S, R9W;

Thence south to the section corner common to section 19, 20, 29, and 30, T3S, R9W;

Thence southeasterly on a projected line toward the section corner common to section 28, 29, 32 and 33, T3S, R9W to the thread of the Fox River;

Thence southwesterly along the thread of the Fox River to the Mean High Water

Line of the Kachemak Bay;

Thence southwesterly along the Mean High Water Line also being the north shore of Kachemak Bay to intersection of T6S, R12W, and T6S, R13W also being Kachemak City east boundary;

Thence north along the Kachemak City boundary to the south 1/16 corner common to section 1, T6S, R13W, and section 6, T6S, R12W;

Thence west along the Kachemak City boundary to the south 1/16 corner common to section 1, and 2, T6S, R13W;

Thence south along the Kachemak City boundary to the section corner common to section 1, 2, 11, and 12, T6S, R13W;

Thence west along the Kachemak City boundary to the section corner common to section 2, 3, 10, and 11, T6S, R13W;

Thence south along the Kachemak City boundary to the 1/4 corner common to section 10 and 11, T6S, R13W;

Thence west along the Kachemak City boundary to the Center 1/4 corner of section 10, T6S, R13W;

Thence south along the Kachemak City boundary to the 1/4 corner common to section 10 and 15, T6S, R13W also being the north boundary City of Homer;

Thence west along the City of Homer boundary to the section corner common to section 7, 8, 17, and 18, T6S, R13W;

Thence south along the City of Homer boundary to the 1/4 corner common to section 17 and 18, T6S, R13W;

Thence west along the City of Homer boundary to the 1/4 corner common to section 14 and 15, T6S, R14W;

Thence south along the section line to the intersection of the Mean High Water Line of Cook Inlet;

Thence Northwesterly along the Mean High Water Line and the Cook to intersection of the north 1/16 line of section 35, T5S, R15W, the point of beginning.

**SECTION 7.** That KP 16.20.030 shall be amended as follows:

**16.20.030. Board of Directors.**

There is established a board of directors for oversight of the operations of the [GREATER] Kachemak [VOLUNTEER FIRE AND] Emergency [MEDICAL] Service Area composed of five members who, except as provided below, shall be elected by the qualified voters of the service area in the manner provided in the borough election code and KPB 16.04.065 as now enacted or may be hereinafter amended. Notwithstanding the provisions of KPB 16.04.060, the first board shall be appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the assembly for one year terms.

**SECTION 8.** That KPB 16.20.090 shall be amended as follows:

**16.20.090. Board—Powers and duties.**

Pursuant to the provisions of AS 29.35.460 the board of directors of the service area, subject to KPB 16.04.001 and assembly approval and appropriation of funds, shall have the power to supervise the furnishing of fire and emergency medical services within the [GREATER] Kachemak [VOLUNTEER FIRE AND] Emergency [MEDICAL] Service Area and shall promptly provide accurate and complete copies of minutes of all board meetings to the mayor and assembly. Subject to assembly approval, the board shall be responsible for developing, implementing, and updating a plan for furnishing fire and emergency medical services.

**SECTION 9.** That KPB 16.20.100 shall be amended as follows:

**16.20.100. Personnel system—Rules and regulations.**

Unless specifically provided otherwise, the borough personnel system and Title 3 of the Kenai Peninsula Borough Code of Ordinances apply to the personnel employed by the [GREATER] Kachemak [VOLUNTEER FIRE AND] Emergency [MEDICAL] Service Area.

**SECTION 10.** That KPB 16.20.110 shall be amended as follows:

**16.20.110. Employee conduct requirements.**

Employees of the [GREATER] Kachemak [VOLUNTEER FIRE AND] Emergency [MEDICAL] Service Area are employees of the borough, and as such, are required at all times to conduct themselves in an exemplary manner befitting the public service in which they are employed.

**SECTION 11.** That KPB 16.20.120 shall be amended as follows:

**16.20.120. Budget and fiscal control.**

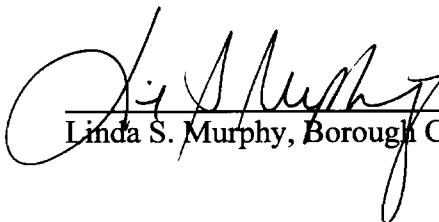
The formulation of a budget and fiscal control of expenditures of public monies of the [GREATER] Kachemak [VOLUNTEER FIRE AND] Emergency [MEDICAL] Service Area are under the supervision and direction of the mayor and the assembly. The finance director of the borough shall provide the board with the rules and regulations governing the appropriation of funds, the budgeting of funds, the authorization of expenditures, and any and all rules and regulations of the borough fiscal policy to which the service area is subject. The board shall arrange for the preparation of a budget and capital program which shall be submitted to the mayor for approval. The budget and capital expenditure proposals shall be subject to the procedures for adopting the borough budget and capital expenditures program and its consideration by the assembly. Such public hearings as are necessary shall be a part of the budgetary procedures before the board and the assembly.

**SECTION 12.** That this ordinance takes effect immediately upon its enactment.

**ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 23RD DAY OF JANUARY, 2001.**

  
Timothy Navarre, Assembly President

ATTEST:

  
Linda S. Murphy, Borough Clerk

