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Action: No Motion to Reconsider  
Date: 02/15/00

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH  
RESOLUTION 2000-010**

**A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF ASSEMBLY  
MEMBER GRACE MERKES AS THE ASSEMBLY REPRESENTATIVE  
TO THE KENAI BROWN BEAR STAKEHOLDERS GROUP**

**WHEREAS,** a Stakeholders Group has been established by the Alaska Department of Fish and Game to develop proposed strategies to address issues related to Kenai Peninsula brown bears; and

**WHEREAS,** the membership of the Stakeholders Group represents various private, public and government entities that have a strong interest in the development of future conservation policies for Kenai Peninsula Brown Bears and the potential effects those policies will have on the citizens, communities and businesses of the Kenai Peninsula Borough; and

**WHEREAS,** the membership of the Stakeholders Group includes representatives from Kenai River Sport Fishing Association, Safari Club International, Alaska Department of Natural Resources, Cook Inlet Region Incorporated, National Audobon Society, Unocal Alaska Resources, United States Forest Service, Kenai Visitors and Convention Bureau, Alaska Department of Fish and Game, Alaska Native Resource Consultants, Kenai River Private Property Owners' Association, United States Fish and Wildlife Service and Timber Resource Management Services; and

**WHEREAS,** it is important that the interest of the citizens, communities and businesses of the Kenai Peninsula Borough be represented as the Kenai Brown Bear Stakeholders Group develops its proposed long-term strategies to address future conservation policies for Kenai Peninsula brown bears; and

**WHEREAS,** the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly has directed that the Assembly President appoint an Assembly Member as its representative on the Kenai Brown Bear Stakeholders Group; and

**WHEREAS,** the Assembly President has appointed Assembly Member Grace Merkes to represent the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly on the Kenai Brown Bear Stakeholders Group; and

**WHEREAS,** the Borough Assembly's adopted Rules of Procedure requires Assembly confirmation of all appointments or nominations to non-borough committees and boards;

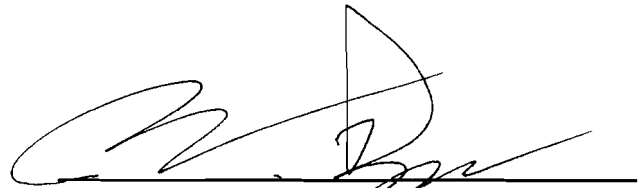
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:**

**SECTION 1.** That the Assembly confirms the appointment of Assembly Member Grace Merkes as the Assembly's representative to the Brown Bear Stakeholders Task Force.

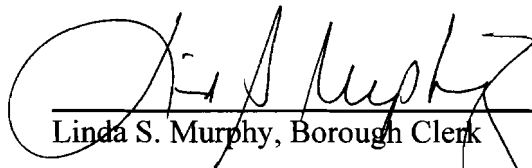
**SECTION 2.** That the Assembly confirms the appointment of Assembly Member Tim Navarre as the Assembly's alternate representative to the Brown Bear Stakeholders Task Force.

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

**ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 1ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2000.**

  
William Popp, Assembly President

ATTEST:

  
Linda S. Murphy, Borough Clerk

