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DAVID R. CAREY
BOROUGH MAYOR

MEMORANDUM

TO: Gary Knopp, Assembly President
Members, Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly

THRU: David R. Carey, Mayor *DR Carey*

FROM: Craig Chapman, Finance Director *C Chapman*
Mark Fowler, Purchasing and Contracting Officer *M Fowler*

DATE: January 6, 2011

SUBJECT: Ordinance 2010-19-33, authorizing the purchasing of an O-arm and navigational surgical imaging system and appropriating \$908,373 from the CPGH, Inc. Plant Replacement and Expansion Fund

The Central Peninsula Hospital (CPH) is adding an orthopedic spine surgeon to its staff on July 1, 2011. The hospital is requesting that an O-arm and navigational surgical imaging system be purchased to accommodate the new surgeon. The O-arm is a patented surgical piece of equipment, sold exclusively by Medtronic, Inc. and the navigational surgical imaging system is compatible with the O-arm equipment and a necessary component of the O-arm.

The purchase of the surgical equipment has been evaluated and supported by the borough administration. The cost for an O-arm and navigational surgical imaging system, which may also be used for other surgical procedures, is \$908,373. This ordinance would appropriate \$908,373 from the CPGH, Inc. Plant Replacement and Expansion Fund to pay for the system.

The CPGH, Inc. board of directors and Central Kenai Peninsula Hospital Service Area board will consider the hospital's request at their respective board meetings later this month. Any action and/or recommendation made by those boards regarding the purchase will be provided to the assembly before public hearing.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT
FUNDS VERIFIED

Acct. No. 490.20602

Amount \$908,373.00

By: CBSW Date: 1/6/11