

Introduced by:	Mayor
Date:	06/21/11
Shortened Hearing:	07/05/11
Action:	Enacted as Amended
Vote:	9 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE 2011-19-01**

**AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$1,067,281 FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING
A FOURTH OPERATING ROOM AT CENTRAL PENINSULA HOSPITAL**

WHEREAS, Central Peninsula Hospital (CPH) currently has three (3) operating rooms, one (1) C-section room, one (1) minor procedure room, and one (1) shelled in operating room consisting of 585 square feet; and

WHEREAS, during construction of the Mountain Tower expansion project the operating room space was deliberately shelled in for future completion; and

WHEREAS, Central Peninsula General Hospital, Inc. (CPGH, Inc.) has recently recruited and signed a general surgeon, orthopedic spine surgeon, and an OB/GYN who have begun, or will begin practice during FY11 and FY12; and

WHEREAS, the current operating room 'blocked time' utilization rate warrants the use of an additional operating room to increase overall efficiencies; and

WHEREAS, completion of the additional operating room will address current scheduling and efficiency issues and will also accommodate increased operating room utilization resulting from the addition of physicians/surgeons at CPH; and

WHEREAS, the cost projection for this project is estimated to be \$1,067,281 and funding for this project will come from the CPH Plant Replacement and Expansion Fund; and

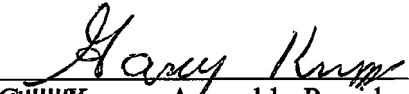
WHEREAS, the CPGH, Inc. Board of Directors at its June 30, 2011 board meeting authorized the expenditure of \$1,067,281 from the CPH Plant Replacement and Expansion Fund for completion of the fourth operating room;

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

SECTION 1. That \$1,067,281 in CPH Plant Replacement and Expansion funds are appropriated to account no. 490.81110.12OPR.49999 for converting the 585 square feet of unfinished shelled space in the Mountain Tower into a new operating room.

SECTION 2. That this ordinance is takes effect immediately upon its enactment.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 5TH DAY OF JULY, 2011.

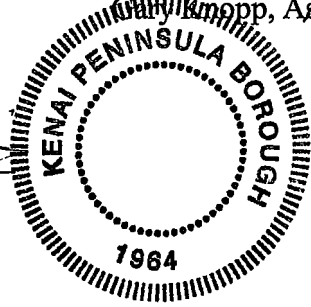


Gary Knopp, Assembly President

ATTEST:



John Blankenship, Borough Clerk



Yes: Haggerty, Johnson, McClure, Murphy, Pierce, Smalley, Smith, Tauriainen, Knopp
No: None
Absent: None