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DAVID R. CAREY BOROUGH MAYOR

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Gary Knopp, Assembly President

Members, Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly

FROM:

Bill Smith, Assembly Member

Linda Murphy, Assembly Member

DATE:

August 25, 2011

SUBJECT: Amended KPB 22.30.030 as amended Effective October 14th, 2011

Scheduled to take effect on October 14th, Ordinance 2011-24 amended KPB 22.30.030 and mandates assembly member term limits after two consecutive 3 year terms. Due to terms which may be truncated by reapportionment and other shortened terms, this may lead to an allowed continuous term of service for an assembly member of 10 years or more.

We offer this amendment to add additional limits so that any two 3 year terms in a consecutive term of service on the assembly will result in reaching a term limit. In addition, to deal with unforeseen circumstances, a total limit of 8 consecutive years is also imposed.

It is our intent to continue to support a limit of two full terms for assembly members and when those terms are served, the service must be interrupted.

Your consideration of this ordinance will be appreciated.