Introduced by:

Legislative Committee

Date: Action: 03/03/92 Adopted

Vote:

Unanimous

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH RESOLUTION 92-29

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING STATE LEGISLATION RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE RECYCLING REGISTRATION FEES

- WHEREAS, HB 379 has been introduced in the State Legislature creating a Motor Vehicle Recycling Grant Fund and requiring the collection of a \$2.00 recycling registration fee to provide revenue for the program; and
- WHEREAS, abandoned and junk vehicles can be found littered throughout Alaska; and
- WHEREAS, municipalities do not generally have excess funds to deal with the collection and recycling of these vehicles; and
- WHEREAS, these vehicles frequently have batteries and motor oil that tend to leak when left to degenerate over the years, and have the potential for ground water contamination; and
- WHEREAS, the recycling and reuse of the scrap metal is the most beneficial use of this resource; and
- WHEREAS, recycling eliminates the need to occupy valuable and costly landfill space; and
- WHEREAS, it is appropriate for users to pay for the eventual recycling of automobiles;

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

- Section 1. That the Borough Assembly supports and urges passage of House Bill 379, creating the Motor Vehicle Recycling Grant Fund.
- Section 2. That the Borough Assembly encourages the legislature to make the annual appropriation of revenue collected from this program to the Motor Vehicle Recycling Grant Fund.
- Section 3. That the Clerk shall send copies of this resolution to Governor Walter Hickel, Senators Paul A. Fischer, Lyman F. Hoffman, Jalmar M. Kerttula, and Curt Menard; to House Representatives Kay Brown, Gene Kubina, Georgianna

Lincoln, Mike Navarre, Gail Phillips, and James E. Zawacki; and to the House State Affairs Committee.

Section 4. That this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS 3rd DAY OF MARCH 1992.

Betty J. Glick, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Gaye J. Vaughan, Borough Clerk