

Introduced by: Sewall & Skogstad
Date: 08/18/92
Adopted: 8/18/92
Vote: Unanimous

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 92-97**

**A RESOLUTION AFFIRMING SUPPORT FOR PUBLIC
USE AND ESTABLISHING A MANAGEMENT CORRIDOR
FOR THAT PORTION OF THE IDITAROD NATIONAL
HISTORIC TRAIL ON BOROUGH MANAGED LAND**

WHEREAS, the Iditarod Trail was one of the first National Historic Trails selected when Public Law 95-625 (the National Parks and Recreation Act) was signed by the President on November 10, 1978, and that Act specifically named the Iditarod Trail as a National Historic Trail; and

WHEREAS, Kenai Peninsula Borough Resolution 85-9 designates the route of the Iditarod National Historic Trail through the Kenai Peninsula Borough; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough manages the Iditarod National Historic Trail within its borders in accordance with a Memorandum of Understanding between the Kenai Peninsula Borough and the Bureau of Land Management, U. S. Department of the Interior, following the guidelines of the National Comprehensive Management Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough manages lands along the Seward to Moose Pass segment of the Trail and along public use access improvements and side trails constructed and maintained by the Iditarod Trailblazers, Seward Chapter;

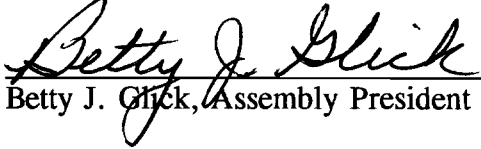
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:

SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough continues to support opportunities for outdoor recreation and public enjoyment of the Iditarod National Historic Trail which are compatible with the integrity of the route and are not destructive to the cultural and natural resources associated with the Trail.

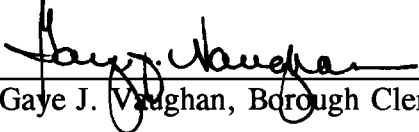
SECTION 2. That, in accordance with the Memorandum of Understanding between the Kenai Peninsula Borough and the Bureau of Land Management, the Borough agrees to protect continued public use of the Trail, and in keeping with the Iditarod National Historic Trail Comprehensive Management Plan, Trail Corridor Guidelines, will establish a one thousand foot corridor for those sections of the Trail under Borough management.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY THIS 18th DAY OF AUGUST, 1992.


Betty J. Glick, Assembly President

ATTEST:


Gaye J. Vaughan, Borough Clerk