

Introduced by: Glick, Moock
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Action: Adopted
Vote: Unanimous

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 93-96**

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CONTINUED DEVELOPMENT OF THE
MINING AND PETROLEUM TRAINING SERVICE (MAPTS) FIRE TRAINING
FACILITY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA'S REQUEST TO THE ALASKA
STATE LEGISLATURE FOR A GRANT OF \$2.2 MILLION TO FUND THE
DEVELOPMENT OF THESE FACILITIES**

WHEREAS, State Fire Service Training has no centralized formal fire training center to provide training to fire and emergency service personnel; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly supports the selection of the Kenai Peninsula Site as the location of the centralized State Fire Service Training Center and the development and use of the facility by the Alaska Fire Service, the University of Alaska, and Industry; and

WHEREAS, the City of Kenai, in conjunction with the University of Alaska Mining and Petroleum Extension Service and the State of Alaska, have undertaken the development of physical facilities necessary for such training and have expended nearly \$3 million to create training facilities for that purpose; and

WHEREAS, MAPTS through its representative chancellor, is requesting that the University of Alaska Board of Regents, include in its capital budget request for FY 94/95, a grant of \$2.2 million for further development of the MAPTS Fire Training Facility in Kenai to include installation of both interior fire training props, industrial fire training props, storage facilities for fire fighting equipment, and additional classroom facilities at its present training facility; and

WHEREAS, State Fire Service Training will utilize the facilities to maximize the availability of ongoing formal training for fire service personnel statewide both now and in the future;

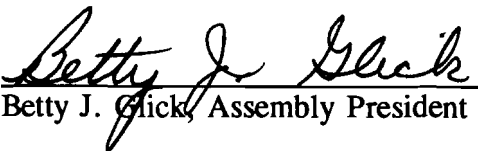
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:

SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly fully supports the continued development of the MAPTS Fire Training Facility.


SECTION 2. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly also supports the University of Alaska's request to the Alaska State Legislature for a grant in the amount of \$2.2 million to fund the development of these facilities.

SECTION 3. That copies of this resolution be sent to Governor Walter Hickel, State Fire Marshal Jack McGary, and State Senators Judy Salo and Suzanne Little and Representatives Gail Phillips, Mike Navarre and Gary Davis.

ADOPTED BY THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY THIS 7TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1993.


Betty J. Glick, Assembly President

ATTEST:


Gaye J. Vaughan, Borough Clerk