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**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH  
RESOLUTION 93-104**

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE PROPOSAL FOR  
THE ACQUISITION OF CRITICAL HABITAT AT  
THE KASILOF RIVER AND COAL CREEK CONFLUENCE**

**WHEREAS,** the property on which the confluence of the Coal Creek and Kasilof River meet has been identified as a "critical habitat" area; and

**WHEREAS,** Cook Inlet Aquaculture Association has a sockeye enhancement project located on this property for the last two years; and

**WHEREAS,** nearby residents and others currently enjoy the beauty of this property and use it as a "park" type setting; and

**WHEREAS,** the Kasilof River is the second largest salmon producing river system on the Kenai Peninsula; and

**WHEREAS,** the tidal influence combined with the river plain has created a productive tidal marsh which provides a concentrated food source and habitat for fish, birds and mammals; and

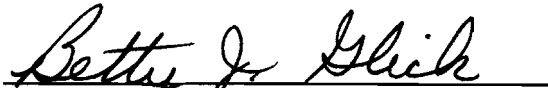
**WHEREAS,** the Coal Creek/Kasilof River area is a valuable productive natural resource and the acquisition of this property as a critical habitat area would provide substantial public benefits as well as protect the ecosystem

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


**SECTION 1.** That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly supports the proposal for the acquisition of critical habitat at the Kasilof River and Coal Creek confluence.

**SECTION 2.** That copies of this resolution be sent Governor Walter J. Hickel; Attorney General Charles Cole; Carl Rosier, Commissioner, Alaska Department of Fish and Game; Senators Little and Salo; Representatives Davis, Navarre and Phillips.

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

  
Betty J. Glick, Assembly President

ATTEST:

  
Gaye J. Vaughan, Borough Clerk