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Action: Adopted
Vote: Unanimous

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 94-070

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE ACQUISITION OF THE CHESTER CONE
KENAI RIVER PROPERTY BY THE EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE
COUNCIL UNDER THEIR SMALL PARCEL ACQUISITION PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, a trust fund was established after the Exxon Valdez oil spill for the purpose of restoring property impacted by the oil spill and for establishing a habitat protection acquisition program; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Cone's property meets the acquisition program criteria primarily because it includes rearing habitat for sockeye and pink salmon, Dolly Varden, bald eagles, common murre and tidal organisms important to the support of those particular species; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Cone is a long-time resident of the Kenai Peninsula, having homesteaded on the Kenai River many years ago; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Cone has tried to sell his river-front property but has been unsuccessful because of restrictions on the use of wetland property; and


WHEREAS, Mr. Cone is 80 years old; therefore, time is of the essence and an expedited review should be performed;

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

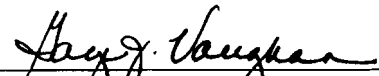
SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly supports the acquisition of Mr. Cone's Kenai River property by the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council and asks the Trustee Council to proceed with an expedited review of Mr. Cone's application.

SECTION 2. That this Resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS 16th DAY OF AUGUST, 1994.


Betty J. Glick, Assembly President

ATTEST:


Gaye J. Vaughan, Borough Clerk