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Mayor Dave Carey Kenai Peninsula Borough 144 N Binkley Soldotna, AK 99669

Dear Mayor Carey:

As you know, the City of Kachemak is proposing to annex a contiguous 40 acre parcel with the unanimous consent of the property owners. The owners of several individual lots and partial lots adjacent to the 40 acre parcel would like to be annexed as well, but were not included in the original proposal. Several of these lot owners have talked with the Local Boundary Commission about the possibility of being added to the annexation at the time of the Boundary Commission hearing in July.

They were told that it was unlikely that they could be added, but to go ahead and get a letter of non-objection from the Kenai Peninsula Borough if possible. Upon discussion with the Borough Attorney, Collette Thompson, she asked if Kachemak City Council had approved their move to be added to a potential annexation.

This letter is to confirm a phone conversation I had with Ms. Thompson on June 16. I informed her that I had polled the Council at a meeting last month as to their concern if one or more lots wished to be added to the 40 acre parcel. The unanimous response from Council was that no one had any objection to the Boundary Commission adding contiguous lots as long as the residents requested it.

So even though we have no resolution or ordinance specifically inviting willing contiguous residents to request annexation, I am confident that the Kachemak City Council has no objection to the Boundary Commission adding one or more lots to the annexation if it considers such action in the best interests of all parties. Enclosed is a copy of the minutes of the aforementioned meeting where this issue was discussed. Hopefully this will be sufficient for the Kenai Peninsula Borough to issue a letter of non-objection regarding these few individual lots.

Sincerely,

Philemon D. Morris

Mayor

Enclosure

CC: Charles Trowbridge

Bill Smith

Collette Thompson