

Introduced by:	McClure, Mayor
Date:	04/03/12
Action:	Adopted
Vote:	9 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 2012-022**

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE COOPER LANDING WALKABLE
COMMUNITY PROJECT**

WHEREAS, the Cooper Landing Walkable Community Project ("Walkable Community Project") was adopted into the Transportation Section of the Kenai Peninsula Borough's Comprehensive Plan by passage of Ordinance 2010-13; and

WHEREAS, the Sterling Highway passes through Cooper Landing, carrying significant numbers of motorized and non-motorized users, and has very limited areas for pedestrians and bicyclists; and

WHEREAS, this highway will continue to serve large numbers of motorized and non-motorized users whether the "Cooper Landing Bypass" is constructed or not; and

WHEREAS, the Walkable Community Project outlines 17 projects to increase the quality of life in the community; and

WHEREAS, the paths through Cooper Landing and various neighborhoods were listed as number 1 and number 2 of the community's 17 projects in 2009; and

WHEREAS, the Walkable Community Project has been the community's number 1 priority for Capital Improvement funds for the years 2011 and 2012; and

WHEREAS, the community is requesting capital improvement funds from the State of Alaska to support this priority project; and

WHEREAS, support from the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly would add weight to the community of Cooper Landing's requests for this funding;

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

SECTION 1. The Assembly supports the efforts of the community of Cooper Landing in improving its community.

SECTION 2. The Assembly supports the capital project funding by the community of Cooper Landing for the Walkable Community Project.

SECTION 3. That copies of this resolution shall be provided to Senators Albert Kookesh, Cathy Geissel, Tom Wagoner, and Gary Stevens, and Representatives Alan Dick, Mike Hawker, Kurt Olson, Mike Chenault, and Paul Seaton.

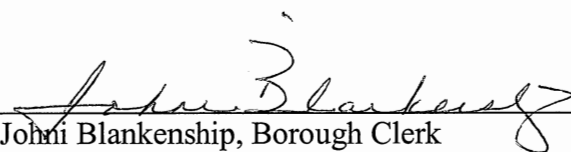
SECTION 4. That this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 3RD DAY OF APRIL, 2012.



Gary Knopp, Assembly President

ATTEST:



John Blankenship, Borough Clerk



Yes: Haggerty, Johnson, McClure, Murphy, Pierce, Smalley, Smith, Tauriainen, Knopp
No: None
Absent: None