KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 2011-005

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AN EXTENSION OF THE
ALASKA COASTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Alaska Coastal Management Program ("ACMP") has effectively promoted a balance between economic development and protection of coastal resources since 1979; and

WHEREAS, the Kenai Peninsula Borough has been an active participant in the ACMP since 1990; and

WHEREAS, the ACMP provides boroughs and municipalities with a unique tool through which 28 coastal governments have an opportunity to bring local knowledge to development projects planned in their localities that require state and federal permits; and

WHEREAS, the ACMP will sunset on July 1, 2011, in accordance with law adopted in 2003 by the Alaska State Legislature unless the legislature extends the program; and

WHEREAS, the Parnell administration supports the continuation of the ACMP in Senate Bill 45 and House Bill 106 for an additional six years;

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

SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly supports Senate Bill 45 and House Bill 106 extending the Alaska Coastal Management Program.

SECTION 2. That copies of this resolution be forwarded to Governor Sean Parnell and all members of the Alaska State Legislature.

SECTION 3. That this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.
ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 15TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2011.

Gary Knopp, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Johni Blankenship, Borough Clerk

Yes: Haggerty, Johnson, McClure, Murphy, Pierce, Smalley, Smith, Tauriainen, Knopp

No: None

Absent: None