

**CITY OF HOMER
HOMER, ALASKA**

City Manager

RESOLUTION 20-013

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF HOMER, ALASKA,
APPROVING A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE
CITY OF HOMER AND THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
REGARDING A REGIONAL APPLICATION TO ASSISTANCE TO
FIREFIGHTERS GRANT PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY
MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS.

WHEREAS, Resolution 18-080 approved a Memorandum of Agreement between the City of Homer and Kenai Peninsula Borough regarding the application to an Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program for the purpose of funding the replacement of self-contained breathing apparatus for emergency responders in Anchor Point, Homer, Ninilchik and the Kachemak Emergency Service Area; and

WHEREAS, The Assistance to Firefighters Grant was not awarded to the Kenai Peninsula Borough and the group is reapplying for the grant with the Homer Volunteer Fire Department as the lead agency, requiring a revised Memorandum of Agreement be approved; and

WHEREAS, All of the justification outlined in Resolution 18-080 and importance of collaboration is as relevant today as it was then; and

WHEREAS, As part of the Memorandum of Agreement the City of Homer is committing to providing a 10% match for the SCBA at an estimated cost of less than \$10,000; and

WHEREAS, If awarded, the Homer City Council will need to appropriate the match by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, The regional nature of the application and collaboration between departments is to be commended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Homer City Council hereby approves the Memorandum of Agreement between the City of Homer and the Kenai Peninsula Borough.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if awarded the funds, the Homer City Council will consider by ordinance appropriating a 10% match.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Homer City Council this 27th day of January, 2020.

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CITY OF HOMER

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ATTEST:

MELISSA JACOBSEN, MMC, CITY CLERK

Fiscal Note: N/A