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MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 18-077

A RESOLUTION OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPROVING FISCAL YEAR 2020 BOROUGH PRIORITIES AND PROJECT FUNDING.

Borough Action Priorities:

- 1. FULL COMPLEMENT OF TROOPER STAFFING AND PRESENCE IN THE MAT-SU VALLEY - Captain April recommends 85 Trooper positions and we request this goal be achieved within three years.
- 2. HIGHER PRIORITIZATION FOR MAT-SU BOROUGH PROJECTS AND EFFORTS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Pursue Mat-Su Borough Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) implementation within the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP).
- 3. REPRESENTATION FROM MAT-SU VALLEY ON STATE BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND DIRECTORIAL POSITIONS.
- 4. SUPPORT FOR PORT MACKENZIE ON STATE OF ALASKA PROJECTS, INCLUDING LNG DEVELOPMENT.
- 5. COMPLETION OF STATE-FEDERAL KNIK-GOOSE BAY (KGB) ROAD RECONSTRUCTION PROJECTS FROM CENTAUR AVE. TO SETTLER'S BAY.
- 6. COMPLETION OF STATE-FEDERAL GLENN HIGHWAY PARKS HIGHWAY INTERCHANGE TO ARCTIC AVE., MP 34 TO 42 PROJECT.
- 7. COMMENCEMENT OF STATE-FEDERAL SEWARD-MERIDIAN PARKWAY ROAD IMPROVEMENTS, PHASE II: PALMER-WASILLA HIGHWAY TO SELDON ROAD PROJECT.
- 8. ACTION ON STATE'S WEST SUSITNA ROADS TO RESOURCES PROGRAM The two bridges and forest road will help develop the area between the Little Susitna (Little Su) and Susitna (Big Su) Rivers, allowing access to economic development resources.

Borough Funding Priorities:

- 1. MATCHING FUNDS FOR VOTER APPROVED ROAD BOND PROJECTS See attached 2018 MSB Road Bond Projects map; 50/50 match request.
- 2. BOGARD ROAD AND ENGSTROM ROAD INTERSECTION UPGRADE Traffic delays continue to grow as more and more subdivisions are being built using Engstrom Road access.

- 3. COMPLETION OF PORT MACKENZIE RAIL EXTENSION Substantial potential to boost and diversify Alaska's statewide economy using the port capable of docking and loading the largest cargo vessels in the world.
- 4. WILLOW LIBRARY PROJECT Library replacement and community center upgrades, using a \$1.7M match from Mat-Su Health Foundation and \$1.9M borough contribution.
- 5. BOROUGH WASTEWATER AND SEPTAGE FACILITY Construction of a septage and wastewater facility to serve the Borough's homeowners disposal needs. The municipality of Anchorage has requested this service no longer be provided to Borough residents.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 27 day of November, 2018.

VERN HALTER, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:

LONNIE R. MCKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

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PASSED UNANIMOUSLY: Sykes, Beck, McKee, Leonard, Mayfield, Sumner, and Boeve