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**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 19-075**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPROVING THE SCOPES OF WORK AND BUDGETS FOR PROJECT NOS. 45215 AND 45155, FUND 405, TO ALLOW THE GREATER PALMER CONSOLIDATED FIRE SERVICE AREA TO PURCHASE COMMUNICATIONS AND GLOBAL POSITIONING SATELLITE (GPS) EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT, AND PROVIDE FUNDING FOR A FUEL OIL TANK PROJECT FOR STATION 3-2.

WHEREAS, the purchase and installation of new modern radio communication equipment in the apparatus will ensure better emergency communications and that radios are in FCC compliance for the future; and

WHEREAS, the purchase and installation of GPS activated Opticom emitters will provide the ability to activate traffic control signals during a response so emergency apparatus can navigate intersections safely and continue the flow of traffic at these intersections; and

WHEREAS, our current person protective equipment is either facing a 10-year life cycle or, due to emergency responses and training, is showing signs of wear to the materials that cannot be repaired; and

WHEREAS, this project will be used to purchase coats, pants, boots and helmets for responders to wear during emergency response

activities to ensure firefighter safety while performing fire suppression activities; and

WHEREAS, currently station 3-2 has a 300-gallon fuel tank for the heating system which is too small and needs to be filled on a short rotation; and

WHEREAS, purchasing a 500-gallon fuel oil tank for heating Station 3-2 will allow for extended times between resupplies; and

WHEREAS, as there is always the possibility of a mishap where the fuel delivery could be delayed, a larger fuel tank can make up the time needed until the scheduled delivery can be performed; and

WHEREAS, the Greater Palmer Consolidated Fire Service Area Board of Supervisors has approved moving a total of \$70,000 from the Greater Palmer Consolidated Fire Service Area fund balance to purchase communications, and GPS equipment, personal protective equipment, and provide funding for a fuel oil tank project for Station 3-2; and

WHEREAS, these funds were appropriated to project nos. 45215 and 45155 with adoption of Ordinance Serial No. 19-102.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Assembly hereby approves the scope of work and budget for Project Nos. 45215 and 45155.

SCOPES OF WORK

Communications and electronic equipment - Project 45215; purchase and installation of radios and GPS units in apparatus.

Personal Protective Equipment - Project 45215; personal protective clothing for firefighters to wear during emergency response activities.

Fuel Oil Tank Project for Station 3-2 - Project 45155; this project will include all necessary equipment, supplies, and labor to install a new fuel oil tank and concrete pad for Station 3-2.

BUDGETS

Communications and Electronic Equipment Project 45215	\$ 6,000
Personal Protective Equipment Project 45215	\$ 42,000
Fuel Tank Project for Station 32 Project 45155	<u>\$ 22,000</u>
Greater Palmer Consolidated FSA, Fund 259 Fund Balance Appropriation	<u>\$ 70,000</u>

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 3 day
of September, 2019.


VERN HALTER, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:


LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

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