

**LAKE AND PENINSULA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION 20-20**

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A SPENDING PLAN FOR THE CORONAVIRUS RELIEF FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,247,765 FOR COSTS THAT ARE FOR NECESSARY EXPENDITURES INCURRED DUE TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19)

WHEREAS, the Federal Government has allocated \$1.5 billion in Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act or CARES Act (H.R. 748) funding to the State of Alaska, and

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska has allocated \$2,247,765.00 in CARES Act funding to the Lake and Peninsula Borough, and

WHEREAS, the federal government has specified these funds are to be used for 1) “necessary expenditures” related to COVID-19; 2) Expenses not accounted for in the budget most recently approved as of the date of enactment, 3) expenses incurred during the period of March 1, 2020 and December 30, 2020, and

WHEREAS, the federal government has determined the funds may be used for transportation, connectivity, rural development, nutrition and financial assistance, health and human services, education and early childhood, labor, environment, commerce, small business administration, housing and community development, law enforcement, public safety and criminal justice, personal protective equipment, disaster assistance, elections, deadline extensions for REAL ID, and municipal bonds, and

WHEREAS, the Lake and Peninsula Borough wishes to use the funds to the most benefit of the most people for the longest term, and

WHEREAS, the Lake and Peninsula Borough was created to facilitate the Lake and Peninsula schools,

WHEREAS, these expenditures will prepare communities to respond to all emergencies and pandemics, including the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Lake and Peninsula Borough that the following allocation for the CARES Act funds be spent as follows:

Borough Direct Expenses	14.7%
Includes Assembly stipends from emergency and/or special meetings directly spent on COVID19 issues, Staff Time directly spent on COVID19 issues (includes salary and benefits), Consultant, legal services, advertisement, internet and telephone (due to remote meetings and working from home)	
Distance Learning/Technology	11.4%
Includes laptops and cases, iPad and cases for remote education for grades K thru 12.	
Emergency Response Vehicles	40%

16 vehicles and freight that will be available to transport health care professionals and patients, as well as staff for decontamination and cleaning.

PPE	2.3%
Adult and child face masks and disinfecting wipes	
Yet to be allocated	31.6%

PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the Lake and Peninsula Borough Assembly on this 6th day of October, 2020.

IN WITNESS THERETO;

Glen Alsworth, Sr., Mayor

ATTEST:

Kate Conley, Borough Clerk