NON-CODE ORDINANCE

By: Borough Manager

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Postponed Indefinitely: 12/04/07

MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 07-151

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPROVING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$150,000 FROM FUND 203, LAND MANAGEMENT FUND BALANCE, TO FUND 430, FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION TO REPLACE THE COTTONWOOD CREEK AND TWINS II BRIDGES ON OILWELL ROAD IN TRAPPER CREEK, PROJECT NO. 35014.

WHEREAS, the Alaska State Department of Transportation, as part of their biannual bridge inspections, identified structural concerns with the Cottonwood Creek and Twins II Bridges on Oilwell Road in Trapper Creek; and

WHEREAS, currently the two bridges and their abutments are substandard and at risk especially at high water events, spring breakup, and the fall rainy season; and

WHEREAS, the bridges are required for emergency, fire, and ambulance access as they serve over 200 cabin owners and full time residents, and provide access to hunting, fishing, snowmobiling, mining, and the timber industry; and

WHEREAS, the bridges remain open but currently have a weight limit requirement mandated by the Alaska State Department of Transportation and need to be replaced; and

WHEREAS, \$150,000 is available from Land Management fund balance for this project; and

WHEREAS, funds must be appropriated and the scope of work and budget approved by the Assembly prior to expenditures.

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BE IT ENACTED:

Section 1. Classification. This is a non-code ordinance.

Section 2. <u>Appropriation source</u>. The amount of \$150,000 is hereby appropriated by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly from the Land Management fund balance, fund 203, to fund 430, project no. 35014, for the design and construction to replace the Cottonwood Creek and Twins II Bridges on Oilwell Road in Trapper Creek.

Section 3. <u>Effective date</u>. This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly.

POSTPONED INDEFINITELY by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 4 day of December, 2007.

POSTPONED INDEFINITELY: Houston, Church, Kvalheim, Bettine, Wells, and Kluberton