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## **RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA**

**Serial No. 2094**

### **A Resolution Congratulating Duke University Upon Winning the 2001 National Collegiate Athletic Association Men's Basketball Championship.**

WHEREAS, the City and Borough of Juneau remembers its champions, and

WHEREAS, Carlos Boozer has been a memorable basketball champion since he joined the Crimson Bears in 1995 as a freshman, and helped bring the Bears to within four points of the state championship, and

WHEREAS, over the following three years, Mr. Boozer was instrumental in our first state championship in 15 years, our first ever consecutive title, and our awesome 1998-99 record of 22 wins and 2 losses into the playoffs, only to miss the three-peat in a heartbreaker four-minute overtime at the championship game, and

WHEREAS, at graduation, Juneau's loss was Duke University's gain, where Mr. Boozer led the Blue Devils in rebounding, was named to the Atlantic Coast Conference All-Freshman Team, and at the NCAA tournament helped bring Duke to the Sweet 16 for the third consecutive year, and

WHEREAS, with Mr. Boozer as its third leading scorer and second leading rebounder, Duke this year achieved a 35-4 record and won its third straight Atlantic Coast Conference Championship, and

WHEREAS, Duke finished this season ranked #1 by ESPN/USAToday and the Associated Press, and

WHEREAS, at the NCAA Tournament this year, Duke kept its focus, never lost sight of the next play, and worked as a team to win the national title in a ten-point victory over Arizona, and

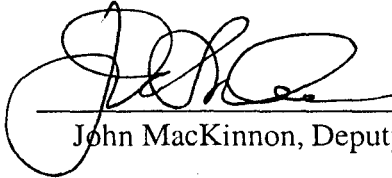
WHEREAS, at its regular meeting of April 2, 2001, the Assembly convened and then immediately recessed – an unprecedented procedure – for the purpose of cheering the Blue Devils through a special televised feed to the Assembly chambers;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA:

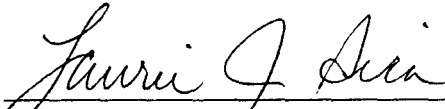
**Section 1.** The Assembly congratulates Duke University, Coach Mike Krzyzewski, all the Blue Devils, and especially our own Carlos Boozer for their achievement in winning the 2001 National Collegiate Athletic Association Men’s Basketball Championship.

**Section 2. Effective Date.** This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Adopted this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2001.

  
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John MacKinnon, Deputy Mayor

Attest:

  
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Laurie J. Sica, Clerk