Presented by: Assemblymembers Davidson, Parsons, Young, and Campbell
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RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 1337

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CONTINUATION OF THE CONSTITUTIONALLY CREATED UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA SYSTEM AS RESTRUCTURED AND URGING A "NO" VOTE ON BALLOT MEASURE NO. 3 ON NOVEMBER 8, 1988.

WHEREAS, the Assembly of the City and Borough of Juneau has been a strong advocate and supporter of the University of Alaska Juneau for many years, and

WHEREAS, the Southeast Senior College and the Juneau Community College were consolidated in 1978, and

WHEREAS, the consolidated unit operated effectively and efficiently as the University of Alaska Juneau until the establishment of the regional university in 1987, and

WHEREAS, the University of Alaska Southeast, with campuses in Juneau, Ketchikan, and Sitka, is successfully addressing the postsecondary education needs of its constituency in Southeast Alaska while pursuing its community college mission, and

WHEREAS, the Assembly has been a staunch supporter of the restructuring of the University of Alaska system to save money during a period of severe budget reductions, and has supported the change from the University of Alaska Juneau to the University of Alaska Southeast, and

WHEREAS, the restructuring has been implemented and the University of Alaska throughout the state continues to offer those programs previously offered by the community colleges, and

WHEREAS, the University of Alaska Southeast offers vocational, technical, continuing education, and degree programs previously offered by the Ketchikan Community College and the Islands Community College;

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

1. That the Assembly supports the continuation of one constitutionally created University of Alaska system as restructured July 1, 1987, which reduced administrative costs, increased public access by allowing all campus sites the opportunity to offer vocational/technical, upper division, and graduate courses, and has continued strong community participation.

2. That the Assembly urges the voters of the City and Borough of Juneau to support the University of Alaska Southeast by voting "NO" on Ballot Measure No. 3 on November 8, 1988.

3. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Adopted this 31st day of October, 1988.

Bruce M. Botelho
Mayor

Attest:

Patty A. Pillsf
Clerk