Anchorage Assembly Statement on the Passing of Edward B. Rasmuson

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Upon learning of the passing of Edward B. Rasmuson, members of the Anchorage Assembly would like to recognize his monumental positive impact on our community and extend their condolences to Mr. Rasmuson’s family.

“Ed Rasmuson and the Rasmuson Foundation have been incredible partners for the Municipality of Anchorage,” said Chair Suzanne LaFrance. “From supporting our arts and cultural organizations and parks, to inspiring a spirit of philanthropy in our community, and most recently championing our housing and homelessness projects, our community wouldn’t be what it is today without his contributions.”

"The Rasmuson family has been serving Alaskans for generations,” said Vice Chair Christopher Constant. “Ed Rasmuson lived a life of distinction assisting communities and organizations to lift themselves up through smart investments and relationship building. Alaska will be better for generations to come because of his enduring contributions.”

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