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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

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A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY RECOGNIZING SOLID WASTE SERVICES FOR BEING AWARDED THE 1998 SWANA LANDFILL EXCELLENCE GOLD AWARD

WHEREAS, annually, the Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA) presents its Landfill Excellence Award to:

Recognize outstanding performance in operation, design, efficiency and overall integrated solid waste management system; and

Promote excellence to the general public.

WHEREAS, in May of this year, the Municipality's Solid Waste Services submitted its application for the 1998 SWANA Landfill Excellence Award, providing information on the Anchorage Regional Landfill's site hydrogeology, engineering design, onsite facilities, environmental controls and monitoring, and site operations; and

WHEREAS, as a supplement to the application, Solid Waste Services provided the results of an April 1998 inspection of the Anchorage Regional Landfill conducted by a SWANA Manager of Operations class - evaluating such areas as access, weighing facilities, fire protection, unloading, litter control, spreading and compacting, daily cover, maintenance facilities, dust control, run-on/run-off control, salvaging/scavenging, accident prevention and safety, etc.; the class gave the landfill a near perfect score of 365 points out of a possible 375 points; and

WHEREAS, on August 14, 1998, Solid Waste Services was notified in writing of its selection for the 1998 SWANA Landfill Excellence Gold Award which will be presented at SWANA's WASTECON 1998/ISWA World Congress 1998 36th Annual International Solid Waste Exposition in Charlotte, North Carolina, October 26 - 29, 1998.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Anchorage Assembly resolves:

That the Assembly recognizes Solid Waste Services for being awarded the 1998 SWANA Landfill Excellence Gold Award

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Municipal Assembly this 15th day of September, 1998.

Fay Von Gemmingen
Chair

ATTEST:

Lizanne Ferguson
Municipal Clerk