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## ANCHORAGE, ALASKA AR NO. 98-338

A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY RECOGNIZING AND THANKING THOSE WHO PROVIDED ASSISTANCE DURING THE RECENT SPENARD APARTMENT FIRE

WHEREAS, on October 9, 1998, a fire destroyed much of the Kamaru Court apartments in Spenard: and

WHEREAS, this fire, which was the largest residential blaze in Anchorage in about 20 years, sent dozens of residents fleeing from the apartments with little time or no time to save their possessions; and

WHEREAS, along with the timely response and dedicated service of the Anchorage Fire Department, Anchorage Police Department, Emergency Medical Services, and Office of Emergency Management, other agencies, organizations, businesses and individuals responded to volunteer their time and efforts, and to provide in-kind donations of goods and services; and

WHEREAS, it is nearly impossible to identify all the volunteers who provided assistance, however this community support, which shows the caring spirit of our city and its residents, warrants recognition and a "thank you" for a job well done.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Anchorage Assembly resolves to recognize and thank the following for their assistance:

> American Red Cross Best Western Barratt Inn Chuck E. Cheese Alaska Cab driver, Heather Boyle Karen Jasper **MAPCO** MOA Public Transportation Dept.

Salvation Army **Spenard Community Council** Spenard Recreation Center Skippers Thrifty Car Rental Westside Community Patrol . . . and many other citizens.

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