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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

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A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY RECOGNIZING PEARL HARBOR
REMEMBRANCE DAY - DECEMBER 7th - AND REMEMBERING AND HONORING THE PATRIOTIC
SERVICE PERFORMED BY THE HEROIC PEARL HARBOR VETERANS

WHEREAS, on December 7, 1941 - a date that will live in infamy - naval and air forces of the Empire
of Japan suddenly and deliberately attacked the United States on the Hawaiian island of Oahu; and

WHEREAS, the Japanese attack destroyed or damaged the majority of American fighters, bombers
and patrol planes at Ford Island, and the airfields at Wheeler, Hickam, Ewa and Kaneohe, and Bellows Field;
and

WHEREAS, the attack on the primary target - the U.S. Pacific Fleet moored at Pearl Harbor - sunk
and damaged American battleships, destroyers, light cruisers, and smaller vessels; and

WHEREAS, the attack killed or injured more than 3,000 Americans, including over 1,000 crewmen
aboard the battleship USS Arizona; and

WHEREAS, though more than a half a century separates us from the attack of Pearl Harbor:

We must not forget the example, achievements and heroic deeds of those Americans who
served and fought for freedom over tyranny;

We must not forget the lesson those Americans taught us, specifically the need for constant
vigilance, a powerful military, and strength of character; and

We must not forget to reaffirm the values of democracy and freedom for which so many
American servicemen and women have given their lives.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Anchorage Municipal Assembly resolves

That the Assembly recognizes

Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day
December 7th

and remembers and honors the patriotic service performed by the heroic Pearl Harbor veterans
... a grateful nation will long remember the services rendered and the sacrifices made.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 7th day of
December, 1999.

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Municipal Clerk


Chair

**Municipality of Anchorage
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| 1 | SUBJECT OF AGENDA DOCUMENT | DATE PREPARED 12/1/99 |
| | A Resolution Recognizing Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day - Dec. 7 th | INDICATE DOCUMENTS ATTACHED AR |
| | - and Remembering and Honoring the Patriotic Service Performed | |
| | By the Heroic Pearl Harbor Veterans | |
| 2 | DEPARTMENT NAME Assembly | DIRECTOR'S NAME George Wuerch |
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| | Transit | |
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| | Anchorage Water and Wastewater | |
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| | Solid Waste Services | |
| 5 | SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS/COMMENTS | |
| | FOR ACTION <i>J.C.</i> | |
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| 6 | ASSEMBLY MEETING DATE 12/7/99 | 7 PUBLIC HEARING DATE REQUESTED <i>—</i> |

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