

CLERK'S OFFICE

APPROVED

Date: 5/23/00

Submitted by: Assemblymembers WUERCH, Abney, Clementson, Fairclough,  
Kendall, Meyer, Sullivan, Taylor, Tesche, Tremaine, and Von Gemmingen  
Prepared by: Assembly Office  
For reading: MAY 23, 2000

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

AR NO. 2000-158

A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY RECOGNIZING AND HONORING REAR ADMIRAL  
JAN H. NYBOER, UPON HIS RETIREMENT, FOR HIS 35 YEARS OF NAVAL SERVICE

WHEREAS, Rear Admiral Jan H. Nyboer was commissioned an Ensign in the United States Naval Reserve on June 18, 1965 under the 1915 Medical School Program, receiving a M.S. degree in physiology/pharmacology in 1965 from Wayne State University School of Medicine and a Doctorate of Medicine in 1969; and

WHEREAS, from 1970 to 1972, after receiving the Naval Flight Surgeon designation, RADM Nyboer served on active duty as Chief of the Flight Physical Examination Division of the Naval Aerospace Medical Institute in Florida, and as a member of the Special Board of Flight Surgeons; and

WHEREAS, upon completion of his active duty in December 1972, RADM Nyboer pursued residency training in Ophthalmology at the Mayo Clinic, where he also affiliated with the Naval Reserve and served two annual training periods at the Navy base in Kodiak, Alaska; and

WHEREAS, in 1976, RADM Nyboer and his family moved to Anchorage where he began practicing general ophthalmology, and in 1977 received his specialty board certification, and became the sole medical officer for the Naval Reserve Center at Elmendorf AFB in Anchorage; and

WHEREAS, during his Naval career, RADM Nyboer:

Commanded several reserve units, including being the Commanding Officer of echelon four NR Fleet Hospital NINE in Seattle; Deputy Fleet Medical Officer for CINCUSNAVEUR W in London; Medical Department Staff/Special Assistant for Reserve Integration, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, Washington, D.C.; and Advisor for Naval Reserve Fleet Hospitals, Program 46.

Received the Meritorious Service Medal, Navy Commendation Medal, National Defense Medal with bronze star, Armed Forces Reserve Medal with bronze hourglass, and the Expert Medal for Pistol.

Continued his lifelong avocation of challenging physical competitions, triathlons and long distance running, including being the attending physician to Lynn Cox during her historic swim from Alaska to Russia.

WHEREAS, RADM Nyboer is retiring from Naval service as a two star Rear Admiral - only the second Naval officer from Alaska to ever attain this rank; and he will continue to reside in Anchorage with his wife, Bernadine, and will continue his private practice of ophthalmology.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Anchorage Municipal Assembly resolves:

That, upon his retirement from Naval service, the Assembly recognizes and honors

*Rear Admiral Jan H. Nyboer*

for his 35 years of dedicated service to our country and for his continued medical service to our community.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Municipal Assembly this 23 day of May, 2000.

ATTEST:

Municipal Clerk

Chair

Arco-158

1	SUBJECT OF AGENDA DOCUMENT		DATE PREPARED
	AR - Recognizing & Honoring Rear Admiral Jan Nyboer		5-23-00
2	DEPARTMENT NAME		DIRECTOR'S NAME
	Jan Nyboer		
3	THE PERSON THE DOCUMENT WAS ACTUALLY PREPARED BY		HIS/HER PHONE NUMBER
	Greg Moyer		
4	COORDINATED WITH AND REVIEWED BY	INITIALS	DATE
	Mayor		
	Municipal Clerk		
	Municipal Attorney		
	Employee Relations		
	Municipal Manager		
	Cultural & Recreational Services		
	Fire		
	Health & Human Services		
	Merrill Field Airport		
	Municipal Light & Power		
	Office of Management & Budget		
	Police		
	Port of Anchorage		
	Public Works		
	Solid Waste Services		
	Public Transportation		
	Water & Wastewater Utility		
	Executive Manager		
	Community Planning & Development		
	Finance, Chief Fiscal Officer		
	Heritage Land Bank		
	Management Information Systems		
	Property & Facility Management		
	Purchasing		
	Other		
5	SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS/COMMENTS		
	For Action T.C. 8.		
6	ASSEMBLY HEARING DATE REQUESTED		7
	5/23/00		
	PUBLIC HEARING DATE REQUESTED		