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For reading: May 21, 2002

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA AO NO. 2002-88

AN ORDINANCE OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY AMENDING AMC TITLE 3, ADMINISTRATION, BY ENACTING A NEW CHAPTER 3.100 AND REQUIRING PREPARATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF AN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PLAN

THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY ORDAINS:

<u>Section 1:</u> That Anchorage Municipal Code Title 3, Administration, is amended by enactment of a a new Chapter 3.100 to read as follows:

Chapter 3.100

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PLAN

3.100.010	Affirmative action plan required.
3.100.020	Implementation of affirmative action plan
3.100.030	Coordination with other plans.

3.100.010 Affirmative action plan required.

- A. An affirmative action plan as defined under B below and applicable to general Municipal government and to all Municipal utilities shall be prepared, administered, and periodically updated as necessary.
- For the purposes of this Chapter, the Municipality's Affirmative Action Plan is a plan B. which will enable the Municipality to afford all present and prospective employees an equal opportunity for employment. These opportunities exist regardless of race. religion, color, natural origin, age, gender, physical or mental disability, and veteran status. The Plan is a written document through which management assures that all persons have equal opportunities in recruitment, selection, appointment, promotion, training, discipline, working conditions, salaries, and wages. The Plan shall be specifically tailored to the Municipality's work force, available skills, and contain specific actions with goals, timetables, responsibilities and resources to correct inadequacies that may exist in the degree to which the Municipal work force does not reflect the diversity of the Anchorage community. The Plan shall contain a current statistical analysis and comparison of the Municipal work force and the general population of Anchorage. The Plan shall also contain a result oriented program designed to achieve equal employment opportunity rather than simply a policy to assure non discrimination in Municipal personnel practices.

3.100.020 <u>Implementation of affirmative action plan.</u>

- A. As provided by AMC 3.20.060, C.1.2a., the Department of Employee Relations shall be responsible for the preparation, implementation, and periodic review of the Affirmative Action Plan required under Section 3.100.010 of this Chapter.
- B. The Affirmative Action Plan required under this Chapter and any amendments to the Plan shall be submitted to the Anchorage Assembly for approval and shall become official policy of the Municipality upon approval by the Assembly.

3.100.030 Coordination with other plans.

Affirmative action plans required of the Municipality of Anchorage by the United States Government or the State of Alaska shall, where inconsistent with the Plan or Plan amendments adopted under this Chapter, take precedence.

<u>Section 2:</u> That by no later than November 1, 2002, the Mayor shall prepare and submit to the Assembly for approval an Affirmative Action Plan which meets the requirements of this Chapter.

Section 3: That this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this // Hay of June, 2002.

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MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE Summary of Economic Effects -- General Government

AO Number: 2002-88

Title: Amending AMC Title 3 by Enacting a New Chapter 3.10 Requiring

Preparation and Implementation of an Affirmative Action Plan

Sponsor:

Preparing Agency: Others Impacted:

CHANGES IN EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES:		(In Thousands of Dollars)			
Operating Expenditures 1000 Personal Services 2000 Non-Labor 3900 Contributions 4000 Debt Service	FY02	FY03	FY04	FY05	FY06
TOTAL DIRECT COSTS:	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
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PUBLIC SECTOR ECONOMIC EFFECTS:

The Anchorage Municipal Code currently provides for the periodic review of the Affirmative Action Plan by the Department of Employee Relations. With the current budgeted resources within that Department, it is estimated that the additional costs to produce this Plan should be minimal.

PRIVATE SECTOR ECONOMIC EFFECTS:

In an effort to reflect the composition of the diverse nature of Anchorage's population within the Municipal workforce, this City is in dire need of updating the current plan. As stated above, the costs to update the Plan, based on available resources, should be minimal.

Approved by: Suy Moyer Date: 5-21-02

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MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE

ASSEMBLY MEMORANDUM

NO. 497-2002

Meeting Date: May 21, 2002

From: Assemblymember Tesche

Subject:

AO 2002-88 - AMENDING TITLE 3 OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL CODE BY ENACTING A NEW CHAPTER 3.100, AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

PLAN REQUIRED

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The Anchorage Municipal Code does not presently require that an Affirmative Action Plan be implemented throughout General Government and the Municipal Utilities. An older plan adopted voluntarily more than a decade ago was last updated in 1994. Significant disparities between the composition of the Municipal workforce and the diverse nature of Anchorage's population suggests, if not compels, the adoption of new Affirmative Action Plan. The public testimony of local residents given on May 14, 2002 support a new plan. Informal remarks of Commissioner Paul Steven Miller of the United States Equal Employment Opportunity Commission on May 16, 2002 favor affirmative action plans as an accepted tool for "building a work force rich with people of different types."

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AO 2002-88 would enact a new provision of the Anchorage Municipal Code and require preparation, implementation, and periodic updating of an Affirmative Action Plan in General Government and the Utilities. The definition of "affirmative action plan" is patterned closely after one adopted by the Governor of Alaska in his State of Alaska Affirmative Action Policy Statement of February 27, 1998 and represents "best practices" in this area.

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Approval of AO 2002-88 is recommended

Respectfully submitted.

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(SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION) SUBJECT OF AGENDA DOCUMENT DATE PREPARED AO 2002-88 - Affirmative Action Plan 21-May-02 Indicate Documents Attached X AO AR X AM AIM DIRECTOR'S NAME DEPARTMENT NAME Assembly Greg Moyer HIS/HER PHONE NUMBER THE PERSON THE DOCUMENT WAS ACTUALLY PREPARED BY 3 4 COORDINATED WITH AND REVIEWED BY **INITIALS** DATE Mayor Heritage Land Bank Merrill Field Airport Municipal Light & Power Port of Anchorage Solid Waste Services Water & Wastewater Utility Municipal Manager Cultural & Recreational Services **Employee Relations** Finance, Chief Fiscal Officer Fire Health & Human Services Office of Management and Budget Management Information Services Police Planning, Development & Public Works **Development Services Facility Management Planning** Project Management & Engineering Street Maintenance Traffic Public Transportation Department Purchasing Municipal Attorney Municipal Clerk Other **Special Instructions/Comments** ASSEMBLY HEARING DATE REQUESTED PUBLIC HEARING DATE REQUESTED 6 June 11, 2002