Requested by: Assemblymembers FAIRCLOUGH,

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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

No. AR 2006-136

A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY URGING THE GOVERNOR OF ALASKA TO SUPPORT THE STATE LEGISLATURE'S RECOGNITION OF THE NEEDS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, INCLUDING THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE, THROUGH SUBSTANTIAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND OPERATING COSTS, AND REAFFIRMING THE ASSEMBLY'S COMMITMENT TO PROVIDE THE CITIZENS OF ANCHORAGE WITH PROPERTY TAX RELIEF.

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska has recently received record levels of income due to the high price of North Slope crude oil; and

WHEREAS, the wealth of Alaska should be shared with all of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the aforementioned, the Alaska State Legislature has appropriated substantial funds for Alaska's local governments, including the Municipality of Anchorage, the Anchorage School District, and the University of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Alaska will review and exercise executive discretion in these matters;

NOW THEREFORE, THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY RECOGNIZES AND RESOLVES:

1. To strongly recommend the Governor endorse the Legislature's appropriation of substantial funds for various operating costs of local government, including contributions for PERS/TERS and energy assistance, which will result in the reduction of Anchorage property taxes imposed on local property owners.

2. To strongly recommend the Governor endorse the Legislature's appropriation of substantial funds for many needed capital improvements within the Municipality of Anchorage.

3. To re-affirm its commitment to the citizens of Anchorage, to the Legislature, and to the Governor that revenue sharing funds appropriated by the Legislature for operating expenses of the Municipality of Anchorage shall result in a dollar for dollar reduction to municipal revenues realized through real property taxes.

4. To strongly recommend the Governor endorse the Legislature's recognition of the needs of the Municipality of Anchorage, the Anchorage School District, the University of Alaska, and other local governments.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Anchorage Assembly this 23rd day of May

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ATTEST:

Municipal Clerk

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