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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA
AR NO. 2006-315

A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY REMEMBERING THE LIFE AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF THOMAS R. STAHR TO MUNICIPAL LIGHT & POWER AND THE CITY OF ANCHORAGE

WHEREAS, on November 13, 2006 Thomas R. Stahr, one of Anchorage's honored citizens, passed away; and

WHEREAS, in 1974 Mayor George Sullivan hired Mr. Stahr to serve as the General Manager of Municipal Light & Power (ML&P); and

WHEREAS, Mr. Stahr served in this position for more than two decades under four different Mayors and was directly responsible for leading Anchorage Municipal Light & Power through many years of change and growth in the electric utility industry – his efforts resulted in the achievement of reliable, low-cost energy for the citizens of Anchorage; and

WHEREAS, Tom Stahr was himself an outstanding engineer, providing oversight of ML&P engineering projects, encouraging ML&P engineers to excel and attain professional engineering certifications as well as meet rigorous standards for producing accurate and efficient electrical construction; and

WHEREAS, among his many accomplishments he was a key member in the development of the Bradley Lake Hydroelectric Project and interties in the Railbelt area of the state as well as in gaining the right for local utilities to purchase the federal Eklutna Hydroelectric Project; and

WHEREAS, he had the foresight to recognize the utility's critical energy needs, was instrumental in the acquisition of a one-third interest in the Beluga Gas Field, and was a driving force in providing competitive electrical rates, as well as prompt and reliable service, for ML&P customers and the Municipality; and

WHEREAS, beyond his enthusiasm for the advancement of the electric utility business he also had a passion for the outdoors – boating and fishing in particular; and

WHEREAS, Tom was always responsive and sensitive to the needs of ML&P employees when they encountered hardships;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Anchorage Assembly honors and remembers

THOMAS R. STAHR

A man of intelligence, vision, and commitment

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 12th day of December, 2006.

Sam Sullivan
Chair

ATTEST:

Ronda L. Leoni
Municipal Clerk

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	Office of Economic & Community Development		
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	Public Transportation		
	Anchorage Water & Wastewater Utility		
	Executive Manager		
	Planning Department		
	Chief Fiscal Officer		
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	Project Management & Engineering		
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