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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

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**A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY FOR SUBMISSION
TO THE TWENTY-FIFTH ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE IN SUPPORT OF NAMING
THE STATE'S NEW PARKING GARAGE IN DOWNTOWN ANCHORAGE IN HONOR
OF CAROLYN "LINNY" PACILLO.**

WHEREAS, the new State Parking Garage under construction in downtown Anchorage north of the Atwood Building is a state parking facility; and

WHEREAS, the Twenty-fifth Alaska State Legislature has full legislative authority to name state facilities; and

WHEREAS, by resolution dated December 19, 2006 entitled "A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY HONORING AND REMEMBERING THE LIFE OF CAROLYN "LINNY" PACILLO AND THE CONTRIBUTIONS SHE MADE TOWARD THE BETTERMENT OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE", the Anchorage Municipal Assembly unanimously recognized and honored the passing of a uniquely influential Anchorage resident, Linny Pacillo; and

WHEREAS, widely known around Anchorage as one of the "Parking Fairies", Linny Pacillo served the community as an agent of change, adorned in a tutu and fairy-wings, leaving compassion, humor, and profound change in her wake; and

WHEREAS, in co-sponsoring the December 19, 2006 resolution, the Mayor of Anchorage and the Anchorage Municipal Assembly concurred in recognizing that "seemingly small acts of purposeful altruism" like those of Linny Pacillo "can alter government policy and make life better for individuals living in a democratic society"; and

WHEREAS, during her lifetime, the Twentieth Alaska State Legislature formally honored Linny Pacillo and her sister Susan Pacillo for reminding all of us that "government must serve the people"; and

WHEREAS, in the words of this prior state legislature, the actions of the Pacillo sisters "confirmed the strength of our democracy by showing that wrongs can be corrected and the will of the people can triumph"; and

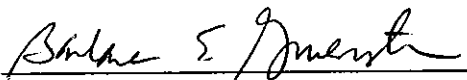
WHEREAS, to honor Linny Pacillo, her family, and the Municipality of Anchorage by designating the new State Parking Garage in her memory would serve to recognize this exceptional citizen and remind us all that we live in a representative democracy that honors its agents of change;

1 NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOVED that the Anchorage Municipal Assembly
2 honors and remembers the positive impacts and profound influence of Carolyn "Linny"
3 Pacillo's life by giving its support and recommendation to the Twenty-fifth Alaska State
4 Legislature to name the new State Parking Garage, under construction in downtown
5 Anchorage, in her memory.

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7 PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 27th day of
8 February, 2007.
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THE ALASKA LEGISLATURE



* HONORING *

* LINNY PACILLO AND SUSAN PACILLO *

* A.K.A. "THE PARKING FAIRIES" *

The members of the Twentieth Alaska State Legislature take pride in honoring Linny Pacillo and Susan Pacillo for demonstrating that "government of the people, by the people, for the people has not perished from the earth." The Pacillo sisters, by their acts of volunteer service, have reminded us that government must serve the people.

Both Linny and Susan, dressing in outrageous costumes and calling themselves "The Parking Fairies," travel the downtown streets of Anchorage depositing coins into expired parking meters. These acts of kindness and charity were painted as acts of sedition and defiance by a government agency that was using civil penalties as a revenue generating process. The aggressiveness of this agency in seeking out and enforcing civil penalties was completely counter to government's mandate to serve the people.

Our Declaration of Independence states that, "Governments are instituted among men, deriving their power from the consent of the governed, that whenever any government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the people to alter or abolish it." By their actions, the Pacillo sisters have reminded all of us that government must serve the people. They have also confirmed the strength of our democracy by showing that wrongs can be corrected, and that the will of the people can triumph.

The Twentieth Alaska State Legislature salutes Linny Pacillo and Susan Pacillo for their conduct as "The Parking Fairies." It is gratifying to have witnessed their course of action. Our confidence in the democratic form of government is reaffirmed.



Gail Phillips
GAIL PHILLIPS
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

Mike Miller
MIKE MILLER
PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Date: January 21, 1998

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Agenda Document Control Sheet

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1	SUBJECT OF AGENDA DOCUMENT NAMING THE STATE'S NEW PARKING GARAGE	DATE PREPARED 2/27/07
		Indicate Documents Attached <input type="checkbox"/> AO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AR <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AIM
2	DEPARTMENT NAME Assembly	DIRECTOR'S NAME Dan Sullivan, Chairman
3	THE PERSON THE DOCUMENT WAS ACTUALLY PREPARED BY Julia Tucker, Assembly Counsel	HIS/HER PHONE NUMBER 343-4419
4	COORDINATED WITH AND REVIEWED BY	INITIALS
	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 and Budget	
	Police	
	Port of Anchorage	
	Public Works	
	Solid Waste Services	
	Transit	
	Water & Wastewater Utility	
	Executive Manager	
	Community Planning & Development	
	Finance, Chief Fiscal Officer	
	Heritage Land Bank	
	Management Information Services	
	Property & Facility Management	
	Purchasing	
	Other	
5	Special Instructions/Comments	
	ADDENDUM - CONSENT AGENDA-RESOLUTIONS FOR ACTION	
6	ASSEMBLY HEARING DATE REQUESTED 2/27/07	7 PUBLIC HEARING DATE REQUESTED N/A

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