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Submitted by: LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE CHAIR BIRCH
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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA
AR NO. 2007-138

**A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY THANKING THE
TWENTY-FIFTH ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE FOR THEIR EFFORTS IN DIRECTING
FUNDS AND SUPPORT TO MANY OF ANCHORAGE'S TOP PRIORITIES.**

WHEREAS, the First Session of the Twenty-Fifth Alaska State Legislature has adjourned on May 16, 2007, and all approved appropriation bills have been forwarded to the Honorable Governor Sarah Palin; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the needs of local governments and school districts, the Senate and House have approved state assistance for many of Anchorage's top priorities;

NOW THEREFORE, THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY RESOLVES:

Section 1. The Anchorage Assembly thanks the Alaska State Legislature for recognizing the needs of the Municipality of Anchorage, the Anchorage School District and other local governments by investing in public facilities, public welfare, and public safety.

Section 2. The Anchorage Assembly thanks the Legislature for appropriating a substantial amount of funding for many needed capital improvements within the Municipality of Anchorage, including but not limited to transportation projects, parks and trails, museum and library renovations, utility improvements, and emergency communications.

Section 3. The Anchorage Assembly thanks the Legislature for appropriating substantial funding to help reduce public employee retirement obligations.

Section 4. The Anchorage Assembly thanks the Legislature for recognizing the needs of law enforcement to protect the public from repeat criminal activity by convicted felons released on parole or probation by authorizing monitoring devices.

Section 5. The Anchorage Assembly thanks the Legislature for appropriating state assistance through the Community Revenue Sharing Program for 2007 to provide real property tax relief to the citizens of Anchorage in 2008.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 22nd day of May, 2007.

Chair

ATTEST:
Brian S. Givens
Municipal Clerk