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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA AR NO. 2009–104

A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY SUPPORTING LOCAL CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD.

WHEREAS, Week of the Young Child, designated as April 19–25, 2009, is an opportunity for early childhood programs, Head Start programs, preschools and elementary schools across the country to hold activities to bring awareness to the needs of young children; and

WHEREAS, Week of the Young Child, is sponsored locally by the Anchorage Association for the Education of Young Children; and

WHEREAS, Week of the Young Child is a time to recognize the importance of early learning and early literacy, and to celebrate the teachers and policies that bring early childhood education to young children; and

WHEREAS, the Anchorage Association for the Education of Young Children is sponsoring community awareness activities to promote high-quality education and care of Anchorage's young children, identify simple ideas for fun ways families can support early learning at home, thank teachers, connect families with young children to groups that offer services to young children and families, and to ensure than public policies support early learning for all young children;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOVED that the Anchorage Assembly appreciates sponsorship of community awareness activities by Anchorage Association for the Education of Young Children and joins in the celebration NATIONAL WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 444 day of April, 2009.

ATTEST:

Shila Struct
Municipal Clerk