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Submitted by: Mayor Sullivan and
Assemblymembers Birch,
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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

AR NO. 2009-179

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE RECOGNIZING AND
HONORING SHARON WEDDLETON FOR OVER FIVE YEARS OF SERVICE AS A
MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE.**

WHEREAS, Sharon Weddleton began working for the Municipality of Anchorage as Controller on October 27, 2003, that included countless hours of dedication to preparing and completing the 2003 CAFR in its second year of the GASB 34 implementation; and

WHEREAS, in 2004 Sharon accepted a transfer to the Anchorage Water and Wastewater Utility to serve as Chief Financial Officer, that included the supervision of the transfer of their purchasing and accounting functions from the MOA when AWWU became an independent Authority; and

WHEREAS, in her final role as the City's Chief Fiscal Officer she effectively managed daily operations; maintained personal composure when speaking with the news media, Municipal Assembly and Municipal employees; managed Municipal finances in one of the worst financial markets of modern history while keeping personal, family and work life in proper perspective; and

WHEREAS, she has shown commitment to the community by serving on the Anchorage Water and Wastewater Utility Board, Anchorage Community Development Authority Board, Alaska Municipal League Investment Pool Board, MOA 457 Deferred Compensation Committee, MOA Pre-Funding Investment Program Board, Cooperative Services Authority Board, Trailside Discovery Camp, Mothers Against Drunk Drivers, Junior Achievement of Alaska and Arctic Orienteering Club; and

WHEREAS, she spent endless hours preparing testimony in addressing the Regulatory Commission of Alaska, was known as a multi-tasker of modern technology; including working in the wee hours of the morning responding to and drafting e-mails, always ensuring a timely and comprehensive response; and is known for her masterful writing techniques in preparing and editing documents.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY RECOGNIZES AND HONORS:

SHARON WEDDLETON

for her 20 plus years in financial accounting, years in serving the community and five years of dedication to the Municipality of Anchorage and the citizens of Anchorage.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Assembly this 21st day of July, 2009.


Chair

ATTEST:


Municipal Clerk