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A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY AND MAYOR DAN SULLIVAN RECOGNIZING AND HONORING LINDA L. HEIM FOR 20 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE MUNICIPALITY AND THE CITIZENS OF

WHEREAS, Linda L. Heim was hired by the Municipal Clerk's Office on March 20, 1989 ending a career as school, church and Special Olympics volunteer, chauffer, bowling enthusiast and, seasonal election worker in the Clerk's Office; and

WHEREAS, she became the Business Licensing Clerk in 1990 and spent 2 years dealing with alcohol establishments, pawnbrokers and massage therapists; and

WHEREAS, in 1991 she became the Board of Equalization Clerk and thoroughly enjoyed calming angry property owners and managing the affairs of the Board; and

WHEREAS, in 2000 she was promoted to her first love as Election Coordinator during which time she successfully administers three regular Municipal Elections, two Special Elections and three Runoff Elections; and

WHEREAS, in 2002 not wishing to become stagnant, she accepted the position of Deputy Municipal Clerk; and

WHEREAS, on January 1, 2003, she became the Acting Municipal Clerk during which time she and a new Election Coordinator competently conducted a Mayoral Election followed by a challenging Recount; and

WHEREAS, on June 5, 2003, she once again became the Deputy Municipal Clerk with the responsibility to assist the new Clerk and new Election Coordinator; and to staff the newly created Board of Adjustment and the Board of Ethics during the rewrite of the Code of Ethics; and

WHEREAS, life is short and there are many exciting opportunities and adventures to experience while body and mind are still able; and

WHEREAS, Linda L. Heim announces her retirement effective September 11, 2009, from service to the Municipality of Anchorage and her commitment to enjoy life more, spend more quality time with family and friends, contribute more service to her church and to accomplish her goals to write a children's book, become a more proficient piano player, organize boxes of photographs and read all the books she's ever wanted to read; and

WHEREAS, Linda's skills, knowledge and dedication will be missed by the Anchorage residents, the Assembly, the Administration, and her co-workers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Anchorage Municipal Assembly and Mayor Dan Sullivan recognizes and honors

## Linda L. Heim

for her 20 years of service to the Municipality of Anchorage and the citizens of Anchorage.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Municipal Assembly this 25th day of August, 2009.

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