

Submitted by: Chair of the Assembly at  
the Request of the Mayor  
Prepared by: Office of the Mayor  
For reading: October 26, 2010

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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

Date: 12-7-10 AR NO. 2010-315

**A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY TO NAME  
THE 9<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE PATHWAY.**

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WHEREAS, Anchorage Municipal Code (AMC) 3.97 governs a means of naming municipally owned buildings as well as other facilities and public places; and

WHEREAS, as part of the new 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Reconstruction Project, the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Pathway will improve accessibility and safety, and will ultimately connect Downtown Anchorage, Fairview and South Addition; greatly improving residents' ability to travel between neighborhoods and area businesses; and

WHEREAS, the Anchorage Assembly appointed a Citizen Naming Panel, as set out in AMC 3.97, to consider naming the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Pathway; and

WHEREAS, the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Pathway is a large component of the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Reconstruction Project's Master Plan, and an integral part of the Delaney Park Strip, which is available for all citizens to enjoy; and

WHEREAS, after following the established policy and performing due diligence, the Citizen Naming Panel voted unanimously to make two recommendations:

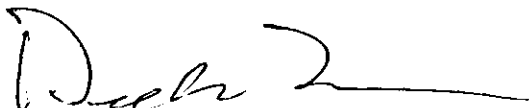
1. To recommend that the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Pathway be named the 9th Avenue Walkway; and
2. To enhance the walkway, recommends that after significant features of the Master Plan are completed that recognition be given to people who have made historical contributions to the development and betterment of Downtown Anchorage by naming in their honor designated areas or portions of the Delaney Park Strip and/or installing elements along the walkway, such as benches, which could be marked with a commemorative plaque. It is suggested that that citizen(s) apply for sponsorship for such memorials through the established Parks and Recreation naming process, which would include the cost of the element and/or plaque.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Anchorage Assembly resolves that:

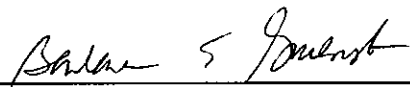
**Section 1.** To name the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Pathway the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Walkway; and

**Section 2:** To support the Naming Panel's recommendation that after significant features of the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Reconstruction Project are completed, that the Walkway be enhanced by naming areas or portions of the Park Strip and/or elements in honor of people who have made historical contributions to the development and betterment of Downtown Anchorage.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2010.

  
Chair

ATTEST:

  
Municipal Clerk

# MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE



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Re: Recommendation from Naming Panel for the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Pathway  
(Pursuant to Resolution No. 2010-229)

Dear Mayor Sullivan and Assembly Chairman Traini,

In accordance with the AMC 3.97: *Naming Procedure for Municipal Buildings, Other Fixed Facilities, and Public Places*, the duly-appointed Citizen Naming Panel has unanimously agreed to recommend that the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Pathway be named the:

**9th Avenue Walkway.**

The Naming Panel also unanimously agreed to recommend that after significant features of the 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Reconstruction Master Plan are completed, that consideration be given to naming area(s) or portion(s) of the Delaney Park Strip in honor of individuals who have made historical contributions to Downtown Anchorage. It was suggested that the designated area could be enhanced with an element, such as a bench with a commemorative plaque, the cost of which could be sponsored by citizens.

I offer thanks to the Citizen Naming Panel for their time and efforts:

Dr. Gene Storm  
Ms. Lanie Fleischer  
Ms. Melinda Taylor  
Mr. Loren Lounsbury;

and, on their behalf, I respectfully submit for your consideration their recommendation, which is attached in the form of a draft Resolution. Your support of their recommendation would be appreciated.

Sincerely,

Larry Baker  
Mayor's Naming Panel Designee/Chief of Staff

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3.97.030 Procedures.

**C. Final action by the assembly shall be no earlier than one year posthumously for naming of a building, facility, or park. In all naming or renaming, the assembly shall set the proposed resolution addressing the panel's recommendation for public hearing at least one month after introduction to ensure appropriate information dissemination to the public prior to final action by the assembly.**

*Adendum* — CONSENT AGENDA - INTRODUCTION