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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA
AR No. 2011-80

1 **A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF**
2 **APRIL AS ALCOHOL AWARENESS MONTH**
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4 WHEREAS, "Alcohol Awareness Month" was established as a nationwide effort to provide the
5 American public with information about the disease of alcoholism and the serious problem of alcohol
6 abuse; and

7 WHEREAS, alcohol use by young people is extremely dangerous, not only to themselves – but to
8 society as a whole; and

9 WHEREAS, young people who begin drinking before age 15 are four times more likely to develop
10 alcohol dependence than those who wait until age 21 to drink alcoholic beverages; and

11 WHEREAS, alcohol use undermines adolescent brain development, seriously impacting learning, and
12 behavior; and

13 WHEREAS, alcohol abuse is linked to sexual assaults and date rapes of teens and college students;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, alcohol is a factor in the leading cause of death among persons ages 10-24 which include
16 motor vehicle crashes, unintentional injuries, homicide and suicide; and

17 WHEREAS, private parties are the primary source by which underage youth obtain alcohol; and

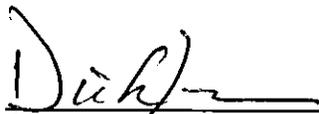
18 WHEREAS, parents dramatically underestimate youth binge drinking and the need to become aware of
19 this issue and how it effects underage youth in our community.

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21 NOW, THEREFORE, the Anchorage Municipal Assembly resolves that the month of April will
22 be designated as:

23 **ALCOHOL AWARENESS MONTH**
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26 And encourage all citizens to do their part to raise a generation of alcohol and drug-free youth.
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28 PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 29th day of
29 March, 2011.
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33 Chair of the Assembly

34 ATTEST:

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37 Municipal Clerk
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A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY

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