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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA
AR NO. 98-30

A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY SUPPORTING HOUSE BILL 309, RENAMING THE BANK OF AMERICA BUILDING IN HONOR OF ROBERT B. ATWOOD

WHEREAS, State Representative Cowdery has introduced House Bill 309 for approval by the State Legislature, allowing for the State's recently acquired Bank of America Building in Anchorage to be renamed in honor of one of Alaska's great leaders, Robert B. Atwood; and

WHEREAS, Bob Atwood lived in Alaska for over 61 years, beginning his career in the newspaper business, and spending over fifty continuous years as publisher of The Anchorage Times; and

WHEREAS, Bob Atwood's endeavors, accomplishments, and influence reached all corners of Alaska, to include battling for statehood, promoting infrastructure development, promoting military presence in Alaska, and advocating for education.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Anchorage Assembly resolves:

Section 1: That the Assembly supports House Bill 309 which will allow the State Office Building at 550 West Seventh Avenue in Anchorage to be renamed the Robert B. Atwood Building after March 31, 2002, or sooner if the lessee and the State agree to a new name before this date.

Section 2: That, upon approval, a copy of this resolution be forwarded by the Municipal Clerk to State Representative Cowdery.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 27th day of January, 1998.


Chair

ATTEST:


Municipal Clerk