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1 **A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING JOANN B. CONTRERAS FOR HER 26**
2 **YEARS OF SERVICE WITH THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE.**

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4 **WHEREAS**, JoAnn B. Contreras has diligently worked for 26 years to improve the quality of life
5 in the community; and

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7 **WHEREAS**, JoAnn began her public service with the Municipality of Anchorage in 1976 as
8 senior office assistant in the Platting Section of the Zoning and Platting Division of the Planning
9 Department and then progressed to senior planning technician and associate planner before
10 leaving the employ of the Municipality for the first time in July 1996; and

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12 **WHEREAS**, JoAnn continued to work in planning for 6½ more years in California and
13 Washington after spending a year living in Mexico with her family, and returned to the
14 Municipality in May 2004 as associate planner in the Platting Section of the Planning
15 Department, with the responsibility of applying complex municipal codes and regulations to
16 numerous subdivisions; and

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18 **WHEREAS**, JoAnn was promoted in October 2004 to senior planner in the Physical Planning
19 Division where she worked on long-term planning and was the go-to person responsible for
20 school site selections and other school district-related items; and

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22 **WHEREAS**, JoAnn has always been very professional and courteous with co-workers, the
23 general public, boards and commissions, and agencies in the community and is one of those
24 valued employees who is dependable, has a strong work ethic, and has always been willing to
25 help and volunteer assistance on projects and tasks, no matter how little or how big; and

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27 **WHEREAS**, JoAnn also always willingly stepped up to provide assistance or a dessert or side
28 dish for any employee function she knew about at the workplace, even if she was not going to
29 be able to attend—and even if it was in honor of her as in the cheesecake she baked and
30 brought to her own retirement open house; and


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32 **WHEREAS**, JoAnn retired from the Municipality on May 28, 2010, to enjoy the Alaskan
33 summers and satiate her desire to travel and spend more time with her daughters in the lower-
34 48, and she will be greatly missed by those who worked with her; now, therefore,

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36 **THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY HEREBY RECOGNIZES AND HONORS**

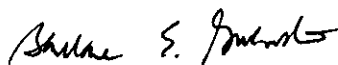
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38 ***JoAnn B. Contreras***

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40 For her twenty-six years of devoted service to the Municipality of Anchorage and its citizens.

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42 PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 22nd day of June,
43 2010.

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47 Chair of the Assembly

48 ATTEST:

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51 Municipal Clerk

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A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING JOANN B.

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