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**ANCHORAGE, ALASKA  
AR NO. 2010-215**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY CELEBRATING THE  
40<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF CHUGACH STATE PARK.**

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WHEREAS, 40 years ago residents created the Chugach State Park Ad Hoc Committee to protect and preserve the lands that are now Chugach State Park; and

WHEREAS, in 1970, Governor Keith Miller signed the bill which created Chugach State Park; and

WHEREAS, Chugach State Park is a wilderness in Anchorage's backyard, with miles of trails, magnificent peaks, beautiful lakes, and abundant wildlife; and

WHEREAS, Chugach State Park boasts an international reputation and hosts hundreds of thousands of visitors each year; and

WHEREAS, visitors enjoy a variety of activities including hiking, climbing, hunting, berry picking, camping, birding, fishing, skiing, snow machining, and dog mushing within Chugach State Park; and

WHEREAS, in support of Chugach State Park, community members and visitors often volunteer to help with trail work during the summer; and

WHEREAS, this summer and in honor of its 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary, Chugach State Park's special events include a scavenger hunt, bear safety program, community potlatch, volunteer trail work parties, and a birthday celebration where participants may hike Flattop Mountain and create a human "40" at the top, for to be captured in aerial photograph; and

WHEREAS, the Anchorage Municipal Assembly commends those who helped create Chugach State Park and those who continue to preserve this community treasure;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Anchorage Municipal Assembly congratulates Chugach State Park on its 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2010.

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Chair

ATTEST:

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Municipal Clerk