Introduced by: Date: Action: Vote: Mayor, Cooper 10/25/16

## KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH COMMENDING RESOLUTION

## A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE HOMER HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS AND BOYS AS THE 3A ALASKA STATE CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONS FOR THE YEAR 2016

- WHEREAS, the girls and boys 3A Alaska State Cross Country Championships were held at the Bartlett High School Trails in Anchorage on October 1, 2016; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Homer Mariner girls placed all seven varsity members in the top 18 to win their third straight and sixth overall team title in school history since 1988; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Homer Mariner boys placed all seven varsity members in the top 34 to win their first Alaska State Cross Country Championship in school history; and
- WHEREAS, under the direction of Head Coach Bill Steyer and Assistant Coach Pedro Ochoa, both the boys and girls teams won the last two meets of the year The Region III meet and the State meet; and
- WHEREAS, varsity members Megan Pitzman placed 2nd (19:16), Autumn Daigle placed 6th (19:52), Lauren Evarts placed 10th (20:19) Katie Davis placed 12th (20:24) Alex Mosley placed 15th (20:36) Audrey Rosencrans placed 17th (20:43) and Haley Knott placed 18th (20:43)
- WHEREAS, varsity members Jacob Davis placed 6th (16:44), Luciano Fasulo placed 8th (16:49), Jordan Beachy placed 11th (17:04) Jared Brant 12th (17:06) Charlie Menke placed 17<sup>th</sup> (17:32) Bill Rich placed 26th (17:54) and Denver Waclawski placed 34th (18:06)
- WHEREAS, the teams' excellent performance is a credit to their parents, school and community;

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:

**SECTION 1.** That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly commends the Homer High School Girls Cross Country team for their performance in winning the 3A Alaska State Championship.

**SECTION 2.** That a special Certificate of Achievement shall be presented to each member of the winning team.

**SECTION 3.** That a copy of this resolution be given to Head Coach Bill Steyer.

**SECTION 4.** That this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

## ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 25TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2016.

ATTEST:

Assembly President

Johni Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk

Yes:

No:

Absent: