

CITY OF HOMER
HOMER, ALASKA

RESOLUTION 87-8

A RESOLUTION OF THE HOMER CITY COUNCIL RECOGNIZING U.S.C.G. PERSONNEL IN RESCUE EFFORTS AND ENCOURAGING DONATIONS TO THE EDUCATIONAL TRUST FUND BY THE CITIZENS OF HOMER.

WHEREAS, on November 2, 1986, a U.S.C.G. helicopter crashed into a mountain on Ugak Island killing all six crewmen, while on a rescue mission, and

WHEREAS, this incident points out the hazardous nature of rescue missions which our Coast Guard personnel perform, and

WHEREAS, the widows and orphans of such tragedies are often left with little financial assistance to support family and educational needs, and

WHEREAS, the community of Kodiak has begun a "Beyond The Call of Duty Educational Trust Fund" to assist survivors of Coast Guard personnel;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Homer City Council that as one of the communities served by the Kodiak Support Center and Air Station that we praise the heroism of the Coast Guard and recognize the hazardous duty performed by personnel stationed there, and

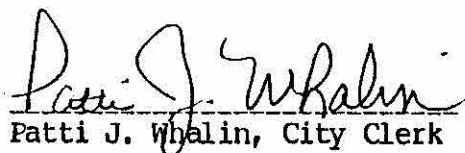
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Homer City Council urges all citizens of Homer to contribute a donation to the Educational Trust Fund, to aid survivors of personnel who gave their lives while attempting to safeguard ours.

DATED at Homer, Alaska this 26th day of January, 1987.

CITY OF HOMER


John P. Calhoun, Mayor

ATTEST:


Patti J. Whalin, City Clerk