

CITY OF HOMER
HOMER, ALASKA

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

National Library Week
April 10-16, 2011

WHEREAS, Libraries provide free access to all – from books and online resources for families to library business centers that help support entrepreneurship and retraining; and

WHEREAS, Our nation's school, academic, public and special libraries make a difference in the lives of millions of Americans today, more than ever; and

WHEREAS, Librarians are trained professionals, helping people of all ages and backgrounds find and interpret the information they need to live, learn, and work in a challenging economy; and

WHEREAS, Libraries are helping level the playing field for job seekers, with 88% of public libraries providing access to job databases and other online resources; and

WHEREAS, Libraries are places of opportunity providing programs that teach all forms of literacy, promoting continuing education, and encouraging lifelong learning; and

WHEREAS, In times of economic hardship, Americans turn to – and depend on – their libraries and librarians; and

WHEREAS, Libraries, librarians, library workers, and supporters across America are celebrating National Library Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, James C. Hornaday, Mayor of the City of Homer, do hereby proclaim:

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK - APRIL 10-16, 2011

and encourage all residents to visit the library this week to take advantage of the wonderful library resources available at your library. Create your own story at your library.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED the Seal of the City of Homer, Alaska to be affixed this 11th day of April, 2011.

CITY OF HOMER

JAMES C. HORNADAY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

JO JOHNSON, CMC, CITY CLERK