



# City of Homer

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## Supplemental Packet

TO: MAYOR LORD AND CITY COUNCIL  
FROM: AMY WOODRUFF, CITY CLERK  
DATE: APRIL 27, 2026  
SUBJECT: SUPPLEMENTAL PACKET ITEMS

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### REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

#### MAYORAL PROCLAMATIONS AND RECOGNITIONS

- b. Mayoral Proclamation Recognizing April as Sexual Assault Awareness Month

**CITY OF HOMER  
HOMER, ALASKA**

**Proclaiming April as Sexual Assault Awareness Month**

**WHEREAS**, Sexual Assault Awareness Month brings to light that fact that sexual assault is a pervasive challenge, which undermines the quality of life of every individual of any age and gender in our communities; and

**WHEREAS**, one out of every four girls and one out of every thirteen boys in the United States will experience sexual abuse before the age of eighteen, and one out of six women and one in thirty-three men in the United States experience sexual violence in their lifetimes; and

**WHEREAS**, sexual assault prevention is effective when leaders from across community sectors work together to cultivate community solutions, and collaborate with the local victim service agency South Peninsula Haven House; and

**WHEREAS**, community solutions may include raising awareness to the prevalence and impacts of sexual assault, supporting survivors, and education for adults and youth about respectful and healthy relationships; and

**WHEREAS**, South Peninsula Haven House operates year-round to address sexual assault by providing 24-hour on-call services, offering advocacy and support to those impacted by sexual assault, and continues to develop and improve the quality of services for those in our communities most profoundly impacted by sexual violence; and

**WHEREAS**, every man, woman, and child have the right to live in our communities free from the threat of sexual assault.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Shelly Erickson, Mayor Pro Tem of the City of Homer, do hereby proclaim the month of April as

**SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH**

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Homer, to be affixed this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2026.

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Shelly Erickson, Mayor Pro Tem

Attest:

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Amy Woodruff, City Clerk