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**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
COMMENDING RESOLUTION**

**A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE SKYVIEW HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLERS ON
WINNING THE 2000 STATE FALL WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS**

WHEREAS, the Skyview High School Panthers Wrestling Team competed in the 2000 State Fall Wrestling Tournament; and

WHEREAS, under the direction of Coach Neldon Gardner and Assistant Coaches Dave Carey, Bob Ermold and Dean Gardner, the Skyview team won the tournament and were named the Fall 2000 State Champions; and

WHEREAS, the varsity team members were Cody Phipps, Melina Hutchison, David Leach, Neil Strausbaugh, Brandon Cleveland, Ryan Childers, Cameron Gardner, Ian Leach, Ben Nabinger, James Sadler, Tom Wagenaar, Ron Winger, Nate Morse, Chris Rice, Justin Rainwater, Ron Plate, Sam Denison, Brendan Martin, Carey Johnson, Joe Legner, Vance Gaddis, Mike Misner; and

WHEREAS, Melina Hutchison was the first girl in Alaska history to win a Regional Championship; and

WHEREAS, five of the team members deserve special recognition for their victories in their respective weight classes as follows:

Cody Phipps, 103
Neil Strausbaugh, 125
Ian Leach, 135
Ron Winger, 145
Chris Rice, 152; and

WHEREAS, this was the first time in the school's history that five of its team members won state titles in a single year;

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

SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly commends the Skyview High School Panthers on their outstanding performance at the 2000 State Fall Wrestling Tournament.

SECTION 2. That a copy of this resolution shall be provided to Skyview High School and to each member of the team competing in the 2000 State Fall Wrestling Finals.

SECTION 3. That this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 17TH DAY OF APRIL, 2001.

Timothy Navarre, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Linda S. Murphy, Borough Clerk