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**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
COMMENDING RESOLUTION**

**A RESOLUTION COMMENDING HANNAH BRADLEY AS THE CHAMPION OF THE
2003 ANCHORAGE DAILY NEWS ALASKA STATE SPELLING BEE**

WHEREAS, the Anchorage Daily News sponsored the annual state spelling bee in February 2003;
and

WHEREAS, 172 students tackled the list of winning words –some words had Japanese origins,
Greek origins and French derivatives of Latin words; and

WHEREAS, five superior spellers rose to the final round: Galen Baumgartner, Hannah Bradley,
Kevin Christensen, Michael Debell, Jr. and John Wayne Melovidov; and

WHEREAS, Hannah Bradley, a seventh grader at Homer Middle School, won the bee by correctly
spelling “nasopharynx”; and

WHEREAS, Miss Bradley will represent Alaska in the Scripps Howard National Spelling Bee in
May in Washington, D.C., along with the winner of the Interior Alaska Spelling Bee,
sponsored by the Fairbanks Daily News Miner and the Fairbanks North Star Borough
School District; and

WHEREAS, Hannah Bradley is a credit to her school, parents and community;

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

SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly commends Hannah Bradley as the
winner of the 2003 Anchorage Daily News Alaska State Spelling Bee and wishes her
well at the National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C.

SECTION 2. That a certificate of achievement shall be provided to Hannah Bradley and a copy of
this resolution shall be provided to Homer Middle School.

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

**ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 11TH
DAY OF MARCH, 2003.**

Pete Sprague, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Linda S. Murphy, Borough Clerk