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**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH  
COMMENDING RESOLUTION**

**A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE SUSAN B. ENGLISH  
BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM FOR AN OUTSTANDING 2008 SEASON**

**WHEREAS,** the Region IIA basketball playoff was held March 5-8, 2008, with the Seldovia Sea Otters earning second place; and

**WHEREAS,** the team progressed to the State IIA tournament on March 18-20, 2008, and came in with a very respectable fifth place finish, in addition to the Sportsmanship trophy; and

**WHEREAS,** under the direction of Coach Russ Radliff, the entire team consisted of only seven players; and

**WHEREAS,** this marks the first Sea Otters appearance at the state tournament in eight years; and

**WHEREAS,** members of the team include: Darrin Baines, Matthew Gain, Jordan Geagel, Oren Kroll, Tim O’Leary, Griffin Swick, and Levi West-Harkness; with Harkness named to the All-State Tournament Team and the All-State Second Team, and Griffin was selected for All-State Honorable Mention; and

**WHEREAS,** the performance of the basketball team was superb and a credit to their parents, school and community;

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

**SECTION 1.** That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly commends the Susan B. English High School Boys Basketball Team for their outstanding performance in the Small-Schools State Championship games.

**SECTION 2.** A special Certificate of Achievement shall be presented to each member of the team.

**SECTION 3.** That a copy of this commending resolution shall be given to Principal Sherry Hingley of Susan B. English School and Coach Russ Radliff.

**SECTION 4.** This resolution becomes effective upon its adoption.

**ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 15TH DAY OF APRIL 2008.**

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Grace Merkes, Assembly President

ATTEST:

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Sherry Biggs, Borough Clerk

Yes: Fischer, Gilman, Knopp, Long, Martin, Smith, Sprague, Superman, Merkes

No: None

Absent: None