

Introduced by: Bagley, Mayor
Date: 12/03/13
Action: Postponed Until 01/07/14
Date: 01/07/14
Action: Adopted
Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent

**KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH
COMMENDING RESOLUTION**

**A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE SOLDOTNA HIGH SCHOOL
FOOTBALL TEAM AS THE ALASKA SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION
MEDIUM SCHOOLS STATE CHAMPIONS FOR THE YEAR 2013**

- WHEREAS,** the State Medium-Schools High School Football Championship game was held at the Anchorage Football Stadium on October 26, 2013; and
- WHEREAS,** the Soldotna High School Stars qualified to participate in the state championship with a season record of 11 wins and 0 losses; and
- WHEREAS,** under the direction of Head Coach Galen Brantley Jr. and Assistant Coaches Josh Brantley, Jeremy Chezik, Jason DeMello, Phil Leck, Tai Lepule, Guy Riley, Austin Roberts, and Derek Urban, in the championship game the Stars extended their winning streak by defeating Juneau-Douglas by a score of 56-49; and
- WHEREAS,** this marks the 13th appearance at the State Championship Game for the Stars and their second Alaska Medium-Schools State Championship; and
- WHEREAS,** members of the winning team include Jace Urban, Blake Riley, Charalambos Asimakopoulos, Colton Young, Austin Kruse, Tyler Fenton, Jared Chavez, Tyler Howell, Max Conradi, Keely Abendroth, River Calloway, Brooks Furlong, Nick Griglione, Hunter Lott, Jake Kooly, Dylan Ackerman, Drew Gibbs, Mason Prior, Drew Fowler, Eli Daman, Austin Crowder, Dalton Best, Adrian Dickson, Austin Hatten, Daniel Rosin, Matt Trammell, Sam Deatherage, Dylan Smith, Jimmy Honer, Duncan Donham, Reese Roberts, Trevor Walden; and
- WHEREAS,** Northern Lights Conference awards were presented to Daniel Rosin-Lineman of the Year, Jake Kooly-Defensive Player of the Year, Colton Young-Offensive Player of the Year, Galen Brantley-Coach of the Year and Phil Leck-Assistant Coach of the Year; and

WHEREAS, 1st Team All-Conference awards were presented to Colton Young-Quarterback Defensive Back and Return Specialist, Drew Gibbs-Running Back and Outside Linebacker, Tyler Howell-Wide Receiver, Jake Kooly-Fullback and Inside Linebacker, Trevor Walden-Tight End, Daniel Rosin-Tackle and Interior Lineman, Dylan Smith-Guard and Interior Lineman, Reece Roberts-Center, Blake Riley-Utility Player; and

WHEREAS, 2nd Team All-Conference awards were presented to Charalambos Asimakopoulos-Kicker, Max Conradi-Defensive Back, Brooks Furlong-Long Snapper; and

WHEREAS, All-Conference honorable mentions were given to Tyler Fenton-Outside Linebacker and Drew Fowler-Inside Linebacker; and

WHEREAS, the 2013 Alaska Coaches Association Medium Schools All-State awards were presented to Daniel Rosin-Lineman of the Year; Colton Young-Offensive Player of the Year; and Jake Kooly-Defensive Player of the Year; and

WHEREAS, 1st Team All-State awards were presented to Colton Young-Quarterback and Defensive Back, Jake Kooly-Fullback and Inside Linebacker, Drew Gibbs-Running Back, Reece Roberts-Center, Dylan Smith-Guard and Interior Lineman, Daniel Rosin-Tackle and Interior Lineman, Blake Riley-Utility Player; and

WHEREAS, 2nd Team All-State awards were presented to Tyler Howell-Wide Receiver, Trevor Walden-Tight End, Colton Young-Return Specialist, Drew Gibbs-Outside Linebacker

WHEREAS, the performance of the winning football 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:

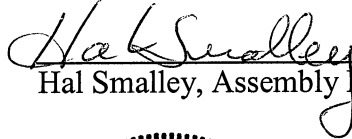
SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly commends the Soldotna High School Football Team for their performance in winning the Year 2013 Medium-Schools State Championship.

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

SECTION 3. That a copy of this commending resolution shall be given to Principal Todd Syverson of Soldotna High School, Head Coach Galen Brantley Jr. and Assistant Coaches Josh Brantley, Jeremy Chezik, Jason DeMello, Phil Leck, Tai Lepule, Guy Riley, Austin Roberts, Derek Urban and Managers Ali Dusek and Margaret McGlothen.

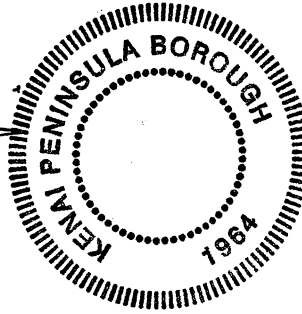
SECTION 4. This resolution becomes effective upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 7TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2014.


Hal Smalley, Assembly President

ATTEST:


John Blankenship, MMC, Borough Clerk



Yes: Bagley, Haggerty, Johnson, McClure, Ogle, Pierce, Smith, Wolf, Smalley
No: None
Absent: None