

Municipality of Anchorage, Alaska



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the first Alaska Run for Women event was held in 1993 and drew over 700 competitors of all ages and abilities, many sporting cards honoring a loved one who has survived breast cancer or in memory of those who have not.; and

WHEREAS, since 1993, \$4 million in cash and donated mammograms has been generated by the event and donated to support low-income women, ensuring Alaskan women have the resources to stay informed of their health; and

WHEREAS, the Alaska Run for Women not only raises money for and increases awareness of breast cancer and women's health, but also creates a unique sense of camaraderie and sisterhood; and

WHEREAS, the Alaska Run for Women spread this camaraderie through their Satellite Run Program that provides a means for broader participation in the annual event by promoting the involvement of women in communities unable to participate because of their location.; and

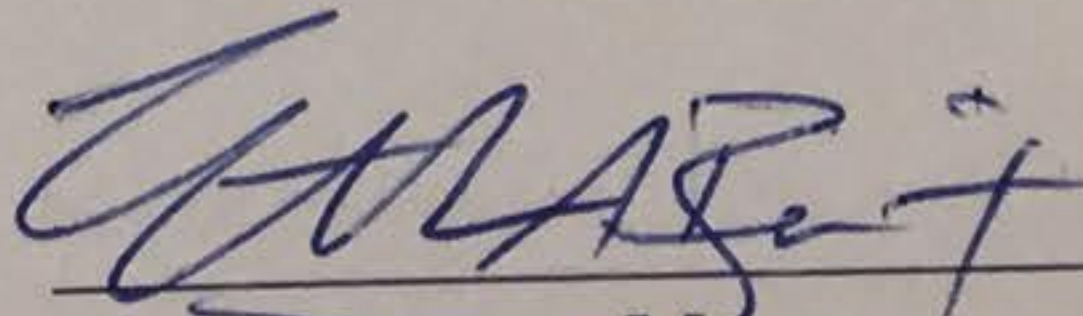
WHEREAS, the Alaska Run for Women is one of the most visible running events in the state, is one of the largest all-women runs in the country, and attracted over 4,800 runners this past year.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ethan Berkowitz, Mayor of the Municipality of Anchorage, Alaska, do hereby proclaim June 10th, 2017, as

Alaska Run for Women Day

IN Anchorage, and encourage all residents to celebrate the 25th annual Alaska Run for Women and all of the good it has done for the women of Anchorage since its inception.




MAYOR