Introduced by: Date:

Navarre, Glick 10/10/95 Adopted Unanimous

Action: Vote:

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH RESOLUTION 95-061

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING OCTOBER AS NATIONAL BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS, an estimated 46,000 women will die from breast cancer in 1995, making it the second major cause of cancer deaths among women, after lung cancer; and

WHEREAS, each year a woman is exposed to more "background" radiation in her daily life than she receives from an annual mammogram; and

WHEREAS, early diagnosis for breast cancer through mammography may save lives; and

WHEREAS, October is recognized as Breast Cancer Awareness Month; and

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

SECTION 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly joins the nation in recognizing the month of October as National Breast Cancer Awareness Month and encourages peninsula women to follow recommended breast screening guidelines.

SECTION 2. That this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY THIS 10th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1995.

Andrew P. Scalzi, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Gave J. Vaughan, Borough Clerk