

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

**BY THE SENATE RESOURCES COMMITTEE**

**Introduced: 2/26/07**

**Referred: Taken Up**

**A RESOLUTION**

1 **Establishing March 3, 2007, as Susan Butcher Day.**

2 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE:**

3 **WHEREAS** Susan Butcher was a loving mother, devoted wife, world-class athlete  
4 and four-time Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race champion; and

5 **WHEREAS** Susan Butcher represents an inspiration and an example for Alaskans of  
6 an indomitable positive attitude, physical strength, mental discipline, and tenacious  
7 determination; and

8 **WHEREAS** the legislature wishes to honor Susan Butcher's life and her tireless  
9 devotion to dog mushing, Alaska's official sport, and to the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race; and

10 **WHEREAS** the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race traditionally starts on the first Saturday  
11 in March;

12 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the Senate respectfully requests the Governor to proclaim  
13 Saturday, March 3, 2007, as Susan Butcher Day, to remember and honor the life of Susan  
14 Butcher.