

Introduced: 2/22/67  
Referred: Health, Welfare,  
and Education

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY ALL MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 41

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Recommending Benny Benson for  
6 an honorary degree.

7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

8 WHEREAS Benny Benson designed the flag of the State of Alaska; and

9 WHEREAS that flag has become, to the entire nation, an exciting symbol  
10 of the dynamic beauty and opportunity of the North; and

11 WHEREAS the celebration of the Alaska Purchase Centennial makes  
12 especially fitting the recognition of Mr. Benson's unique contribution to  
13 the State of Alaska;

14 BE IT RESOLVED that it is the expressed desire of the Fifth State  
15 Legislature that the University of Alaska award Benny Benson an honorary  
16 degree.

17 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to William R. Wood, President  
18 of the University of Alaska; and to John J. Conway, Robert E. McFarland,  
19 Ruth S. McLean, William A. O'Neill, Elmer E. Rasmuson, Arthur J. Schaible  
20 and Dorothy A. Wrede, Regents of the University of Alaska.