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Commending members of the Anchorage International Airport Fire Security Section.

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

WHEREAS on January 31, 1977, members of the Anchorage International Airport Fire Security Section worked for hours in conditions of extreme hazard and dire emergency to save the lives of two people trapped in the wreckage of a YC 122 cargo plane; and

WHEREAS this performance of bravery and selfless dedication to duty was accomplished under conditions of extreme danger in which the slightest accident or negligence could have resulted in disaster; and

WHEREAS the anticipation of danger and the ready acceptance of the challenge to meet and defeat that danger is a characteristic inherent in the fire fighter's life, which was exemplified by the professional and courageous actions of this team of fire fighters; and

WHEREAS this splendid display of courage, teamwork, and dedication went above and beyond the call of duty even in light of the inherent dangers of the fire fighting profession;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the following members of the Anchorage International Airport Fire Security Section are commended for their heroic work of January 31, 1977:

Chief John Hynes
Sergeant J.D. Perdew
Donald D. Dahlberg
Timothy W. Foster

Captain Marvin Edwards
Hyrum L. Austin
Michael Daly
Larry L. Hamilton

Margaret Holeman
Patrick E. Ward-Llewellyn

David O. Jones
William J. Welbourne

COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to each of the above-named members of the Anchorage International Airport Fire Security Section and to the Honorable George M. Sullivan, Mayor of Anchorage.