

## **RESOLUTION 21-47**

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH RECOGNIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDES AND SUPPORTS ALASKA HOUSE BILL 198, WHICH WOULD ESTABLISH SEPTEMBER 10 AS ALASKA COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDE APPRECIATION DAY

WHEREAS, Community Health Aides in the Aleutians East Borough communities play an important role to the resident's health and safety; and

**WHEREAS**, Community Health Aides act as round-the-clock first responders, clinicians, travel coordinators and play an integral role in providing heal care to Aleutians East Borough residents; and

WHEREAS, the Community Health Aides in the region should be recognized for their hard work in the communities; and

**WHEREAS,** if approved State of Alaska House Bill 198 would establish September 10 as Alaska Community Health Aide Appreciation Day; and

WHEREAS, per this resolution the Aleutians East Borough would recognize the importance of Community Health Aides and support Alaska House Bill 198.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** the Aleutians East Borough Assembly recognizes the importance of Community Health Aides and supports Alaska House Bill 198, which would establish September 10 as Alaska Community Health Aide Appreciation Day.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Aleutians East Borough on this 13th day of May 2021.

Alvin D. Osterback, Mayor

ATTEST:

Tina Anderson, Clerk