

RESOLUTION 471

A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING SEPTEMBER 29th - OCTOBER 5th, 1985, "CHILDREN OF ALCOHOLICS" WEEK IN BETHEL.

WHEREAS, Alcohol abuse has been identified as the #1 health problem of this area; and

WHEREAS, Through the Mayor's Task Force on Alcohol, Violence and Crime, the City of Bethel has shown its commitment to seeking solutions to this devastating individual, family, and community disease; and

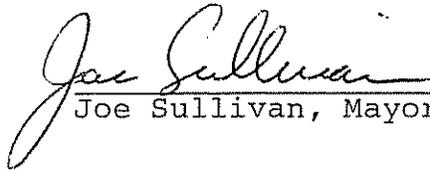
WHEREAS, Parental alcoholism results in emotional damage, neglect and abuse of children which often continues an inter-generational cycle of alcohol abuse and/or family violence; and

WHEREAS, Education and intervention efforts for children of alcoholics is an important part of breaking this cycle;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of Bethel, Alaska welcomes and endorses the hosting of "Healing the Family" - a conference on children of alcoholics issues which will be held in Bethel, September 30th through October 2nd, 1985.

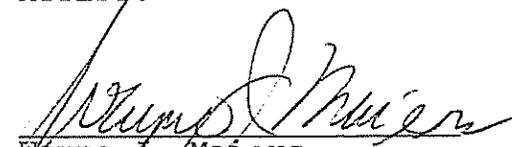
AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council of Bethel, Alaska, designates September 29th through October 5th, 1985, "Children of Alcoholics" week and urges community members participate in the conference and help to seek solutions to the problem during this time.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 23rd DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1985.



Joe Sullivan, Mayor

ATTEST:



Wayne J. Maiers
City Clerk