

*Office of the Mayor*  
*Fairbanks North Star Borough*  
*Alaska*  
**Proclamation**

*WHEREAS, Mary Ann Nickles began her volunteer service on the Fairbanks North Star Borough Parks and Recreation Commission over 30 years ago when she was appointed on January 14th, 1988; and*

*WHEREAS, Mary Ann has given dedicated, valuable Public Service to the Fairbanks North Star Borough community, volunteering thousands of hours over the past three decades including many committee chairmanships as well as serving as Commission Chair; and*

*WHEREAS, Mary Ann has shown a passion and enthusiasm for well-being and quality of life in the Fairbanks community, and has been willing to take on any special task that she has volunteered to lead; and*

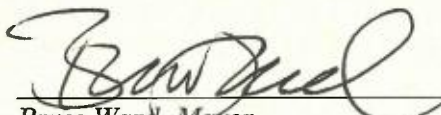
*WHEREAS, Mary Ann was an integral part of the Weeks Field Community Association, dedicated to the conservation and development of the Weeks Field flower beds, and was instrumental in the development of the Weeks Field Memorial Tree Garden; and*


*WHEREAS, Mary Ann has demonstrated a positive and proactive stance toward the betterment of all members of the community, ensuring that the residents of the Fairbanks North Star Borough have safe and enjoyable places to recreate and relax in the community; and*

*WHEREAS, Fellow Commissioners hold Mary Ann in the highest esteem, value her dedication to Parks and Recreation preservation and development. She is to be commended for her exceptional ability advocate for Parks and Recreation issues on behalf of all members of the community.*


*NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bryce Ward, Mayor of the Fairbanks North Star Borough, and I, Michael A. Bork, Director of the Parks and Recreation Department, honor and thank Mary Ann Nickles, who gave her valuable time, energy and abilities by serving as a Volunteer Member of the Fairbanks North Star Borough Parks and Recreation Commission.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2018.*

  
Bryce Ward, Mayor  
Fairbanks North Star Borough

  
Michael A. Bork, Director  
Department of Parks and Recreation  
Fairbanks North Star Borough

ATTEST:

  
April Trickey, CMC  
Borough Municipal Clerk

