

**NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH ASSEMBLY
RESOLUTION 22-51**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE NORTHWEST
ARCTIC BOROUGH ASSEMBLY RECOGNIZING THE
SERVICE AND COMMITMENT OF SHARON KURZ
DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.**

WHEREAS: the Northwest Arctic Borough Assembly is the governing body for the Borough as a regional home rule government; and

WHEREAS: the COVID-19 pandemic created an unprecedented public health emergency warranting an extended public health disaster emergency declaration that required regional coordination and cooperation; and

WHEREAS: in coordination with Maniilaq Association and the City of Kotzebue, the Borough operated the Unified Command to address COVID-19 travel restrictions, emergency health orders, screening and testing, and related COVID-19 mitigation measures; and

WHEREAS: Maniilaq Health Center led the primary medical response effort by operating the region's health care system, educating providers and the public, providing health care staffing needs, and providing testing, treatment, and vaccination services; and

WHEREAS: at the center of the regional effort to combat COVID-19, as Vice President of Health Services for Maniilaq Health Center, Sharon Kurz led our region on Unified Command and Task Force calls to provide timely and critical information regarding the virus and vaccine; and

WHEREAS: the Borough wishes to recognize and applaud the tireless service of Ms. Kurz throughout the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS: the Borough and the region owe Ms. Kurz a debt of gratitude for her selfless service to our region and our people.

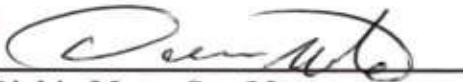
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that the Northwest Arctic Borough Assembly hereby recognizes Sharon Kurz for her devoted and steadfast service to lead a coordinated response effort to the COVID-19 pandemic.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2022.



Nathan Hadley, Sr., Assembly President

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2022.



Dickie Moto, Sr., Mayor

SIGNED AND ATTESTED TO THIS 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2022.



Helena Hildreth, Borough Clerk

ATTEST:

