

**Office of the Mayor
City and Borough of Juneau
Proclamation
Workers' Memorial Day, April 28, 2024**

WHEREAS, each April, Workers' Memorial Day is observed as a day to remember those who have suffered and died on the job; and

WHEREAS, we remember those who have died in workplace catastrophes, suffered diseases because of exposure to toxic substances, or been injured because of dangerous conditions; and

WHEREAS, these tragedies cause us to rededicate ourselves to fighting for safe workplaces; and

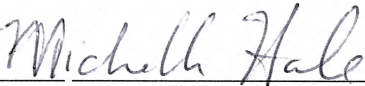
WHEREAS, the core theme for Workers' Memorial Day has been "Mourn for the Dead Fight for the Living"; and

WHEREAS, April 28 was chosen as Workers' Memorial Day because it is the anniversary of when the Occupational Safety and Health Act went into effect; and

WHEREAS, Workers' Memorial Day is observed in nearly 100 counties around the world.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Michelle Hale, Deputy Mayor of the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska, on behalf of the City and Borough Assembly, do hereby issue this proclamation designating April 28, 2024 as Workers' Memorial Day in the City and Borough of Juneau. I encourage all citizens to reflect on those individuals who have lost their lives while working.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused the seal of the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska, to be affixed this 29th day of April, 2024.



Michelle Hale, Deputy Mayor

