UAF Staff Council unanimously passed the following resolution (Resolution 2013-236-1), at Staff Council Meeting #236, on February 19, 2013.

University of Alaska Fairbanks

Staff Council

Resolution of Thanks for Recent Actions Taken by the Joint Health Care Committee (JHCC)

WHEREAS, the University of Alaska Joint Health Care Committee recently put forth motions to alter the employee health care benefits; and

WHEREAS, some of the proposed motions would have negatively affected employees at the University of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the Joint Health Care Committee accepted feedback on the proposed motions; and

WHEREAS, the Joint Health Care Committee rescinded motions regarding a spousal surcharge and the removal of the opt-out provision after collecting staff feedback; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the University of Alaska Fairbanks Staff Council expresses its appreciation for the Joint Health Care Committee's reconsideration of motions on the health care benefit after listening to staff from the University of Alaska.

Juella Sparks, UAF Staff Council President

4/23/13