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March 15, 2011

The Honorable Johnny Ellis
Alaska State Legislature
State Capitol
Juneau, AK 99801

Re: Senate Bill 23

Dear Senator Ellis,

Thank you for introducing Senate Bill 23, *"An Act relating to transferable film production tax credits; and providing for an effective date by amending the effective dates of secs. 3 and 4, ch. 63, SLA 2008."*

I fully support the passage of SB 23 that would extend the Alaska Film Tax Incentive program for 10 years. The early success of the incentive program created jobs and stimulated our local economies, and it should be continued. With other countries and states competing for opportunities, it is important to show the film industry that Alaska is a stable place to do business.

Please contact Sara Gill, Intergovernmental Affairs Director, if you have questions. She can be reached at 343-7117 or GillSN@muni.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dan Sullivan".

Dan Sullivan
Mayor