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I am Vice President and General Manager for GBC, Inc. in Fairbanks. I am also a member of the Carpenters Local 1243 in Fairbanks.

I recommend we kill HB 155 for the following reasons;

As a General Contractor, when bidding public funded projects, I can take assurance in the fact that all contractors bidding the project will be using the same wage rates. This helps level the play field between union, nonunion, large and small contractors. For the owners it also assures them that a contractor cannot low ball a job, pay substandard wages and pad the profit margin at the employee's expense. The certified payroll requirement also guarantees that the Davis Bacon requirements are being fulfilled. The Davis Bacon Wage law should always be required on public funded projects and its current form should not be amended.

As an individual coming from a construction background, I know how hard it is to earn a decent living working construction, especially in the interior. The Davis Bacon Wage law is the backbone of the construction industry. It provides for an acceptable standard of living for a working individual weather they are union or non union. To amend this law would be a huge step backward for labor and the living standard of a construction worker. Changing the Davis Bacon requirements would also have a negative effect on the economy of the surrounding areas by taking a portion of the income earned away from the workers they would spend less in day to day living expenses.

The Davis Bacon Wage Law should remain as is.

Thank you for this opportunity to testify,

Ed Kornack Vice President, GBC, Inc.

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From: Pete Haggland [petehaggland@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 11:04 AM

To: Konrad Jackson
Subject: House Bill 155 Support

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As the district 6 area chair for road service areas I strongly suypport HB155. I have been a road Service commisioner for a large number of years and helped create the Becker Ridge Service Area in 1974. I feel strongly that the moneys that we tax ourselves should be spent on the roads, not on wages that do not improve our access and safty issues. With over 21 miles of roads in our area it is almost totaly impossible to do any work on the roads without excedding the 2,000 dollar limit, creating a large increase in cost. A classic example was. the Rosie Creek Trail project. Our regular maint. contract for in place tailings was 9.00 per yard. When the borough entered the picture [design and Davis- Bacon] the same material went for over 18.00 dollars per yard and the road was less than half built! I strongly support HB155.

Pete Haggland,

Former road commisioner, chairman resident, Becker Ridge Service Area

As an add on to my e-mail support. Phone [907]-479-6450 Pilot 51 years, miner for 22 years. Resident Becker Ridge 41 years Alaskan resident for 68 years Pete Haggland

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From: Tim Staton [akgold@mosquitonet.com]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 10:56 AM

To: Konrad Jackson Subject: HB 155 SUPPORT!!

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Hello Mr. Jackson,

I am E-mailing you to let you know I support HB155 raising the threshold of Davis-bacon wages required on public contracts.

Please forward my Support for this House Bill 155 to to the House Labor and Commersce Committee as soon as possible. I understand that this will be heard today.

Thank You
Tim Staton
4636 Fairchild
Fairbanks Alaska 99709
907-378-1828
Chairman of Smith Banch Subdivision

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