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Representative Paul Seaton State Capitol Room 102 Juneau AK, 99801

Dear Representative Seaton:

Thank you for sponsoring HB 109 which will rename the Kasilof River Bridge on the Sterling Highway to the "Michael G. Wiley Bridge".

Mr. Wiley's commitment to public service is well documented and deserves special recognition.

While Mr. Wiley served on numerous boards and commissions, I am most familiar with his efforts on behalf of the members of Homer Electric Association, Inc. (HEA). After being appointed to a vacant seat on the Board of Directors in 2010 and then being elected by the members in 2011, Mr. Wiley became a tireless supporter of the cooperative.

He championed the goal of developing renewable energy on the Kenai Peninsula and was an ardent supporter of the Grant Lake hydro project. His knowledge of the peninsula, coupled with his many years of experience, made him a very effective and respected ambassador for Homer Electric.

His presence on the Board is very much missed by all.

I, along with the HEA Board of Directors, wholeheartedly support the passage of HB 109 and appreciate your efforts to recognize Mr. Wiley's legacy.

Sincerely,

Bradley P. Janorschke General Manager

