

## Alaska Association of Chiefs of Police

February 18, 2013

The Honorable Peggy Wilson
Alaska State House of Representatives
State Capitol, Rm. 406
120 4th Street,
Mail Stop 3100
Juneau AK 99801-1182

## Dear Representative Wilson:

In my capacity as President of the Alaska Association of Chiefs of Police, I am writing to express our unequivocal support of House Bill 108, <u>An Act relating to electronic citations: creating the electronic citations fund: and providing for an effective date.</u>" Our Association is comprised of more than 100 law enforcement executives from all across Alaska, and we feel this Bill provides us with an important tool to help maintain our electronic ticketing equipment.

You should be proud of a well crafted piece of legislation which, if passed, will give law enforcement agencies a mechanism by which to fund equipment and maintenance needs associated with electronic ticketing while still allowing them the flexibility to decide what works best for their own agency. Thank you for your strong commitment to the needs of public safety agencies in Alaska.

We would be pleased to work with your staff to insure that HB 108 is passed, and encourage you to contact our Executive Director, Kalle Klaysmat, at 907-394-S426 or by email at <a href="mailto:klaysmat@aacop.org">kalle klaysmat@aacop.org</a> should there be some way we can be of assistance in that regard. Again, thank you for your dedication and service to the law enforcement community.

Respectfully,

**Chief Tom Clemons, President**