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Senate Finance Committee Members,
Senator Pete Kelly, Senator Anna MacKinnon, Senator Peter Micciche, Senator Click Bishop, Senator Mike Dunleavy, Senator Lyman Hoffman, Senator Donald Olson,

This is an extra tough year to sit on the Senate Finance Committee. Thank you for your work.

I am writing in support of Public Broadcasting in Alaska. I think we all know how important it is for the Bush and I say it's just as important for the rest of the state. The quality of news and public access is unbeatable. For me personally, it's the voice of reason amidst the commercial broadcasting din. It has crossed my mind more than once that if it weren't for our local public radio stations, I wouldn't want to live here. Top 40 doesn't cut it for stimulation and contribution to the community.

Please, please keep our level of funding as close to current numbers. I view it as vital.

Most sincerely,

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