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This email is in support of the confirmation of Jason Brune for the position of Commissioner of Environmental Conservation.

I have been personally acquainted with Jason for three decades and I can attest to his competence, background, knowledge and commitment to the letter and intent of the environmental laws of the State of Alaska and the United States.

Because of his expertise and background, the State will be able to accomplish the dual goals of protection of the environment as well as the safe and environmentally sound development of Alaska's bountiful resources.

The Governor could not have made a more auspicious choice to lead our State forward.

Please see: <https://www.miningnewsnorth.com/story/2018/12/01/opinion-and-guest-columns/a-aurus-role-in-the-age-of-aquarius/5522.html>

Regards,

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