

March 14, 2019

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Representative John Lincoln, Chair
Representative Geran Tarr, Chair
House Resources Committee
Alaska State Capitol
Juneau, AK 99801

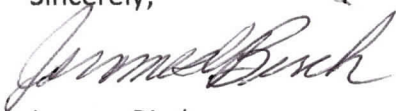
Re: Support for Jason Brune

Dear Representatives Lincoln and Tarr:

I think that Alaska should be thankful that Jason Brune is willing to offer his public service as Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) and I highly support his nomination.

I have worked with Mr. Brune on committees at the Alaska Miners Association (AMA). I noticed during committee meetings that Mr. Brune always referenced that science was critical to the issues we worked on. He always maintained that any development in Alaska has to be "done right" and science was the only way to accomplish that. Again, I support his confirmation as Commissioner of DEC.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jerome Birch", written in dark ink.

Jerome Birch