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DISTRICT C

Alatna  
Allakaket  
Aniak  
Angoon  
Anvik  
Arctic Village  
Beaver  
Beluga  
Bettles  
Big Delta  
Birch Creek  
Boundary  
Cape Pole  
Central  
Chalkyitsik  
Chandalar Lake  
Chenega Bay  
Chicken  
Chisana  
Chistochina  
Cordova  
Cuathbaluk  
Circle  
Coffman Cove  
Cordova  
Cube Cove  
Coldfoot  
Copper Center  
Craig  
Crooked Creek  
Delta Junction  
Deltana  
Dot Lake  
Dry Creek  
Eagle  
Eagle Village  
Edna Bay  
Ellamar  
Ernestine  
Excursion Inlet  
Eureka  
Evansville  
Eyak  
Flat  
Fort Greely  
Fort Yukon  
Fortuna Ledge  
Funter Bay  
Gakona  
Galena  
Grayling  
Gulkana  
Gustavus  
Haines  
Holy Lake  
Igarka  
Hobart Bay  
Holy Cross  
Hoonah  
Hughes  
Huslia  
Hydaburg

April 13, 2009

Representative Jay Ramras, Chair  
House Judiciary Committee  
State Capitol Building, Rm 118  
Juneau, AK 99801

Dear Representative Ramras,

Thank you for hearing SB 148 "An act relating to limitation of state liability on certain federal highway programs" in House Judiciary on Wednesday, April 15, 2009. As time is of the essence for tribes to use stimulus funds and get projects ready for our short construction season. This bill will lessen inter-governmental disputes or disagreements about liability concerns and will enable the tribes and state to focus on transportation projects.

Thank you again for hearing this bill.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Albert Kookesh.

Senator Albert Kookesh

Enc: Bill  
Sponsor Statement  
Letters/Resolution of Support  
Indian reservation Roads (IRR) synopsis by Alaska DOT&PF  
2 lists of Tribes and 2008 allocations with road inventory and population

Hyder  
Kake  
Kaltag  
Kasaan  
Katalla  
Kennicott  
Kenny Lake  
Klawock  
Klukwan  
Koyukuk  
Labouchere Bay  
Lake Minchumina  
Lime Village  
Livengood  
Long Island  
Mankomen Lake  
Manley Hot Springs  
Marshall  
McCarthy  
McGrath  
Medfra  
Metlakatla  
Mentasta  
Minto  
Nabesna  
Naukati Bay  
Nenana  
Nikolai  
Northway  
Nulato  
Ophir  
Point Baker  
Polk Inlet  
Port Alice  
Port Protection  
Rampart  
Red Devil  
Ruby  
Russian Mission  
Shageluk  
Skagway  
Slana  
Sleetmute  
Stevens Village  
Stony River  
Strelina  
Takotna  
Tanacross  
Tanana  
Tatidek  
Tazlina  
Telida  
Tenakee Springs  
Tetlin Junction  
Tok  
Tonsina  
Tyonek  
Utopia Creek  
Venetie  
View Cove  
Waterfall  
Whale Pass  
Wiseman  
Yakutat