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To: Senate Finance Committee

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## Senate Finance Committee

Please fully fund ARCS as rural Alaska depends on it for Emergency Broadcast System, educational and entertainment programming as well as state and national news. Alaska has some of the most remote and economically depressed regions in the United States and ARCS has provided three decades of service; let it continue during the digital conversion process to see if the capital funding project.

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