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To: [Senate Finance Committee](#)
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Co-chairs and Members of the Senate Finance Committee,

This winter, I enjoyed the grim sport of observing the icicles on the roofs of my neighbors' homes, and our own. In Anchorage, we need to improve energy efficiency, as well as diversify the generation of energy for heating and electricity, because the natural gas resources we rely on are running out.

We have many opportunities for improving the use of the energy sources available to us, both as individual homeowners and as communities. South Central Alaska needs to upgrade its energy transportation grid, and develop wind and solar power projects, and energy storage projects. Please approve the "Alaskan Energy Independence Program and Fund", so we can have access to the Federal Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to accomplish these goals.

Sincerely,

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