

House Resolutions

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1

Relating to the University of Washington victory in the 1961 Rose Bowl game.

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives in Second Legislature, First Session Assembled:

WHEREAS, the University of Washington won a tremendous victory over the University of Minnesota in the 1961 Rose Bowl football classic; and

WHEREAS, an Alaskan Golden Statehood Dollar was used as the "toss coin" to determine the opening kickoff of that historic contest; and

WHEREAS, this Alaska-Washington effort emphasizing the cordial relations of

the two sister states of the northwest brought further favorable publicity to the Pacific Northwest; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Alaska Legislature to foster this friendship and continuing good relations;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives in Second Legislature, First Session assembled that the coach and members of the football team of the University of Washington are hereby commended on their magnificent victory which has brought additional recognition to the merits and accomplishments of the Pacific Northwest.

Passed by the House January 30, 1961.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2

Relating to a road between Unalakleet and Kaltag.

Be It Resolved by the House in Second Legislature, First Session Assembled:

WHEREAS, improved transportation is the key to the successful development of the natural resources of Alaska and thus to its prosperity; and

WHEREAS, it is now difficult and costly to move goods into and out of the vast area of the lower Yukon River, owing to the almost total lack of roads in the area; and

WHEREAS, a road between Unalakleet on the coast and Kaltag on the Yukon River, a distance of approximately seventy-five air miles; would provide an ideal link between ocean shipping and river transportation in the lower Yukon, resulting in a higher volume of freight and lower transportation cost; and

WHEREAS, a road between Unalakleet and Kaltag would also open valuable stands of spruce saw timber to the use of inhabitants for many hundreds of miles;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives in Second Legislature, First Session assembled that the Department of Public Works and the Department of Natural Resources immediately undertake the necessary planning and surveying for the early completion of a pioneer access road between Unalakleet and Kaltag; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Commissioner of Public Works; the Commissioner of Natural Resources and the Governor of Alaska.

Passed by the House February 8, 1961.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 3

Relating to maintenance of certain access roads by the federal government.

Be It Resolved by the House in Second Legislature, First Session Assembled:

WHEREAS, the access road between King Salmon and Naknek is used primarily by military personal and other officials and employees of the federal government; and