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Relating to designation by the Governor of Suntrana Mine as a Historic Site.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

WHEREAS state law permits the Governor to designate state land as a historic site when designation would prevent the loss of a site of historical significance; and

WHEREAS the site of the former coal mine at Suntrana qualifies for designation as a historic site under state law; and

WHEREAS the Suntrana Mine contains unique machinery used in the extraction of coal on the site since 1918 that could be lost if the site is not protected; and

WHEREAS the site contains other historic properties and trails that merit protection and maintenance as a significant part of Alaska's history;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the Governor is respectfully requested to designate the state land that constitutes the site of the former Suntrana Mine as the Suntrana Mine Historic Site.