

**SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 26**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

**BY REPRESENTATIVE MASEK**

**Introduced: 4/3/97**

**Referred: House Special Committee on Fisheries, Resources, Judiciary**

**A RESOLUTION**

**1 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alaska relating to**  
**2 the preferred use of fish, wildlife, and other replenishable resources.**

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

**4 \* Section 1.** Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Alaska, is amended by adding a new  
**5 section to read:**

**6 Section 19. Preferred Use of Fish, Wildlife, and Other Replenishable**  
**7 Resources.** The nonwasteful harvest of fish, wildlife, and other replenishable  
**8 resources belonging to the State is preferred over other uses of those resources.**

**9 \* Sec. 2.** The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be placed before the voters of  
**10 the state at the next general election in conformity with art. XIII, sec. 1, Constitution of the**  
**11 State of Alaska, and the election laws of the state.**