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**HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21(MLV)**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Offered: 4/10/06

Referred: Rules

Sponsor(s): SENATOR HUGGINS

REPRESENTATIVES Dahlstrom, Elkins, Lynn, Stoltze, Thomas, LeDoux, Guttenberg, Wilson

**A RESOLUTION**

1 **Relating to the Vietnam War, to veterans and their families, and to the Vietnam War**  
 2 **memorial entitled "The Moving Wall."**

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

4 **WHEREAS** the residents of the state should be made aware that the Vietnam War  
 5 memorial entitled "The Moving Wall" will be visiting seven cities in the state between May  
 6 and July of 2006; and

7 **WHEREAS** a disproportionately high number of veterans of the Vietnam War live in  
 8 the state, and, as a result, the residents of the state may have a better understanding of the  
 9 Vietnam War and the brave individuals who gave their lives during the war; and

10 **WHEREAS** the residents of Alaska will achieve an even better understanding of  
 11 veterans and veterans' issues if they visit "The Moving Wall";

12 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature encourages the citizens of the  
 13 state to take steps to achieve a better understanding of the Vietnam War and of veterans'  
 14 issues in general; and be it

15 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature respectfully requests and  
 16 encourages the citizens of the state and representatives of all public and private agencies in

1 the state to visit "The Moving Wall" while it is in the state; and be it

2 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature declares May 19, 2006,  
3 through July 22, 2006, "The Summer of Honor and Season of Gratitude" to honor those who  
4 gave their lives in Vietnam and to honor all of America's veterans and their families for their  
5 service and sacrifices.