

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 183(FIN)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered: 4/12/11

Referred: Rules

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES DICK, Thomas, Herron, Edgmon, Joule, Foster, Chenault, Muñoz, Petersen, Guttenberg, Kerttula

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to the Village Safe Water Act; and providing for an effective date."**

2 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

3 * **Section 1.** AS 46.07.080(2) is repealed and reenacted to read:

4 (2) "village" means

5 (A) a second class city;

6 (B) a first class city with a population of less than 1,000;

7 (C) a home rule municipality with a population of less than
8 1,000;

9 (D) the Annette Island Reserve established by 25 U.S.C. 495
10 for the Metlakatla Indian Community;

11 (E) a community with a population between 25 and 1,000 that
12 is represented by a

13 (i) council organized under 25 U.S.C. 476 (sec. 16 of
14 the Indian Reorganization Act); or

15 (ii) traditional village council recognized by the United

1 States as eligible for federal aid to Indians.

2 * **Sec. 2.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to
3 read:

4 TRANSITION. Notwithstanding AS 46.07.080(2), repealed and reenacted by this Act,
5 a village for which Village Safe Water Act project funding was appropriated in a capital
6 budget bill approved by the legislature for a fiscal year before fiscal year 2012 shall remain
7 eligible to receive that Village Safe Water Act project funding after the effective date of this
8 Act regardless of whether the village meets the definition of "village" in AS 46.07.080(2),
9 repealed and reenacted by this Act.

10 * **Sec. 3.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).