

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION,
ROADS, COMMERCE AND COMMUNICATIONS
HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 19

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA

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TWENTY-FIRST SESSION

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TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES; THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED

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STATES; THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR; THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC

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ROADS; THE DELEGATE TO CONGRESS FROM ALASKA; THE GOVERNOR OF

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ALASKA; AND THE ALASKA ROAD COMMISSION, JUNEAU, ALASKA:

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Your Memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of
10 Alaska, in Twenty-first Session assembled, respectfully represents
11 that:

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WHEREAS, there are extensive stretches of highway through
13 Alaska without adequate facilities for emergency parking or
14 recreational parking or camping; and

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WHEREAS, notwithstanding continued improvement of the hotel,
16 auto court or related facilities for transient or overnight
17 accommodations, many people in their love of the great outdoors
18 desire, when the elements permit, to camp outdoors; and

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WHEREAS, without proper camping area facilities the danger
20 of forest fires caused by careless travelers is forever imminent;

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NOW THEREFORE, your Memorialist, the Legislature of the
22 Territory of Alaska, respectfully urges that the Congress of the
23 United States appropriate sufficient funds and otherwise provide
24 for the construction of camp grounds, parking areas, necessary
25 access roads relevant thereto, outdoor fireplaces and other
26 related public recreation facilities along the highways of Alaska.

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AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

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