

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MRS. DIMOCK,
MESSRS. WILBUR
AND COGHILL

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HOUSE MEMORIAL NO. 3

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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 HON. ERNEST GRUENING, GOVERNOR OF ALASKA; TO THE ALASKA

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AERONAUTICS AND COMMUNICATION COMMISSION; TO THE DEPARTMENT

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OF AVIATION FOR THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA:

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Your Memorialist, the House of Representatives of the

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Territory of Alaska, in Twenty-first Session assembled,

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respectfully represents:

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WHEREAS, Bethel serves an area of many hundreds of square

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miles and is the main trade center of the Lower Yukon and

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Kuskokwim River country, and

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WHEREAS, the only hospital serving many thousands of square

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miles is located at Bethel, and

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WHEREAS, the Civil Aeronautics Administration control

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field is situated across the Kuskokwim River from Bethel and

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during four months of the year is accessible only by small

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type of aircraft, and

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WHEREAS, the existing landing strip on the Bethel side

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of the River is entirely inadequate and hazardous for use by

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any type of aircraft; and

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WHEREAS, the construction of an adequate air strip at

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Bethel would be of great benefit and importance to the many

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residents of Bethel and would greatly promote the welfare of

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the many people who use the facilities of the Alaska Native

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Service Hospital at Bethel;

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NOW THEREFORE, your Memorialist, the House of Representa-

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tives of the Territory of Alaska, in Twenty-first Session

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see HJ 7c #17 re Alaska

1 assembled, respectfully urges the Alaska Aeronautics and
2 Communication Commission and the Department of Aeronautics
3 to take immediate steps to construct an airplane landing
4 field at Bethel, Alaska.

5 AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.
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