

1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the construction
6 of a school at Soldotna.

7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA IN THE
8 FIRST LEGISLATURE, FIRST SESSION ASSEMBLED:

9 WHEREAS, there is at this time no public school situated in
10 the community of Soldotna on the Kenai Peninsula; and

11 WHEREAS, pupils from Soldotna are now sent to the community
12 of Kenai where a shortage of seven classrooms is forecast for
13 September, 1959; and

14 WHEREAS, Soldotna is a rapidly growing population center,
15 serving as a base for petroleum exploration activities, and
16 showing many other varied signs of long-term economic growth; and

17 WHEREAS, there has recently been a one hundred per cent in-
18 crease in homestead filings in the Soldotna area; and

19 WHEREAS, the soon to be completed Libby road will open up
20 12,000 acres of the nearby Slikok Valley where many new families
21 with school age children are building homes; and

22 WHEREAS, two sites for possible school buildings have already
23 been offered as donations in Soldotna; and

24 WHEREAS, the children of school age resident in the community
25 of Soldotna at the beginning of the next school year will, at the
26 very least, number 166;

27 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Legislature of the State
28 of Alaska in First Legislature, First Session assembled, that a
29 state public school be constructed in the community of Soldotna

1 within the calendar year 1959; and be it
2 FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be sent to
3 the Honorable William A. Egan, Governor of Alaska; and the
4 Honorable Don M. Dafoe, Commissioner of Education.

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