

1 IN THE HOUSE BY FEDERAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to centennial celebra-
6 tion of the establishment of
7 the land-grant colleges and
8 universities.

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE IN SECOND LEGISLATURE, SECOND SESSION
10 ASSEMBLED, THE SENATE CONCURRING:

11 WHEREAS, July 2, 1962, marks the centennial of legislation
12 providing for the establishment of the federal system of land-
13 grant colleges and state universities; and

14 WHEREAS, the present era of ever-expanding scientific and
15 cultural horizons, when our nation is engaged with a cunning
16 adversary in the battle of brains, is dramatically synonymous
17 with the era in our nation's history when the need for wide-spread
18 education was as deeply felt as it is today; and

19 WHEREAS, today there are 68 land-grant colleges and state
20 universities open to all who are able and willing to learn; and

21 WHEREAS, the State of Alaska has been the beneficiary of the
22 extensive services of its land-grant institution, the University
23 of Alaska; and

24 WHEREAS, the Congress of the United States has established
25 national recognition of the celebration of the centennial of this
26 historic Act, sponsored by Justin Morrill;

27 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives in Second
28 Legislature, Second Session assembled, the Senate concurring, that
29 Alaska's participation in suitable statewide observances during
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1 the academic year 1961-62 is hereby endorsed, to suitably observe
2 the 100th anniversary of the signing of the Land-Grant Act.

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