

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MR. RHODE

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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 49

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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Relating to the extension of the

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airfield runway at Seldovia.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE IN SECOND LEGISLATURE, SECOND SESSION

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ASSEMBLED:

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WHEREAS, the progress of Alaska and the well-being of its

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residents are greatly dependent on air transportation; and

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WHEREAS, although the population of the Seldovia area is ex-

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panding, the continuation of this growth is uncertain and the

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productive utilization of the present population is hindered by

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the lack of an adequate airfield; and

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WHEREAS, the lack of an adequate airfield results in diffi-

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culty in shipping freight; and

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WHEREAS, the present airfield is well-used due to daily air-

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mail flights and the service provided by five bush airlines and

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one scheduled commercial airlines, but these airplanes are very

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small and have limited load capacities; and

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WHEREAS, because of the length of the Seldovia airfield its

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use is restricted to very small aircraft;

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BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives in Second

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Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the commissioner of

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public works is requested to extend the airfield at Seldovia.

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