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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 35

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the restoration and
6 increase of Alaska's federal
7 highway funds.

8 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

9 WHEREAS approximately \$13 million has been cut from Alaska's federal
10 highway fund allocation for the coming year and a further cut is being
11 considered by the President; and

12 WHEREAS Alaska's highway system is 50 years behind the other states;
13 and

14 WHEREAS Alaska urgently needs increased federal highway funds in order
15 to catch up and to speed the development of our state;

16 BE IT RESOLVED that the President of the United States, the United
17 States Congress, the Bureau of the Budget and the Bureau of Public Roads
18 are respectfully urged to restore Alaska's highway funds, grant additional
19 money for highway construction in Alaska, and initiate special lower
20 standards for federal funding of development roads in Alaska's rural areas.

21 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Lyndon B.
22 Johnson, President of the United States; the Honorable John T. Connor,
23 Secretary of Commerce; the Honorable Rex M. Whitton, Federal Highway Admin-
24 istrator, Bureau of Public Roads; the Honorable Charles L. Schultze,
25 Director, Bureau of the Budget; and to the Honorable E. L. Bartlett and
26 the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U. S. Senators, and the Honorable Howard W.
27 Pollock, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.
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