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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to an extension of the winter  
6 trail.

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

8 WHEREAS the exploration for new resources and the development of known  
9 resources in the state has been seriously hindered by the lack of roads; and

10 WHEREAS the western extension of the Brooks Range encompasses an area  
11 that has great potential wealth but is nearly completely isolated; and

12 WHEREAS the building of a road through this area would contribute  
13 substantially to the development of known resources in the area and to the  
14 discovery of new ones, and would thus accelerate the economic development of  
15 the state;

16 BE IT RESOLVED that the governor is respectfully requested to direct  
17 the Department of Highways to construct a westward arm to the winter trail  
18 from the north slope of the Brooks Range to the village of Kobuk.

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