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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Urging the rapid construction of the
6 Chena River Flood Control Project.

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

8 WHEREAS after the disastrous Tanana Valley flood of August 1967, a
9 flood control project was undertaken by the United States Army Corps of
10 Engineers in conjunction with the Fairbanks North Star Borough; and

11 WHEREAS to date this project has not been completed and weather condi-
12 tions again point to a possible repeat of that disaster in the spring of
13 1971; and

14 WHEREAS now, as before, the residents in the area are helpless to
15 protect their property from large-scale flood damage;

16 BE IT RESOLVED that the United States Corps of Engineers is urgently
17 requested to accelerate the design phase, and proceed as rapidly as possible
18 with appropriation and construction of the Chena River Flood Control Project.

19 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Stanley R.
20 Resor, Secretary of the Army; Lt. General William F. Cassidy, Chief of
21 Engineers, United States Army; Colonel E. L. Hardin, Jr., District Engineer,
22 United States Army Corps of Engineers; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens
23 and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators, and to the Honorable Nick
24 Begich, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

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