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1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 121

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to the construction of
6 additional school facilities at
7 Kwethluk.

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

9 WHEREAS, during the summer of 1972, the Bureau of Indian Affairs plans
10 on constructing a new kindergarten classroom and quarters for teachers which
11 would be attached to the rear of the existing Bureau of Indian Affairs
12 School; and

13 WHEREAS because Kwethluk is not incorporated nor located in an incorpo-
14 rated area, the Bureau of Land Management has indicated that no changes in
15 the school reserve boundary can be made without legislative approval; and

16 WHEREAS to carry out the planned construction it is necessary to add
17 a strip of land to the Bureau of Indian Affairs school reserve in Kwethluk;
18 and

19 WHEREAS the proposed construction site for the additional structures
20 has been approved by the citizens of Kwethluk;

21 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska Legislature that it approves the addition
22 of the necessary land to the Bureau of Indian Affairs school reserve in
23 Kwethluk to permit the construction of the planned additional school facili-
24 ties at the rear of the existing school, said addition to be accomplished
25 by the Bureau of Land Management closing 12th Street north of Kwethluk Street
26 to the Kwethluk River of Tract A, U.S. Survey 4221, Townsite of Kwethluk,
27 Alaska, and adding this land to the Kwethluk Bureau of Indian Affairs school
28 reserve; and be it

29 FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature requests the Bureau of Indian Affairs

1 to grant a 20-foot easement along the east side of 12th Street from Kwethluk
2 Street to lots 10, 11, and 14 of the Townsite of Kwethluk, for access to the
3 property.

4 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Rogers C.B.
5 Morton, Secretary, Department of the Interior; the Honorable Louis R. Bruce,
6 Commissioner, Bureau of Indian Affairs; the Honorable Boyd L. Rasmussen,
7 Director, Bureau of Land Management; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and
8 the Honorable Mike Gravel, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Nick Begich, U.S.
9 Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

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