

1 IN THE HOUSE

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Relating to a feasibility study for a

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four-day work week.

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

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WHEREAS many other governmental units across the country, both at the
9 state and local levels, as well as many private concerns have converted
0 their work force into a four-day work week; and

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WHEREAS various studies have shown that the four-day work week where
2 it has been implemented has proven satisfactory, both from a management
3 viewpoint and from the viewpoint of the employees; and

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WHEREAS institution of a four-day work week would offer the family
5 unit many intangible benefits; and

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WHEREAS it has been proven elsewhere that where a four-day work week
7 has been instituted that employee morale has greatly increased as well as
8 efficiency and productivity; and

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WHEREAS a four-day work week can be implemented without any loss of
0 service to the public or hours of business;

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BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Legislative Council is requested to
2 conduct a feasibility study of the institution of a four-day work week for
3 the state of Alaska; and be it

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FURTHER RESOLVED that the council complete its preliminary report by
5 December 1, 1973, and that the preliminary report be provided to the Depart-
6 ment of Administration for their comment prior to the final report to be
7 presented to the Eighth State Legislature, Second Session, within 10 days.

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