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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST

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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 27

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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Relating to the construction of a

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dike at approximately Mile 44 of the

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Glenn Highway.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE:

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WHEREAS construction of a dike at approximately Mile 44 of the Glenn

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Highway is necessary to protect the Butte area of the Matanuska-Susitna

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Borough from potential flooding of the Matanuska River; and

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WHEREAS it appears likely that funding in the amount of \$1,000,000 will

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be made available to the State of Alaska for the purpose of constructing a

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dike at approximately Mile 44 of the Glenn Highway; and

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WHEREAS it appears that the United States Army Corps of Engineers must

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issue a federal wetlands permit before construction on the dike may begin;

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BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Senate urges the United States Army

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Corps of Engineers to process, review and issue a federal wetlands permit and

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any other environmental permits required for construction of the dike at

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approximately Mile 44 of the Glenn Highway which are consistent with the need

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to provide protection from flooding to the Butte area and with the need to

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protect, preserve and enhance the environment.

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COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to Lt. General John W. Morris,

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Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; and to the Honorable Ted

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Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Don

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Young, U.S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

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