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CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 558 (C&RA)

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to local service roads and trails;  
7 and providing for an effective date."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 19.30.127 is repealed and reenacted to read:

10 Sec. 19.30.127. ALLOCATION DISTRICTS. (a) The state is divided  
11 into allocation districts that are identical to the department's  
12 operating regions.

13 (b) Where a department region boundary divides a local govern-  
14 ment unit, the allocation district boundary shall be adjusted by the  
15 department to include the local government unit within the department  
16 region that contains the largest portion of the area of the local  
17 government unit.

18 \* Sec. 2. AS 19.30.131(a) is amended to read:

19 (a) During each fiscal year the commissioner shall allocate sums  
20 appropriated or otherwise designated for expenditure on [UPON] local  
21 service roads for that fiscal year among the [FIVE] allocation  
22 districts in the following manner: one-half in the ratio that [WHICH]  
23 the area of each allocation district bears to the total area of the  
24 state and one-half in the ratio that [WHICH] the population of each  
25 allocation district bears to the total population of the state as  
26 shown by the latest available federal census.

27 \* Sec. 3. AS 19.30.131(c) is amended to read:

28 (c) The commissioner shall also further allocate portions of the  
29 sum allocated to any borough, either organized or unorganized, and to

1 any home rule [OR FIRST CLASS] city within the borough in the  
2 following manner:

3 (1) one-half in the ratio that [WHICH] the area of each  
4 home rule [OR FIRST CLASS] city bears to the total area of the borough  
5 excluding all water areas; and

6 (2) one-half in the ratio that [WHICH] the population of  
7 each home rule [OR FIRST CLASS] city bears to the total population of  
8 the borough as shown by the latest available federal census.

9 \* Sec. 4. AS 19.30.141 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 19.30.141. ACQUISITION AND CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS. Before  
11 October 1 of each fiscal year each local government eligible for  
12 allocation of funds under AS 19.30.131 shall submit to the  
13 commissioner for approval a five-year plan for the acquisition and  
14 construction of local service roads and trails. Before December 1 of  
15 each fiscal year the commissioner shall submit to the governor a  
16 five-year plan for the acquisition and construction of local service  
17 roads and trails, including the approved local government programs.  
18 An organized borough shall include in its five-year plan local service  
19 road acquisition and construction programs for all cities other than  
20 home rule [AND FIRST CLASS] cities within the boundaries of the  
21 borough. The commissioner shall include in the [HIS] five-year plan  
22 local service road and trail acquisition and construction within the  
23 unorganized borough.

24 \* Sec. 5. AS 19.30.161 is amended to read:

25 Sec. 19.30.161. DESIGN STANDARDS, RIGHTS-OF-WAY AND WIDTHS.  
26 Design standards, rights-of-way and widths for each local service road  
27 and trail project must [SHALL] have the prior approval of the  
28 commissioner, unless the project is under the supervision of a local  
29 government that has assumed local road powers. If the project is

1 under the supervision of a local government that has assumed road  
2 powers and the project is not located on a federal-aid secondary  
3 route, design standards, rights-of-way and widths shall be established  
4 by the local government. If a project under the supervision of a  
5 local government that has assumed road powers is located on a  
6 federal-aid secondary route, design standards, rights-of-way, and  
7 widths must have the prior approval of the commissioner.

8 \* Sec. 6. AS 19.30.241(3) is amended to read:

9 (3) "local government" means an organized borough of any  
10 class, a unified municipality organized under AS 29.68.240 -  
11 29.68.440, [A HOME RULE CITY,] or a city of any [THE FIRST] class;

12 \* Sec. 7. AS 19.30.241(4) is amended to read:

13 (4) "local service road" means a public road that is used  
14 by an average of fewer than 750 vehicles each day and that [WHICH] is  
15 not designated as a route on the approved primary federal-aid highway  
16 system;

17 \* Sec. 8. This Act takes effect July 1, 1984.