

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY TAYLOR

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 50

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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Requesting the State Geographic Board to

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name an island near Wrangell as "Dunn's

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Island."

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

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WHEREAS an unnamed island near Wrangell is locally called Dunn's

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Island; and

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WHEREAS Mac and Matty Dunn were the only people that lived on the

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island; and

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WHEREAS Mac and Matty Dunn were both very well respected within the

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Wrangell community; and

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WHEREAS Mac and Matty Dunn exemplified the true Alaskan pioneer spirit

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in their lifestyle; and

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WHEREAS Mac and Matty Dunn spent almost all of their 36 years in the

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state on the island until their deaths; and

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WHEREAS Dunn's Island was a favorite trapping place of Mac Dunn during

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his lifetime; and

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WHEREAS Mac died of a heart attack while trapping on the island; and

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WHEREAS it is appropriate that a geographic feature within the

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Wrangell area be named in their honor as permanent testimony to their

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memory;

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BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the State Geo-

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graphic Board is requested to name the island located between Wrangell

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Island and Etolin Island as Dunn's Island.

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A COPY of this resolution shall be sent to the State Geographic Board.