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1 IN THE SENATE

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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 77

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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Establishing Alaska Archaeology Week as

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April 2 - 8, 1990.

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

8 WHEREAS the state's numerous archaeological sites reflect a prehistory

9 and history rich in cultural diversity; and

10 WHEREAS preservation of prehistoric and historic archaeological sites

11 provides significant cultural and educational benefits to all citizens; and

12 WHEREAS knowledge and understanding of the state's cultural heritage

13 is threatened by illegal destruction of archaeological sites; and

14 WHEREAS designation of a special week would help promote programs to

15 educate and inform the public about the state's archaeological resources

16 and encourage their protection;

17 BE IT RESOLVED the the Alaska State Legislature establishes April 2 -

18 8, 1990, as Alaska Archaeology Week to be recognized through appropriate

19 public events held throughout the state.

20 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Manuel Lujan,

21 Jr., Secretary of the Interior; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and the

22 Honorable Frank Murkowski, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Don Young, U.S.

23 Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.