

SCR

33



*Department of Transportation  
and Public Facilities*

# POSITION PAPER

BILL NO: SCR 33

APPROVED:

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TITLE: Lighting for Glenn Highway

DATE: February 24, 1992

The Department of Transportation and Public Facilities supports this resolution to extend the continuous lighting on the Glenn Highway from the Hiland Interchange to the Artillery Road Interchange.

The estimate for design and construction of continuous lighting for this location is \$400,000. If federal aid highway funds are used, the federal share of the project is 90%; the state share is 10%.

The annual maintenance cost for the additional luminaries would be about \$30,000, based on a monthly charge of between \$30 to \$40 for each light.

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**SENATOR SAM COTTEN**

TO: Senator Curt Menard, Chairman  
Senate Committee on Transportation

FROM: Senator Sam Cotten

DATE: March 4, 1992

RE: SCR 33 - Supporting Glenn Highway Lighting

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Thank you for scheduling SCR 33 before the Senate Transportation Committee. I introduced the resolution which requests that the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities use federal highway funds to design and construct lighting to make a well travelled section of the Glenn Highway less dangerous.

As noted in the resolution, this particular Northbound section of the Glenn Highway has a heavy traffic volume with over 17,000 vehicles each day. Drivers merge from three to two lanes before being descent on a fairly steep grade. Combined with the abrupt ending of lighting, this creates a potentially dangerous situation, particularly during more severe weather conditions.

I believe that the safety factors I mentioned, as well as the heavy daily traffic flow justify extending lighting to include the Eagle River Bridge.

SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT  
FIRST COMMITTEE OF REFERRAL

DATE: 2/18/92

FURTHER:

Date of 5-Day Notice: \_\_\_\_\_  
(in accordance with Uniform Rule 23)

DATE TURNED  
INTO OFFICE: \_\_\_\_\_

Transportation Committee considered SCR 33

Relating to funding for design and construction of continuous lighting between the Hiland Interchange and the Artillery Interchange on the Glenn Highway.

and recommends:

replace with \_\_\_\_\_ CS \_\_\_\_\_ ( )

attaches amendment(s)

adopts \_\_\_\_\_ Letter of Intent

further referral to the \_\_\_\_\_

same title  
 new title  
 technical  
title change  
(HB only)

do pass

do not pass

no recommendation

individual recommendations

**NEW FISCAL NOTES:** Dept/Date

zero fiscal notes \_\_\_\_\_  
Senate Transp. Comm / 3/5/92

fiscal notes \_\_\_\_\_

appropriation--no fiscal note

**PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTES:** Dept/Date

Governor's bill with fiscal notes:  
zero fiscal notes \_\_\_\_\_

fiscal notes \_\_\_\_\_

**DO PASS:**

**OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:**

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Chair: Signature and Recommendation

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FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
1992 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. SCR 33

Revision Date: March 5, 1992 Department Affected: None

Title: Relating to funding for continuous

Lighting on Glenn Hwy. Component: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor: Senator Sam Cotton

Requestor: Senator Curt Menard COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 

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EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	0	0	0	0	0	0

CAPITAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
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REVENUE FUND SOURCE:	0	0	0	0	0	0
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FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER FUND SOURCE:						
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	0

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

Estimate of current year impact: \_\_\_\_\_

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)

Prepared By: Senator Curt Menard/ IMM Phone: 465-2679

Division: Senate Transportation Committee Date: March 5, 1992

Approved by Commissioner: Senator Curt Menard, Chairman

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 3/11/92



# Alaska State Legislature

SENATE

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~~\*~~ WAIVE 5 DAY NOTICE  
HEARING

TO: Senator Curt Menard, Chairman  
Senate Transportation Committee

FROM: Sam Cotten *SC*

DATE: 2/28/92

RE: SCR 33 Continuous Lighting on the Glenn Highway

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Please consider scheduling SCR 33 for a hearing before the Senate Transportation Committee at your earliest possible convenience. The Department of Transportation and Public Facilities has indicated support for SCR 33 (see attached memorandum of 2/24/92).

MARCH 9th  
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