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## THE IDITAPLEDGE

### (I-did-a-pledge) FOR SOBRIETY

Taking into account the "special note" in the previous paragraph, the "Iditapledge" is not only, AFN/SM's largest annual fund-raiser, but it is a three point plan that:

1. Creates a meaningful opportunity for supporters to make a charitable contribution;
2. Mobilizes individuals, families and communities (AFN/SM Charter Groups-Honor Societies) to take joint ownership in a common solution to a problem.
3. Publicly identifies (measure), acknowledge and champion that percentage of our local and state population who lead, believe and support sobriety.

### HOW IT WORKS

In lieu of the number of miles the signatures for sobriety are carried on the Iditarod trail (1,049), individuals and businesses can show their support by making monetary pledges calculated on the total mileage (e.g., 1cent per mile equals \$10.49, \$1per mile equals \$1,049.00, etc.). Hence the name, Iditapledge. Those interested in showing their support need only fill-in the pledge box below and send it in to AFN/SM office on or before March 31, 1996.

Contributions are tax deductible. The AFN/SM is a campaign component under the Alaska Federation of Natives Foundation, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, Federal ID #94-3123119. Please make and mail all contributions to:

**AFN Sobriety Movement -or- AFN/SM**  
Attn: Col. Milton R. Cross, Treasurer  
1577 C Street, Suite 201  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

YES! Please accept my/our tax deductible contribution in support and recognition of the thousands of men, women and children whose signatures are being carried on the Iditarod trail

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Cents or Dollars: \_\_\_\_\_ x 1,049 miles = \_\_\_\_\_

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS SINCE INCEPTION

- Achieved first fiscal year of self-sufficiency, 3/31/95 to 4/1/96 (raised \$70,000)
- Traveled to over 80 communities in Alaska and Lower '48, gave well over 150 presentations at prevention seminars, conferences, community coalition meetings, and treatment staff retreats
- Collected a yearly average of 5,000 sobriety pledge signatures to be carried 1,049 miles to Nome, AK, in the hand of a drug free musher
- Hosted two successful "sobriety dances during AFN Conventions '94 & '95 (raised +\$10,500)
- Submitted written public testimony in support of the Alaska Natives Commission Report at joint congressional hearings in Washington, DC
- Traveled and spoke to over 1/3 of the Native population (+/- 1,000) on the merits of sobriety in all twelve of the state's prisons
- Helped to establish the month of March '95 & '96 as **SOBRIETY AWARENESS MONTH** (a.k.a. SAM)

### PROUD BUSINESS CONTRIBUTORS TO THE AFN/SM's 1995/6 CAMPAIGN

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Alaska Sales and Service  
Donald Dapcevic  
J.C. Pinsky (In-kind)  
NSHC Recovery Center  
Wesley Justin

AK Council on Prev. & Staff  
AK Village Initiatives (In-kind)  
Gold's Gym (In-kind)  
Law Offices of Aileen Smith  
Tulnita Times (In-kind)

*Brochure compliments of Cook Inlet Tribal Council, Inc.*

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**SOBRIETY\* MOVEMENT**



For more information contact:

AFN SOBRIETY MOVEMENT  
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\*Sobriety — A Positive, Healthy and Productive Way of Life,  
Free from the Devastating Effects of Alcohol and Drugs



### AFN/SM MISSION STATEMENT:

The mission of AFN/SM is to encourage and support the growing sobriety movement in Alaska. It is based upon cherished and practiced spiritual values & traditional wisdoms of Alaska's Native people; supporting the collective efforts and activities of individuals, families and communities (public/private agencies), who exemplify, promote and benefit from the pursuit and practice of sobriety: a positive, healthy and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs.

### SOBRIETY

*(Concept Definition)*

A positive, healthy and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs.

### SOBRIETY MOVEMENT

*(Concept Definition)*

The collective effort on the part of individual's, families, and communities, and every public and private agency, effected by, concerned with, and working toward the prevention of alcohol and drug abuse; who by example encourage and support those who live a life of sobriety.

### MERITS OF SOBRIETY

*(The ABC's)*

- A) Improves the quality of life and health of individuals, families and communities.
- B) Reduces the incidence of alcohol and drug related crimes.
- C) Reduces the burden on government in exhausting its resources on the pervasive symptoms and problems caused by alcohol and drug abuse.

### AFN/SM GOALS:

1. To encourage and support alcohol-free and drug-free Native families;
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4. To encourage the formation of sobriety groups in every Alaska Native community;
5. To encourage and support sober Alaska Native leaders and role models;
6. To become non-dependent upon local, state and federal grant subsidies.



Edgar Nellner, the last surviving Iditarod musher of the original Iditarod, is shown signing the sobriety pledge in Nulato.  
*Tundra Times Photo by Greg Nolthoff*

### THE SOBRIETY PLEDGE

As an Alaska Native or Concerned Individual, I do hereby claim the AFN Sobriety Movement's goals as my own ( ). If we, Alaska Natives and Concerned Individuals, are to survive as healthy distinct nations, it will be because I took a stand against the elements which weaken and destroy our languages, our values and our spirits. If our spirits are to remain strong and sober, it has to begin somewhere. **LET IT BEGIN WITH ME!**

**CHARTER GROUPS & HONOR SOCIETIES**  
Fifty-nine organizations or groups have passed resolutions in support of the AFN/SM. In whole, or in part, they have adopted or acknowledged the intent of AFN/SM's:

- Mission and Goals
- Concept Definitions & Merits
- Collect Sobriety Pledge Signatures\*
- Host at least one sobriety festival in respective community, district or region

\*Special Note: Collected signatures are put on microfilm, given to a drug-free dog sled musher, who, in ceremonial fashion carries the microfilm to Nome in the annual Iditarod Sled Dog Race. This is done in commemoration to the origin and history of the Iditarod, when vital serum was relayed to Nome by Alaska Native dog teams; which cured the diphtheria epidemic of the late 1920's. Symbolically, the signatures represent the serum of commitment needed to cure the pervasive and devastating effects of alcohol and drugs.



Ramey Brooks, 26 year old Athabaskan from Fairbanks, is the 1996 drug free musher carrying the signatures to Nome.

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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA  
AR NO. 96-68

A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY RECOGNIZING THE ALASKA  
FEDERATION OF NATIVES' SOBRIETY MOVEMENT

WHEREAS, the Alaska Federation of Natives (AFN) has established a Sobriety Movement, with a mission to support and encourage the growing sobriety movement in Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the AFN Sobriety Movement, which is based on cherished and practiced spiritual values and traditional wisdoms of Alaska's Native people, supports the collective efforts of individuals, families, and communities who exemplify and benefit from the pursuit and practice of sobriety, and promotes a positive, healthy, and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs; and

WHEREAS, the goals of the AFN Sobriety Movement are:

- To encourage and support alcohol-free and drug-free Native families
- To encourage the practice of traditional Native values and activities
- To cooperate and support existing groups working to promote sobriety among Alaska Natives
- To encourage the formation of sobriety groups in every Alaska Native community
- To encourage and support sober Alaska Native leaders and role models
- To be non dependent upon local, state, and federal grant subsidies

NOW, THEREFORE, the Anchorage Municipal Assembly resolves

That the Anchorage Assembly, on behalf of the entire community, recognizes

**The Alaska Federation of Natives, Inc.  
Sobriety Movement**

for its efforts in improving the quality of life and health of individuals, families, and communities, for reducing the incidence of alcohol and drug related crimes, and reducing the burden on government; in exhausting its resources on the pervasive symptoms and problems caused by alcohol and drug abuse

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Municipal Assembly, this 12th day of March, 1996

*J. Elabed*  
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ATTEST

*Lejane Ferguson*  
Municipal Clerk



Submitted by Assemblymembers MURDY, Abney, Begich, Bell, Lantieri, Clementson, Kandal, Meyer, Van Gemringen, Wohlforth, and Wuerch

# STATE OF ALASKA



## *Executive Proclamation by Tony Knowles, Governor*

Thousands of Alaskan citizens, as well as public and private agencies, lead or support the concept of sobriety: a positive, healthy, and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs.

Citizens, organizations, and health agencies constitute what is known as the "sobriety movement" in Alaska who are dedicated to educating the public on the prevention of alcohol and drug abuse, and encourage and support those who live a life of sobriety.

In 1995, the Alaska State Legislature and the Administration recognized the important contributions and role the sobriety movement has in:

- (a) Improving the quality of life and health for individuals, families, and communities.
- (b) Reducing the incidence of alcohol and drug related crimes.
- (c) Reducing the burden on local, state, and federal governments to exhaust their resources on the symptoms and problems of substance abuse.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Knowles, Governor of the State of Alaska, do hereby proclaim March 1996, as:

### *Sobriety Awareness Month (SAM)*

in Alaska, and urge all Alaskans and organizations to support the thousands of men, women, and children who are doing their part to improve the quality of life and health for themselves, families, and communities.

DATED: February 22, 1996



Done by \_\_\_\_\_

*Tony Knowles*

Tony Knowles, Governor  
who has also authorized the seal  
of the State of Alaska  
to be affixed to this proclamation.

**ALASKA FEDERATION OF NATIVES, INC.**  
**\*SOBRIETY MOVEMENT**

**1995 - 1997 AFN/SM  
INFORMATION PACKET**

For AFN/SM Council Members  
AFN/SM Charter Groups & Honor Societies  
Any Interested Parties

*\*SOBRIETY: A positive, healthy and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs.*

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# ALASKA FEDERATION OF NATIVES, INC. *S O B R I E T Y   M O V E M E N T*

## INTRODUCTION

### CAMPAIGN

The AFN Sobriety Movement (AFN/SM) is first and foremost a campaign, whose mission is to encourage and support the grassroots sobriety movement growing in Alaska.

### CHARTER GROUPS & HONOR SOCIETIES

An AFN/SM *Charter Group* can be any student or village council, private business or corporation, city or municipal borough, church or dance group, who passes a resolution which adopts AFN/SM's:

- a) Mission & Goals;
- b) Concept definitions on *Sobriety* and *Sobriety Movement*; and
- c) Dedicates or hosts one (or more) annual events or celebrations which highlight the merits of sobriety

An AFN/SM *Honor Society* can be any student or village council, private business or corporation, city or municipal borough, church or dance group, who passes a resolution in support of or in recognition of AFN/SM's:

- a) Mission & Goals;
- b) Concept definitions on *Sobriety* and *Sobriety Movement*; and
- c) Meritorious findings of sobriety

### SOBRIETY PLEDGE SIGNATURE DRIVES

Charter Groups & Honor Societies can, and have been, helpful in collecting sobriety pledge signatures from the men, women and children within their respective communities, districts or regions. Having done so, they have helped not only, to (1) generated greater awareness, (2) attracted attention and (3) encouraged participation, but (4) make a national census of *who* leads, believes in, and supports the lifestyle and concept of sobriety.

### *THE IDITAPLEDGE (I-did-a-pledge) FOR SOBRIETY*

The "Iditapledge" is not only, one of the AFN/SM's largest annual fund-raisers, it is the culmination of a whole years work to collect sobriety pledge signatures in communities all across the state.

Collected signatures are put to microfilm, given to a drug-free dog sled musher, who in ceremonial fashion carries the microfilm in the annual Iditarod Dog Sled Race. From Anchorage to Nome, Alaska, the distance of the race is 1,049 miles. It is held in commemoration to the origin and history of the Iditarod, when vital serum was relayed to Nome by (Alaska Natives and their) dog teams; which cured the diphtheria epidemic in the late 1920's. Symbolically, the sobriety pledge signatures are honored and represent a "serum of commitment" needed to cure the pervasive and devastating effects of alcohol and drugs.

As the signatures travel to Nome in the Iditarod, the Native community (i.e., regional/village profit & non-profit corporations and respective private sector businesses in business with the many Native agencies) have an opportunity to show their support to AFN/SM's campaign by pledging a monetary sum for every mile the signatures travel (e.g., .01 cents x 1,049 miles = \$10.49c).

While individuals are invited to pledge a penny per mile, businesses are invited to pledge a dollar per mile (e.g., \$1.00 x 1,049 miles = \$1,049).

*Penny for your thoughts...don't forget...did you put in your two cents...*

## REVENUE SHARING...

The benefit of being (becoming) an AFN/SM Charter Group (CG) is that not only, can they use the *Iditapledge* to raise money for their respective events and sobriety activities, but the *Iditapledge* is a means by which to gauge the amount of support and appreciation individual members and businesses in the community have for those live a life of sobriety in the community.

There are two phases<sup>1</sup> to the revenue sharing process, they are:

### Phase One:

1. Collect sobriety pledge signatures from individuals in your respective community;
2. Mail or fax signatures to AFNSM Headquarters, on or before the third weekend in February, so that they can be put on to micro-film and given to a drug-free Alaska Native, who will then take up to Nome -- 1,049 miles -- in the annual Iditarod Sled Dog Race;

### Phase Two:

3. Invite local and regional residents (e.g., who signed the sobriety pledge through your group) to pledge a penny (.01c) for every mile their signature will be carried on the Iditarod trail; extend an invitation to all of your local and regional<sup>1</sup> businesses\* to show their support by pledging a nickel (.05c), up to a dollar, for every mile the signatures collected by your group get carried on the Iditarod trail (again, that is 1,049 miles x \$0.00c);

<sup>\*</sup>FUNDS ACCEPTANCE POLICY STATEMENT: AFNSM's Council fund-raising policy *does not include accepting any contributions, whatsoever, from the liquor industry, i.e., bars, liquor stores, bartender or waitress associations. The AFNSM Council believes this is self-defeating message, and asks that all CGHS's respect this policy and follow suite.*

4. Report the total amount of contributions received (i.e., including those not yet received, but pledged) to AFN/SM Headquarters. On a sliding scale: Share a minimum of ten percent (10%), to a maximum of twenty-five percent (25%) of the funds your respective group generates from using AFN/SM's *Iditapledge for Sobriety* fund raising campaign.

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<sup>1</sup> **IMPORTANT:** AFNSM is organized under the Alaska Federation of Native Foundation, a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, all contributions made toward the AFNSM, and only the AFNSM, are tax deductible. All CGHS's, not organized under a non-profit (tax exempt) organization, are encouraged to secure the support and cooperation of one to receive contributions on their behalf, so that, any contributions received can have the benefit of being tax deductible.

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1. To encourage and support alcohol-free and drug-free Native families;
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### **SOBRIETY(Concept Definition<sup>2</sup>):**

A Positive, Healthy and Productive *Way of Life*, Free from the Devastating Effects of Alcohol and Drugs.

### **SOBRIETY MOVEMENT (Concept Definition<sup>3</sup>):**

The collective efforts on the part of individuals, families, and communities, (public and private agencies), effected by, concerned with, and working toward the prevention of alcohol and drug abuse; who by example, encourage and support those people who lead, believe in, or support the "concept" of sobriety.

### **MERITS<sup>4</sup> OF SOBRIETY:**

*(The ABC's of Sobriety)*

- A) Improves the quality of life and health of individuals, families and communities;
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<sup>1</sup> August 1995

<sup>2</sup> May 1991

<sup>3</sup> May 1995

<sup>4</sup> February 1995

## SOBRIETY PLEDGE

As an *Alaska Native or Concerned Individual*, I hereby claim the goals of the AFN Sobriety Movement as my own:

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**AFN/SM CHARTER GROUP/HONOR SOCIETY  
MEMBERSHIP RESOLUTION**

Resolution # \_\_\_\_\_

**TITLED:** Name of Organization (pledges to the success of and/or recognizes) the Alaska Federation of Natives Sobriety Movement (AFN/SM) its mission to restore the spirit and honor among Alaska Natives and Alaskans weakened by substance abuse.

**WHEREAS:** Substance abuse (alcohol/drugs) has become the gateway to the myriad social health problems facing Alaska Natives, and others concerned, which disrupts families and polarizes communities; and

**WHEREAS:** The health and social services and corrections industry have both expanded their resources in Alaska to help Alaska Natives, and others concerned, to cope with and alleviate the problems and symptoms of substance abuse, and yet the problems and symptoms are still widespread; and

**WHEREAS:** Through AFN's Convention resolution process, Alaska Native people have recognized, time and again, alcohol and drug abuses devastating effects as a pervasive and immediate health threat, AFN's Board established the AFN Sobriety Movement as a permanent, self-supporting campaign to encourage and support the grassroots sobriety movement growing in Alaska; and

**WHEREAS:** Governor Tony Knowles, the 19th Alaska State Legislature, the AFN Board of Directors, the AFN/SM Council have all declared the month of March as "Sobriety Awareness Month", the AFN/SM invites all AFN member organizations, and outside third party organizations to promote sobriety as "a positive healthy and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs," and to consider becoming a Charter Group or Honor Society of the AFN/SM; and

**WHEREAS:** Over 50 Charter Groups/Honor Societies exist today, the only requirements are to adopt/recogonize AFN/SM's: i) mission & goals, ii) concept definitions for sobriety and sobriety movement, iii) host or dedicate an annual event or meeting that celebrates or highlights the merits of sobriety; and

**WHEREAS:** The AFN/SM's Council has found the merits of sobriety to be the following, it: a) Improves the quality of life and health of individuals, families and communities; b) Reduces the incidence of alcohol and drug related crimes; c) Reduces the burden on government to exhaust its resources on the problems and symptoms of substance abuse.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** That the Board of Directors of Name of Organization hereby adopt the goals of AFN/SM: 1) To encourage and support alcohol-free and drug-free Alaska Native families; 2) To encourage the practice of traditional Native values and activities; 3) To support existing groups working to promote sobriety among Alaska Natives; 4) To encourage the formation of sobriety groups in every Alaska Native community; 5) To encourage and support sober Alaska Native leaders and role models; and be it

**FINALLY RESOLVED** That Name of Organization adopts AFN/SM's definition of sobriety: *a positive, healthy and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol or drugs;* pledge to host at least one annual meeting, festival or celebration which focuses or campaigns on the merits of sobriety so that the people we respect and honorably serve in our (chose one) community/region/corporation will consider sobriety as a lifestyle worthy of pursuit and practice.

Enacted by the (Name) Board of Directors in (City) by a \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ vote, this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_, 199\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
PRESIDENT

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
SECRETARY

## Charter Groups & Honor Societies\*

1. Alaska Native Health Board
2. Alaska Statewide Native Youth Leadership Conference
3. Alaska Village Electric Co-operative\*
4. Ambler Advisory School Board
5. Anchorage Assembly\*
6. Arctic Slope Regional Corporation\*
7. Arctic Winter Games Corporation of Alaska (Team Alaska)\*
8. Anvil Mt. Correctional Center (Native Culture Club)
9. Alaskans for Drug-Free Youth Statewide Board
10. Bristol Bay Native Association
11. Bristol Bay Native Corporation\*
12. Bristol Bay Area Health Corporation\*
13. Central Council - Tlingit & Haida Tribes of Alaska
14. Partnership for a Health Community (Anch.)
15. Chilkoot Indian Association (IRA)
16. Cook Inlet Tribal Council
17. Cook Inlet Pre-Trial Facility (Native Culture Club)
18. Dillingham Beaver Round-Up Festival Association\*
19. Elim IRA Council
20. Eyak Tribal Council
21. The Eskimo-Indian-Aleut Publishing Co. (Tundra Times)
22. Fairbanks Native Association
23. Fairbanks Correctional Center
24. Golovin Native Corporation\*
25. Governor's Advisory Board on Alcohol & Other Drugs
26. Heartbeat Alaska\*
27. Highland Mt./Meadow Creek Correction Center (Native Culture Club)
28. Kawerak, Inc.
29. Kodiak Tribal Council

30. Ketchikan Correctional Center (Native Culture Club)
31. Levelock Village Council
32. Lemon Creek Correctional Center (Native Culture Club)
33. MTNT Limited
34. Maniilaq Association
35. National Family Partnership for Drug-Free Youth
36. NANA Regional Corporation\*
37. Nome Native Youth Leadership Council
38. Norton Sound Health Corporation
39. New Stuyakhok Traditional Council
40. North Slope Celebration of Sober Life Movement
41. Old Harbor Tribal Council
42. Ouzinkie Tribal Council
43. Pt. MacKenzie Rehabilitation Center (Native Culture Club)
44. Palmer Correctional Center (Native Culture Club)
45. Qinanniut Corporation
46. Qawalangin - Tribe of Unalaska
47. Safe & Fear Free Environment (S.A.F.E.)
48. Sitka Natives for Sobriety (Alaska Native Brotherhood Camp #1)
49. Spirit Days, Incorporated
50. Sitka Alliance for Health
51. Shishmaref Sobriety Club
52. Spring Creek Correctional Center (Native Culture Club)
53. St. Paul Island High School Student Council
54. Tanana Chiefs Conference, Incorporated
55. Wildwood Correctional Center (Native Culture Club)
56. World Eskimo-Indian Olympics
57. Yukon-Kuskokwim Correctional Center (Native Culture Club)
58. Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corporation



## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Achieved first fiscal year of self-sufficiency, 3/31/95 to 4/1/96 (raised \$70,000)
- Have been invited and traveled (travel paid by host) to over 80 communities in Alaska and Lower '48
- Have given well over 150 presentations at prevention seminars, conferences, community coalition meetings, and drug treatment staff retreats
- Collect an average of 5,000 sobriety pledge signatures annually from men, women and children; which carried 1,049 miles to Nome, AK, in the annual Iditarod sled dog race
- Annually host the Governor's Sobriety Sock Hop (dance) during the AFN Convention
- Submitted written public testimony in support of the Alaska Natives Commission Report at joint congressional hearings in Washington DC.
- Traveled to all state prison facilities and speak to 1/3 of the Native prison population on the merits of sobriety; help set up the first (ever in the nation) statewide sobriety potlatch celebration in the prisons; help set up the first Native inmate culture club teleconferencing
- Helped to establish the month of *March '95 & '96* to be recognized statewide as *SOBRIETY AWARENESS MONTH (a.k.a. SAM)*.
- Author of the language which was used (is now being introduced) in House Bill No. 523 (HB523) to amend the Alaska Statutes *DECLARATION OF POLICY* under the "Uniform Alcoholism and Intoxification Treatment Act (AS 47.37.010)."

## PROUD CONTRIBUTORS TO AFN/SM's 1995/6 CAMPAIGN

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Tundra Times (In-kind)	Wilson Justin	

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# AFN SOBRIETY MOVEMENT

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## MEMO

DATE: March 19, 1996  
TO: To Whom This May Concern  
FROM: Greg L. Nothstine, AFN/SM Coordinator   
SUB: Up-date; Information Packet

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### THE STATE OF ALASKA LEADS THE NATION IN PUBLICLY ADVOCATING SOBRIETY AS A LIFESTYLE WORTHY OF PURSUIT AND PRACTICE.

Mr. Ramy Brooks recently completed the 1996 Iditarod Sled Dog Race, finishing in eleventh place; carrying thousands of sobriety signatures from men, women and children. Mr. Brooks and I will accompany Mrs. Susan Knowles, Alaska's First Lady, up to Nome, Alaska, Friday, March 22, 1996, with the Alaska National Guard; presenting on the merits of living drug-free to Nome's student population.

Looking ahead to next year, I have enclosed an information packet on the AFN Sobriety Movement (AFN/SM). Again, AFN/SM is a campaign whose success is directly proportional to the level commitment and appreciation normal citizens, like yourself, have for sobriety; its connotation of HOPE.

Not since the passage of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA), has there been a more successful and influential initiative to draw attention and focus on improving the quality of life and health of Alaska's Native people; with positive spill-over benefits for the non-Native community. For this, it is fitting that the AFN/SM be the recipient of the prestigious *Denali Award* given by the *Alaskan of the Year Award Committee*, March 30th, at the Sheraton Anchorage Hotel.

Who would have thought that Alaska would one day lead the nation simply for publicly acknowledging (reinforcing) a concept and lifestyle with a history and following older than Alaska had been a state? But, they have. And, they do, thanks to the Alaska Federation of Natives Sobriety Movement's (AFN/SM) tireless and persistent grassroots advocacy.

This is not all! The AFN/SM has developed one of the most promising revenue sharing, fund-raising formulas to help break the cycle of dependency on state and federal grant subsidies; challenging the mind-set that in order to begin anything worthwhile you do not "need" a grant from the government to get started.

Today, the AFN/SM stands on its own merit! Its success can, again, be attributed to the level of commitment and appreciation people have for AFN/SM's message; charitable contributions received! The ingenious thing about AFN/SM's revenue sharing formula is that, *it can be duplicated in both Native and non-Native communities.*

The month of March, 1996, is SOBRIETY AWARENESS MONTH a.k.a. S.A.M., in Alaska. As we live out these last two weeks of March, may the month of SAM '96, find you, your family, and your community, experiencing the many merits of sobriety!

Enclosure(s):

SOBRIETY: a positive, healthy and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs.

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ALASKA Federation of Natives Sobriety Movement  
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TESTIMONY

GREG NOTHSTINE, COORDINATOR  
ALASKA FEDERATION OF NATIVES SOBRIETY MOVEMENT  
THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1996

19TH ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE, SECOND SESSION  
SENATE COMMITTEE ON  
HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES (HESS)

Messrs. Chairman, Members of the Committee, Ladies and Gentlemen:

For the record my name is Greg Nothstine. As the coordinator for the Alaska Federation of Natives Sobriety Movement Council and on behalf of the Alaska Federation of Natives, I am testifying in support of House Bill No. 523, sponsored by the House Judiciary Committee, and entitled "An Act expressing the state's policy with respect to sobriety."

Messr. Chairmen, it is a foregone conclusion that alcohol and drug abuse presents an immediate danger to the lives, health and well-being of all Alaskans. The Alaska Federation of Natives supports the passage of House Bill No. 523 because it represents a positive paradigm shift in the state's policy for preventing alcohol and drug abuse in Alaska.

HB523 speaks to the legitimate recognition by the state of Alaska for a preferred lifestyle now being practiced by thousands of Alaskans and commonly referred to or known as sobriety. For the Alaska Federation of Natives and 58 other local, regional and statewide organizations, sobriety is understood as "a positive, healthy and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs."

What is interesting is that the history of sobriety has been a concept and lifestyle, pursued and practiced by millions of Americans, longer than Alaska has even been state. Indisputably, our state court system has since dealt with many alcohol and drug abuse related cases. Consequently,

many criminals have and are being remanded to receive education and treatment services; which are regulated by statute.

Again, HB523 represents a positive paradigm shift in the state's policy for preventing alcohol and drug abuse. It favors and follows the conventional wisdom for reinforcing socially appropriate behaviors and choices that are conducive to:

- a) helping improve the quality of life and health for individuals, families and communities;
- b) helping reduce the incidence of alcohol and drug related crimes;
- c) helping reduce the burden on government in exhausting its resources and having to pay for the many social ills and problems caused by alcohol and drug abuse.

Messrs. Chairman, in the packet of information you have been provided, you will find a copy of Governor Tony Knowles' second Executive Proclamation declaring the month of March 1996 as Sobriety Awareness Month.

Last year, both, Governor Knowles and the 19th Alaska State Legislature, declared March 1995 as Sobriety Awareness Month. This set a precedent in not only, state history, but US history, because it made Alaska the first state in the nation to recognize sobriety as a lifestyle; the merits of which are deserving of support from every local, state and federal agency in the field of prevention.

Messr. Chaimen, on the eve of the second proclaimed Sobriety Awareness Month in our state's history, and on behalf of the AFN Board of Directors and the AFN Sobriety Movement Council, I urge you to support and recommend the passage of HB523.

Thank You for your time and attention.

# Representative Brian S. Porter



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### HB 523

**"An Act expressing the state's policy with respect to sobriety."**

#### Sponsor Statement

Alcohol and drug abuse is the single most destructive health problem in Alaska. Alcohol abuse and dependence occurs among Alaskans in all racial and ethnic backgrounds and at all economic levels. The destructive consequences of alcohol and drug abuse are felt by the abusers, their spouses, children, friends, and employers. Ultimately, alcohol and drug abuse adversely affects all our lives either directly or indirectly.

HB 523 offers another alternative within the treatment of alcohol and drug abuse - sobriety. A positive, healthy and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs. The sobriety language establishes an additional solution to the policy set forth by the Uniform Alcoholism and Intoxication Treatment Act. In fact, the Division of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse has placed the definition of "sobriety" in their strategic plan "meeting the Challenge" adopted by the Division and the Governor.

HB 523 focuses on a positive solution instead of the problem.

Date of Committee Action: 2/29/96

The HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES Committee considered:

HB 523

HOUSE BILL NO. 523

STATE'S POLICY ON SOBRIETY

"An Act expressing the state's policy with respect to sobriety."

recommends it be replaced with the following committee substitute \_\_\_\_\_  the same title  a new title

additional referral to \_\_\_\_\_ Committee  attached amendment(s)

ADOPTS: \_\_\_\_\_ Letter of Intent

ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(s): \_\_\_\_\_ (Dept)

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DECLARATION  
OF THE  
ALASKA FEDERATION OF NATIVES

WHEREAS the enactment of local option laws by Alaska Native villages has not fully halted the importation and manufacturing of alcohol, even in those communities that have voted themselves dry; and,

WHEREAS state and local law enforcement agencies do not have the resources to fully stem the importation and manufacturing of alcohol in all the dry communities; and,

WHEREAS the abuse of alcohol in Alaska Native homes and communities continues to be the triggering factor in most accidents, assaults, homicides, and suicides; and,

WHEREAS statistical analyses by various state and federal agencies prove that the very presence of alcohol in a home or village significantly increases the likelihood of violence, injury, or death occurring there;

THE ALASKA FEDERATION OF NATIVES THEREFORE DECLARES that alcohol and its abuse presents an intimate and imminent threat to the lives, health, and well-being of our children, families, and communities whenever and wherever it is found; and

IT FURTHER DECLARES that it shall be the policy of AFN to fully support the efforts of our village governments as they work to keep out and remove alcohol and other illicit drugs from within their jurisdictions, and to utilize every resource available in the statewide Native community to change any state or federal laws that may prevent them from protecting the lives and well-being of our people; and

IT FURTHER DECLARES THAT AFN and its membership will redouble their efforts in supporting and promoting SOBRIETY as a way of life for all our people.

  
Julie Kitka, President



October 10, 1994



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## Senator Drue Pearce District F

Jan. 19, 1995

Mr. Greg Nothstine  
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Dear Greg:

Attached is a copy of a letter I sent to First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton asking her to write a personal letter supporting the important efforts of the Alaska Federation of Natives *Sobriety Movement*.

I commend you for the important work you are doing to help Alaska Natives regain pride in their heritage and reclaim their lives from the devastation caused by alcohol and drugs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Drue Pearce", enclosed within a large, loopy circular flourish.

Drue Pearce  
Senate President

*Keep up the good work!*

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

February 28, 1995

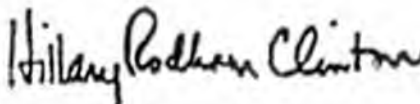
Dear Friends:

I am pleased to have this opportunity to send greetings to each of you participating in the Iditapledge of the Alaska Federation of Natives Sobriety Movement.

The miles covered in the Iditarod remind us of the steps we must take to assure a positive, healthy and productive way of life for the families and communities of our nation. As you link together healthy individuals, healthy families, and healthy communities you strengthen the fiber of our nation as a whole. I commend your hard work and dedication to this worthy cause.

Please accept my best wishes for a successful future.

Sincerely yours,



Hillary Rodham Clinton



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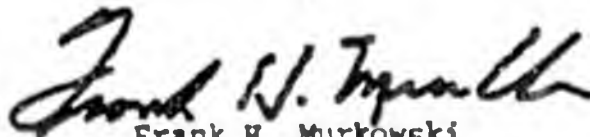
Dear Tungwenuk:

Thank you for your letter regarding the Alaska Federation of Native's Sobriety Movement.

I find it very pleasing to know that you have taken it upon yourselves to help those suffering from alcohol addiction. This pernicious condition is a severe detriment to the betterment of a people and a nation. I wish you great success in your effort and am only too happy to write to the First Lady on your behalf.

Again, thank you for your letter on this very important issue, and I hope that you will write to me in the future and let me know of the Movement's progress.

Sincerely,



Frank H. Murkowski  
United States Senator

# Singling the Sobriety Song

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## HB 523 could shift view of sobriety and alcoholism

by Anna M. Pickett  
 Tundra Times staff

Recognizing that alcohol and drug abuse presents an immediate danger to the lives, health and well-being of all Alaskans, the Alaska Federation of Natives and the Alaska Council on Preventing Alcohol and Drug Abuse are supporting passage of House Bill No. 523.

"It (HB 523) represents a positive paradigm shift in the state's policy for preventing alcohol and drug abuse in Alaska," said Greg Nothstine, AFN Sobriety Movement Coordinator to the House of Representatives' Committee on Health, Education and Social Services (HESS) during the 19th Alaska State Legislature. "HB 523 speaks to the legitimate recognition by the state of Alaska for a preferred lifestyle now being practiced by thousands of Alaskans and commonly referred to or known as sobriety."

Nothstine said HB 523 favors and allows the conventional wisdom for enforcing socially appropriate behav-

iors and choices that are conducive to:

- helping improve the quality of life and health for individuals, families and communities;
- helping reduce the incidence of alcohol and drug related crimes; and
- helping reduce the burden on government in exhausting its resources and having to pay for the many social ills and problems caused by alcohol and drug abuse.

### The Bill

The text of the bill reads: "An Act expressing the state's policy with respect to sobriety.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

\*Section 1. AS 47.37.010 is amended to read:

Sec. 47.37.010 DECLARATION OF POLICY. It is the policy of the state to recognize, appreciate, and reinforce the example set by its citizens who lead, believe in, and support a life of sobriety. It is also the policy of the state that alcoholics and

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At a community send-off ceremony co-sponsored by AFN Sobriety Movement and the Alaska Native Health Board, Brooks signed posters and talked to youth about dog muzzling, the importance of education, and living a drug-free and tobacco-free lifestyle.

## Brooks blazes Iditarod for sobriety pledges

Tundra Times staff

Athabascan-Eskimo Ramey Brooks is on the trail - a long, cold trail, traveling by day and night against elements that try to force him back. He finds ways to stay on the trail with-

out falling off, getting trampled by wild animals, or getting lost. It is a heavy load to carry, but the strength within him keeps pushing him further and further ahead. Go Ramey, Go!

The trail - Iditarod. The load - So-  
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## Opinion

# Concept of sobriety not something new

By Greg L. Nohstine

The media coverage July 31 to Aug. 4 on the sobriety movement in Alaska was wonderful! Continued coverage like this is just what the public needs to get a thorough understanding of the subject — a solution which millions of people throughout the United States have in common — because our public institutions are in a bureaucratic rut still trying to diagnose the problem.

The state of Alaska spends millions in research dollars trying to solve the problem and symptoms of substance abuse. Yet, the institutions in place, which the state funds, fail miserably to acknowledge that a concept or solution, and its merits thereof, already exists with 60 years of history — sobriety.

Sobriety is nothing new. Again, it's a way of life millions of people in the United States have had in common for over 60 years. What is new, however, is how sobriety is now being interpreted and increasingly referred to as a lifestyle worthy of pursuit and practice; the merits of which (concluded by the Alaska

Federation of Natives Sobriety Movement Council): a) improve the quality of life and health of individuals, families and communities; b) reduce the incidence of alcohol- and drug-related crimes; c) reduce the burden on government to exhaust its resources in having to pay for the symptoms and problems caused by alcohol and drug abuse.

In June 1991, the Alaska Federation of Natives created its AFN sobriety movement program. Part of its mission has been to generate greater awareness and appreciation for sobriety. Since its inception, the program has annually collected thousands of sobriety pledge signatures from Natives and non-Natives alike. Every year these signatures are carried in the Iditarod Sled Dog Race, most notably by Mike Williams. Cumulatively, over 10,000 signatures have been collected.

Presently, 57 organizations and groups in the state (even one in the Lower 48 — the National Family Partnership) have passed

resolutions in support of the sobriety movement's mission and goals. Support like this can only be indicative of a shift in the philosophy of prevention.

We live in a linear society where definitions of terms are the principle cornerstone to any concept or ideology's success. The success of the sobriety movement is attributed to this principle where "sobriety" and the "sobriety movement" are concerned. Before the movement, these two terms were used in small circles, and in vague context to existing terminology in the mental health and health fields; nowhere were they found or mentioned in any glossary of any government needs assessment or research report.

So, the first thing the AFN sobriety movement council did was define sobriety as a positive, healthy and productive way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol and drugs. The council did the same for the sobriety movement: The collective effort on the part of individuals, families and communities, and

every public and private agency, affected by, concerned with and working toward the prevention of alcohol and drug abuse, who by example encourage and support (even employ) people to live a life of sobriety. Based on the latter definition, the AFN sobriety movement is but a mere component in a much greater ongoing process, the intent of which is primarily concerned with improving the quality of life.

Eight years ago, Alaska Natives were dubbed a "People in Peril." Now, they're the "Champions of Hope." Notwithstanding these characterizations and because of Alaska Natives, the state lends the nation in promoting sobriety among its citizens. On May 21, 1994, the Department of Corrections made national history by allowing all Native inmate culture clubs to simultaneously host sobriety pinitches.

In March of this year Gov. Tony Knowles and the 19th Alaska Legislature proclaimed the month of March as Sobriety Awareness Month; U.S. Sens. Ted

Stevens and Frank Murkowski and our nation's first lady, Mrs. Hillary Rodham Clinton, sent letters in support of the occasion. In tribute, these documents were carried in the 1995 Iditarod Sled Dog Race by Athabascan musher Renny Brooks.

All in all, more still can be done. Looking back, the concept of the sobriety movement was born out of the ashes of countless lives torn apart by the ravages of alcohol and drugs in the United States. It just happened that Alaska Natives, through their experience of desiring to regain control of their lives and culture from generations of forced acculturation, germinated the sobriety movement into public awareness.

Hopefully, the media will continue this type of coverage on the subject, whatever the occasion. It can be just the momentum needed to give our public institutions the permission to take common stock in a solution which pays countless dividends in social benefits.

Greg L. Nohstine (Tungwenuk) is coordinator of the Alaska Federation of Natives sobriety movement. He lives in Anchorage.

### Commentary

Revision Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Title An act expressing the state's policy with respect to subsidy  
 Sponsor: House JLD  
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Dept. Affected: Health and Social Services  
 BRU: Administrative Services  
 Component: Commissioner's Office  
 COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 317  
 See also (SN#): \_\_\_\_\_

Expenditures/Revenues:

(Thousands of Dollars)

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TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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(Thousands of Dollars)

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POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
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Estimate of any current year (FY96) cost: 0.0

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This bill will have no fiscal impact on the Department of Health and Social Services

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