

SB

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SB III

was referred to the
Senate Finance
Committee

Hearing(s) were held

The bill did not move
from Committee

SENATE FINANCE
COMMITTEE

Amendment Number: 1

1-LS0658AD.1

Bill Number: SB 111

Cramer

Sponsor: Adams Date: 4/8/99

4/8/99

Logged In By: Mindy

AMENDMENT

OFFERED IN THE SENATE

BY SENATOR ADAMS

TO: SB 111

1 Page 1, line 1:

2 Delete "Pioneers' Home"

3 Page 2, line 31, through page 3, line 1:

4 Delete all material and insert

5 "(W) housing receipts from

6 (i) Pioneers' Homes care and support payments

7 under AS 47.55.030; and

8 (ii) employee payments for housing;"

Employee Housing Receipts

FY96 act.	FY97act.	FY98 act.	FY99 auth.	FY2000 Gov.
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Employee Housing Receipts

Fish & Game	\$97.7	\$100.0	\$113.9	\$109.3	\$109.3
<i>Rental payments made by employees at remote sites/hatcheries</i>					
Public Safety	\$219.5	\$225.2	\$226.0	\$225.0	\$225.0
<i>Rental payments made by Troopers serving in remote posts.</i>					
Transportation	\$167.3	\$167.3	\$167.3	\$167.3	\$167.3
<i>Rental payments made by employees at remote aviation/maintenance/construction sites.</i>					
total	\$484.5	\$492.5	\$507.2	\$501.6	\$501.6
FY to FY change		\$8.0	\$14.7	(\$5.60)	\$0.0

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE
1999 COMMITTEE ACTION

Bill Number:	SB 111
Amendment:	#1
Motion:	Adopt
<u>Motion by</u>	Adams
<u>Objection</u>	
<u>Objection by</u>	Torgerson
<u>Removed</u>	
<u>Second Objection by</u>	
<u>Committee Member</u>	<u>Vote</u>
Senator Randy Phillips	
Senator Dave Donley	
Senator Loren Leman	
Senator Al Adams	
Senator Gary Wilken	
Senator Pete Kelly	
Senator Lyda Green	
Co-Chair Sean Parnell	
Co-Chair John Torgerson	
<u>Tally</u>	
Yea	0
Nay	0
Absent	0
<u>MOTION</u>	W / drawn

4/23 Sen. Adams withdrew
until later meeting

SENATE FINANCE
COMMITTEE #2 1-LS0658D.5
Amendment Number: #2
Bill Number: SB 111 Cramer
Sponsor: Phillips Date: 2/24/00 2/23/00
Logged In By: Mindy

A M E N D M E N T

OFFERED IN THE SENATE

BY SENATOR PHILLIPS

TO: SB 111

1 Page 1, line 1:

2 Delete "Pioneers' Home"

3 Page 3, following line 1:

4 Insert a new subparagraph to read:

5 "(X) receipts collected under AS 41.21.026 by the

6 Department of Natural Resources for parks and recreational areas:"

**THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENT HAS NOT
BEEN FILMED BUT IS AVAILABLE IN THE
ORIGINAL FILE.**

Payment Assistance



**State of Alaska
Department of Administration
Division of Alaska Longevity Programs
Alaska Pioneers' Homes**

NOTE: The information contained herein applies only to residents who are unable to pay the full cost of care in a Pioneers' Home.

July, 1998

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Alaska Statute and Alaska Administrative Codes referenced in this booklet are intended for general information purposes only. For any legal information please refer to an official pamphlet of the Alaska Statutes or the published register of the Alaska Administrative Code.

GARY WILKEN

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SPONSOR STATEMENT

Senate Bill 111 "Pioneers' Home Receipts"

Senate Bill 111 recognizes that Pioneers' Home receipts are collected from residents for rent and certain supplies used by the residents. This legislation changes the designation of these receipts from general fund to statutory designated program receipts.

In late 1995 the Pioneers' Homes Advisory Board recommended incremental increases in the rental rate schedule over seven years to recover the full cost of care by FY2003. The first rate increase went into effect July 1, 1996 and similar increases will occur annually until July 2002. Collections are based on the residents' ability to pay. Based on current projections, it is estimated that the fees will stabilize at approximately \$13.0 million.

SB 111 recognizes the direct correlation of fees paid by the Pioneers' Home residents to the program expenses. I urge passage of this legislation.

April 7, 1999

**Pioneers' Home System
Full Cost of Care Increases
(Proposed)**

Level of Care	Cost	Increase	1-Jul-96	1-Jul-97	1-Jul-98	1-Jul-99	1-Jul-00	1-Jul-01	1-Jul-02
Coordinated Services (CS)	\$2,129	\$200	\$934	\$1,140	\$1,340	\$1,540	\$1,740	\$1,940	\$2,140
Basic Assisted Living (BAL)	\$3,862	\$430	\$1,289	\$1,720	\$2,150	\$2,580	\$3,010	\$3,440	\$3,870
Enhanced Assisted Living (EAL)	\$5,079	\$590	\$1,553	\$2,140	\$2,730	\$3,320	\$3,910	\$4,500	\$5,090
ARD Services	\$5,262	\$615	\$1,579	\$2,200	\$2,815	\$3,430	\$4,045	\$4,660	\$5,275
Comprehensive Services (CC)	\$6,448	\$765	\$1,864	\$2,630	\$3,395	\$4,160	\$4,925	\$5,690	\$6,455

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**Alaska Pioneers' Homes
Rate History**

<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Assisted Living</u>	<u>Skilled Nursing</u>
1954	\$150		\$195
July 1966	\$180		\$225
July 1976	\$225		\$275
October 1983	\$425		\$525
December 1989	\$525	\$630	\$800
February 1993	\$600	\$700	\$880
February 1994	\$665	\$780	\$975
February 1995	\$735	\$860	\$1,100

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Alaska Commission on Aging

Resolution 99-7

In support of SB 111: An act relating to Pioneer Home receipts

Whereas the number of Alaskans age 65+ is projected to reach 80,927 by 2015; and whereas the numbers of Alaskans age 85+ will double by that date, and

Whereas at this time the occurrence of Alzheimer's disease increases with age, and is experienced by some 50% of those who reach age 85+; and

Whereas Alaska is fortunate to have a statewide system of six Pioneer Homes that focus on meeting the needs of older Alaskans affected by such illnesses such as Alzheimer's Disease and other dementia; and

Whereas the average age of Pioneer Homes residents is now 86; and

Whereas increasing numbers of Alaskans now enter the Homes in the later stages of the particular illnesses affecting them, having used home and community-based care as long as was feasible; and

Whereas the trend in care needs of Pioneer Home residents now requires more intensive levels of staffing than the Homes have budget to accommodate; and

Whereas SB 111 enables the Pioneer Homes to retain in their budget the payments received from residents for rent, services, and supplies, thus enabling the Homes to reinvest those earnings to increase staffing and meet the increasing costs of operation,

Now therefore the Alaska Commission on Aging strongly encourages the Twenty-First Alaska Legislature to pass SB 111.

Adopted this 7th day of April, 1999.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Alaire E. Stanton".

Alaire Stanton
Chair

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

SIGN-IN

SB 111-PIONEERS HOME RECEIPTS

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