

**SB**

**45**

<TARGET><BILL>SB 45</BILL><SUBJECT>SB  
45</SUBJECT><COMM>HFIN27</COMM></TARGET>

# HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT

(11)

Date Referred to Committee: June 27, 2011

FURTHER REFERRALS:

Date of Committee Action: 6/28/2011

The FINANCE Committee considered:

CSSB 45(CRA) am

**CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 45(CRA) am**

"An Act extending the termination date of the Alaska coastal management program and relating to the extension; relating to the review of activities and regulations of the Alaska coastal management program; establishing the Alaska Coastal Policy Board; relating to the development, review, and approval of district coastal management plans; relating to the duties of the Department of Natural Resources relating to the Alaska coastal management program; relating to the review of certain consistency determinations; providing for an effective date by amending the effective date of secs. 1 - 13 and 18, ch. 31, SLA 2005; and providing for an effective date."

**SB 45-COASTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM**

Recommends it be replaced with  HCS or  CS for \_\_\_\_\_ ( )  
 For Senate Bills with new title:  Technical Title  New Title: HCR \_\_\_\_\_  Same Title  New Title

- attach amendments
- add new referral to \_\_\_\_\_ Committee
- Letter of Intent \_\_\_\_\_ Committee

List of Abbrev for Depts.:  
 ADM  
 CED  
 COR  
 CRT  
 EED  
 DEC  
 DFG  
 GOV  
 DHS  
 LWF  
 LAW  
 LEG  
 MVA  
 DNR  
 DPS  
 REV  
 DOT  
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<b>NEW FISCAL NOTES</b>				
<small>*Assigned by Chief Clerk's Office</small>				
List by Dept(s):	*FN#	Fiscal	Indet.	Zero
DEC		✓		
DNR		✓		
DEC		✓		

<b>PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTES</b>				
List by Dept(s):	FN#	Fiscal	Indet.	Zero

<u>Signing with recommendations</u>	Printed Last Name	DP	DNP	NR	AM
	Hawkor		✗		
Jammie Wilson	T Wilson		✓		
	Joulé	✓			
	NEENAN		✓		
	Cora	✓			
	COSTELLO		✓		
Boya Edgman	Edgman	✓			
Chair:	Stoltz		✓		
Chair:	Thomas		✓		

# FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA**  
**2011 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

Fiscal Note Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bill Version 27-GS1965IB.A  
 ( ) Publish Date \_\_\_\_\_

Identifier (file name): SB045SCS(CRA)-DEC-WQ-06-28-11  
 Title Coastal Management Program Dept. Affected Environmental Conserv  
 Appropriation Water  
 Allocation Water Quality  
 Sponsor Senate Rules Committee by Request of the Governor  
 Requester House Finance Committee OMB Component Number 2062

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

	Appropriation Required	Information						
		FY 2012	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>								
Personal Services	15.0	86.3	101.3	93.8	86.3	86.3	86.3	
Travel	5.0	5.2	10.2	7.7	5.2	5.2	5.2	
Services	0.0	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	
Commodities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Capital Outlay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Miscellaneous	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	

<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURES</b>							
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<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES</b>							
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**FUND SOURCE** (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1003 GF Match	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1004 GF	20.0	50.0	70.0	60.0	50.0	50.0	50.0
1005 GF/Program Receipts	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1037 GF/Mental Health	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1007 IA Receipts	0.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Estimate of any current year (FY2011) cost \_\_\_\_\_

**POSITIONS**

Full-time	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Part-time	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Temporary	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

**Why this fiscal note differs from previous version (if initial version, please note as such)**

This version of the bill modifies the due date for the review and report to February 1, 2014 and sunsets the program July 1, 2017.

Prepared by Joey Ausel, Budget Manager  
 Division Administrative Services  
 Approved by Dan Easton  
Deputy Commissioner

Phone (907) 465-5235  
 Date/Time 6/28//2011 8:36:00 AM  
 Date 6/28/2011

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
2011 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. SB 45 SCS(CRA)

**Analysis**

This bill would extend the Alaska Coastal Management Program termination date to July 1, 2017, creates an Alaska Coastal Policy Board of which the Commissioner of Environmental Conservation is a member.

Fiscal impacts are detailed below:

**Personal Services and Travel**

This Fiscal Note reflects \$20.0 in additional General Funds in FY 2012 for Division of Water staff personal services (\$15.0) and travel costs (\$5.0) to participate in the review of DEC permitting regulations and preparation of the report due February 1, 2014. In FY 2014, these costs are reduced for personal services (\$7.5) and travel costs (\$2.5) and in FY 2015 these costs are removed.

# FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA**  
**2011 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

Fiscal Note Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bill Version CSSB045(CRA)am  
 () Publish Date \_\_\_\_\_

Identifier (file name) CSSB045(CRA)-DNR-DCOM-06-28-2011 Dept. Affected Natural Resources  
 Title Act extending termination of the Alaska Coastal Mgmt Pgm Appropriation Resource Development  
 Allocation Coastal and Ocean Management  
 Sponsor Rules Committee by Request of Governor  
 Requester House Finance OMB Component Number 2680

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

	Appropriation Required	Information						
		FY 2012	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>								
Personal Services	3,150.2		3,260.0	3,260.0	3,260.0	3,260.0	3,260.0	3,260.0
Travel	95.9		251.6	141.8	141.8	121.8	121.8	121.8
Contractual	1,404.4		1,784.4	1,724.4	1,724.4	1,724.4	1,724.4	1,724.4
Supplies	41.2		54.2	54.2	54.2	54.2	54.2	54.2
Equipment								
Land & Structures								
Grants & Claims								
Miscellaneous								
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>4,691.7</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>5,350.2</b>	<b>5,180.4</b>	<b>5,180.4</b>	<b>5,160.4</b>	<b>5,160.4</b>	<b>5,160.4</b>

<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>1,360.0</b>		<b>1,360.0</b>	<b>1,360.0</b>	<b>1,360.0</b>	<b>1,360.0</b>	<b>1,360.0</b>	<b>1,360.0</b>
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<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES</b>								
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**FUND SOURCE** (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts			2,679.0	2,679.0	2,679.0	2,679.0	2,679.0	2,679.0
1003 GF Match			1,672.6	1,672.6	1,672.6	1,672.6	1,672.6	1,672.6
1004 GF	4,351.6		658.5	488.7	488.7	468.7	468.7	468.7
1005 GF/Program Receipts								
1061 CIP receipts	244.6		244.6	244.6	244.6	244.6	244.6	244.6
Other Interagency Receipts	95.5		95.5	95.5	95.5	95.5	95.5	95.5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,691.7</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>5,350.2</b>	<b>5,180.4</b>	<b>5,180.4</b>	<b>5,160.4</b>	<b>5,160.4</b>	<b>5,160.4</b>

Estimate of any current year (FY2011) cost \_\_\_\_\_

**POSITIONS**

Full-time	33		34	34	34	34	34
Part-time							
Temporary							

**Why this fiscal note differs from previous version**

CSSB45(CRA)am retains the existing Coastal Management program as is until July 1, 2012. Federal funds are not available for FY12 – this fiscal note reflects the necessary General Funds to continue the program. CSSB45(CRA)am makes significant changes which take effect on July 1, 2012, as described below. This fiscal note assumes federal funding will be available to support the program in FY13.

Prepared by Randy Bates, Director  
 Division Coastal and Ocean Management  
 Approved by Dan Sullivan, Commissioner  
Natural Resources

Phone 465-8797  
 Date/Time 6/28/11 12:00 AM  
 Date 6/28/2011

## FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
2011 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. CSSB045(CRA)am

### Analysis

The Alaska Coastal Management Program (ACMP) will automatically terminate on July 1, 2011 (SLA2005, CH31, Sec 22). CSSB045(CRA)am would extend the termination date to July 1, 2017.

This fiscal note reflects the increased fiscal impacts due to the additional Division of Coastal and Ocean Management (DCOM) duties will be starting July 1, 2012, including the administration and implementation of the Alaska Coastal Policy Board (CPB). Those increased fiscal impacts are detailed below:

#### Personal Services

One additional position, a Project Coordinator (range 20), will be required to cover the additional work associated with the CPB and the coordination and distribution of district planning and consistency review data and information.

#### Travel

The CPB will meet four times in-person in the first two years following establishment of the board, and will meet in-person twice annually after that. The CPB will need to meet more frequently in-person for the first two years in order to establish board protocols, review coastal district plans, and address issues of interest to ACMP participants. CPB travel includes nine members and two DCOM support staff.

In addition, recognizing coastal districts will be amending their district plans based on CSSB045(CRA)am, two DCOM staff will travel 5-6 different districts per year for four years to assist the districts with their plan amendments.

Five DCOM staff will travel to regional locations for two years to provide ACMP training and education on program changes and the revised ACMP implementing regulations.

The DCOM Director will travel to Washington, DC three times annually for two years to work with NOAA on program change approvals and NEPA requirements.

#### Contractual

The CPB will meet two times annually by teleconference, with each 2-day teleconference lasting 8 hours each day (including 20 phone lines). CSSB045(CRA)am will require a substantial revision to all three chapters of the implementing ACMP regulations (11 AAC 110, 112, and 114). Contractual services will be required to develop and complete those revisions, including the Department of Law final review. The coordination and distribution of district planning and consistency review data and information requires postage and other fees. DCOM will also reimburse state agencies for their participation and implementation of the ACMP program.

#### Supplies

Supplies will be required for supporting the CPB (dictation/recorder equipment, packet materials and binders) and support staff (office equipment).

# FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA**  
**2011 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

Fiscal Note Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bill Version 27-GS1965/B.A  
 () Publish Date \_\_\_\_\_

Identifier (file name): SB045SCS(CRA)-DEC-CO-06-28-11  
 Title Coastal Management Program Dept. Affected Environmental Conserv  
 Administration  
 Sponsor Senate Rules Committee by Request of the Governor Appropriation  
 Allocation Commissioner's Office  
 Requester House Finance Committee OMB Component Number 633

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

	Appropriation Required	Information						
		FY 2012	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>								
Personal Services	10.0	0.0	10.0	10.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	
Travel	5.0	0.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	
Services	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Commodities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Capital Outlay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Miscellaneous	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>10.0</b>	

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1007 IA Receipts	10.0	0.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>10.0</b>

Estimate of any current year (FY2011) cost \_\_\_\_\_

**POSITIONS**

Full-time	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Part-time	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Temporary	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version (if initial version, please note as such)

This version of the bill modifies the due date for the review and report to February 1, 2014 and sunsets the program July 1, 2017.

Prepared by Joey Ausel, Budget Manager  
 Division Administrative Services  
 Approved by Dan Easton  
 Deputy Commissioner

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 Date 6/28/2011

## FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
2011 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. SB 45 SCS(CRA)

### Analysis

This bill would extend the Alaska Coastal Management Program termination date to July 1, 2017, creates an Alaska Coastal Policy Board of which the Commissioner of Environmental Conservation is a member.

Additionally, the bill would require a review of the regulations related to DEC permitting and provide a report back to the Governor and the legislature by February 1, 2014.

Fiscal impacts are detailed below:

DEC anticipates receiving \$10.0 in I/A from the Department of Natural Resources to assist with the Commissioner's travel and staff costs associated with participating on the Alaska Coastal Policy Board. (\$5.0 personal services and \$5.0 travel) .

The fiscal note also reflects \$5.0 (personal services) in GF in FY 2012, 2013 and 2014 for costs associated with the review and report required by February 1, 2014.

## Helen Phillips

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**From:** Darrell Breese  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 9:29 AM  
**To:** Helen Phillips  
**Subject:** FW: Costal Zone Magagement

**From:** Avanti Corp. [<mailto:avanti@mtaonline.net>]

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 9:25 AM

**To:** Rep. Alan Austerman; Rep. Anna Fairclough; Rep. Bill Stoltze; Rep. Bill Thomas; Rep. Bob Lynn; Rep. Carl Gatto; Rep. Cathy Munoz; Rep. Charisse Millett; Rep. Craig Johnson; Sen. John Coghill; Rep. Kurt Olson; Rep. Kyle Johansen; Rep. Mark Neuman; Rep. Mike Chenault; Rep. Mike Hawker; Rep. Paul Seaton; Rep. Peggy Wilson; Rep. Wes Keller

**Cc:** Governor Parnell

**Subject:** Costal Zone Magagement

Good morning,

I would like you to please allow the current Costal Zone Management to expire as it is intended to do for the better of the State of Alaska and communities wanting to develop their resources. I believe all of you can develop a better plan in the future that would be fair for the citizens of the State of Alaska.

Thank-you for your time

Paul Gardner

District 16L

ACMP

## Helen Phillips

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**From:** Darrell Breese  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 7:49 AM  
**To:** Helen Phillips  
**Subject:** FW: Vote Yes To Save CZM

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**From:** Frank Kelty [<mailto:fkelly@ci.unalaska.ak.us>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 25, 2011 11:58 AM  
**Subject:** Vote Yes To Save CZM

State of Alaska Legislators:

I urge you to vote yes on Monday to continue the CZM program, my community of Unalaska/Dutch Harbor, is the nations #1 commercial port and centrally located in the heart of the North Pacific where this nations most abundant and valuable fisheries take place, 56% of this nations seafood comes from waters off the coast of Alaska. These fisheries provide the livelihood for harvesters, processors and are the economic engine for fishery dependant communities along Alaska coastline. These fisheries support a whole host of support sectors businesses statewide providing millions of dollars in revenues to communities and to the State of Alaska. To not have a voice in what happens off Alaska coastline that could impact are fisheries is unacceptable to me and my family, and should be as well to the legislators that were dooly elected to represent the residents of this state. With so much at stake, why would we want to take the risk of not having a seat at the table when development issues are being planned that could impact Alaska coastline. Once again, I urge you on Monday to vote in support of extending the CZM program it's the right thing to do for Alaska.

Frank Kelty  
Unalaska/Dutch Harbor

## Helen Phillips

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**From:** Darrell Breese  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 7:49 AM  
**To:** Helen Phillips  
**Subject:** FW: ACMP? What?

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**From:** Daniel J. [[mailto:daniel\\_jwl@yahoo.com](mailto:daniel_jwl@yahoo.com)]  
**Sent:** Monday, June 27, 2011 6:37 AM  
**To:** [daniel\\_jwl@yahoo.com](mailto:daniel_jwl@yahoo.com)  
**Subject:** ACMP? What?

We read yesterday that the legislature is planning a special session to revive coastal zone management.

Why ?

The Alaska Miners Association **OPPOSES** re-enactment of ACMP in any form.

Contact executive director Steve Borell for details.

Why are legislators ignoring AMA?

Apparently a misinformed newspaper commentary has more influence over the legislature than AMA, the Parnell administration, or Alaskan constituents.

Special session needs to be prevented. Period.

## Helen Phillips

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**From:** Darrell Breese  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 7:49 AM  
**To:** Helen Phillips  
**Subject:** FW: \*\*COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT\*\*

**Importance:** High

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**From:** Scott Stewart [<mailto:ss Stewart@arcticcontrols.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 7:37 AM  
**To:** Scott Stewart  
**Subject:** \*\*COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT\*\*  
**Importance:** High

I urge you not to revive a program which was abandoned over 2 months ago...

- The Alliance is not opposed to a coastal zone management program.
- The Alliance supported passage of HB106 and thank the House for doing their job and passing reasonable legislation during the regular session, however, we cannot support SB45 in its current form.
- With only minimal staff still with the program (I believe they're down to 5) it will be impossible for them to adequately review permits coming before them in the coming months.

This will have a devastating impact on projects in the near term (e.g. Shell).

- Delayed projects will impact jobs.
- Another unintended consequence is the delay of further development in the Coastal regions of Alaska.
- This legislation has had no public input, no testimony and no vetting.

Best Regards,



*Scott A. Stewart*

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**Helen Phillips**

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**From:** Darrell Breese  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 7:48 AM  
**To:** Helen Phillips  
**Subject:** HF Coastal management Public Input

**Please Print and deliver this to Rep. Stoltze before the House Finance Committee meeting today.**

Darrell L. Breese  
Legislative Aide to Rep. Bill Stoltze  
907-376-4958 - office

**RDC Letter:  
*Special Session Regarding ACMP Extension***

***Submitted via email***

June 27, 2011

The Alaska State Legislature  
State Capitol  
Juneau, AK 99801

RE: Special Session Regarding Alaska Coastal Management Program Extension

Dear Members of the Alaska Legislature:

As you embark on today's special session, RDC would like to express its continued support for the version of HB106 that passed unanimously out of the House of Representatives on April 15. This version of the bill had broad support among different constituencies, balanced competing needs, adhered to the Governor's four guiding principles for potential changes to the program, and most importantly, went through a robust public process.

Despite significant discussion, we have decided to not take a position on version A.5 of HB106 that has been circulated, though not publicly released, for the forthcoming special session.

RDC's membership is extremely diverse and has members on every side of this contentious issue, including oil and gas, mining, fishing, and timber companies, Alaska Native Corporations, and local governments such as the North Slope Borough.

RDC's stated policy position regarding this important issue remains that we will oppose changes to the program that shift decision making authority from the Alaska Department of Natural Resources to other entities, add process, duplicate state or federal requirements, or impede or delay progress on resource development. We urge you to keep this position in mind when considering additional changes to the version of HB106 that passed unanimously out of the House.

Thank you for your consideration of our comments.

Sincerely,  
Resource Development Council for Alaska, Inc.

## Helen Phillips

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**From:** Rep. Bill Stoltze  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 8:30 AM  
**To:** Helen Phillips  
**Subject:** FW: Letter to the Alaska House Members regarding Coastal Zone Management

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**From:** The Alliance [<mailto:info@alaskaalliance.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 8:26 AM  
**To:** Rep. Bill Stoltze  
**Subject:** Letter to the Alaska House Members regarding Coastal Zone Management



Dear House Member,

I am writing on behalf of the Alaska Support Industry Alliance with regard to SB 45, legislation to extend the life of the Coastal Zone Management program.

With the vast majority of the program's staff already gone, I am concerned about the ability of the program to function properly and review permits coming before them. Delays caused by lack of staff and program knowledge will result in delayed projects and jobs. I believe this is an unintended consequence of this legislation.

Further, I see SB 45 in its current form as a hindrance to further development in coastal regions of Alaska in the near future. It is no secret that the Alliance's mission is to promote resource development in our state, and we are not opposed to the coastal zone management program, however, we feel that the Legislature had 90 days of regular session and 30 days of special session to properly address this issue and failed to do so. The Alliance supported the passage of HB 106 and recognizes that each of you voted in favor of that legislation. We cannot, however, support the passage of SB 45 in its current form.

To pass this bill with no public input and no real consideration of the consequences to development will be devastating to projects that will need the approval of the coastal zone management board in the coming months. Without the appropriate, seasoned staff to manage the program, projects awaiting approval will be delayed and that is not something our state or our economy can afford at this time.

I urge you to vote no on SB 45 when it comes before the House.

Sincerely,

Mark Hylan, President  
Alaska Support Industry Alliance

## Helen Phillips

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**From:** Rep. Bill Stoltze  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 8:32 AM  
**To:** Helen Phillips  
**Subject:** FW: CZM Hearings and Vote

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**From:** Reed Christensen [<mailto:Reed@dowlandbach.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 8:31 AM  
**To:** Rep. Carl Gatto; Rep. Cathy Munoz; Rep. Bill Stoltze; Rep. Bill Thomas; Rep. Anna Fairclough; Rep. Bryce Edgmon; Rep. Reggie Joule; Rep. Mark Neuman; Rep. Tammie Wilson; Rep. Mia Costello; Rep. David Guttenberg; Rep. Les Gara; Rep. Mike Hawker  
**Cc:** Sen. Cathy Giessel; Sen. Bettye Davis  
**Subject:** CZM Hearings and Vote

Dear House Finance Committee:

I am sending this message to ask you to vote no on SB45 passed yesterday by the senate for the following reasons:

- The legislature, especially the “do nothing” senate should have dealt with this important issue during the normal session. Like the reasonable attempt with HB106. The senate wasted away the time during the normal session and during the first special session and continued to show their arrogance by the way they passed this bill yesterday, with no hearings at all, and then adjourned leaving no room for compromise.
- For the legislature on June 27<sup>th</sup> to now pretend this is some huge crisis is very disingenuous. It is not like we did not know when the program was set to expire, so this last second scrambling after many of the staff have left is throwing good money after bad by even holding this special session. It is a foolish, dangerous, and wasteful way to legislate producing inferior bills like SB45.
- The plea for jobs for bureaucrats in a program the legislature failed to address is very ironic when considered in the context of the number of jobs the program would prevent if passed in the current SB45 form. Delayed projects impact jobs. A permit review process or agency without appropriate staff and expertise kills jobs by their lack of ability to even physically handle the workload, let alone the technical issues needing to be considered by the same understaffed program.
- We need development of Alaska’s resources, we have no shortage of obstacles to do this and the last thing we need is yet one more unnecessary hurdle.
- The final straw is the lack of public input about a process that has such a huge public impact. Our current state senate is out of control. I would encourage a no vote as a matter of principle as a rebuttal of their arrogant, bullying style tactics they are so fond of using if they do not get what they want when they want it. Do not allow the senate to cram this down our throats.

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# 2011 HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET

DATE: 6-28-11

move HCS SB45      Amendment: \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBER	Favor	Oppose
REP. JOULE	✓	
REP. NEUMAN		✓
REP. WILSON		✓
REP. COSTELLO	✓	
REP. <del>DOUGAN</del>		
REP. EDGMON	✓	
REP. <del>FAIRCLOUGH</del> <sup>Hawker</sup>	✓	
REP. GARA	✓	
REP. <del>GUTTENBERG</del>		
REP. THOMAS	✓	
REP. STOLTZE	✓	

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