

1977-78

SENATE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

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1977-78
SSA
MINLOG

Feb 18/ 77

Convened 1:30
Senator Kerttula Chairman

Senate Bill 130 Passed
Frank Baxter testified

Senate Bill 123 Passed

Senate Bill 81
Orsini testified

Senate Bill 134
Chancey Croft testified (his bill)
Senator Ray: Wanted an amendment to change the Commissioner
of Administration as executor of the bill to the Governor.
Croft agreed. Amendment to be added.

Brad Bradley left

Commissioner Scougal testified regarding the Department of
Highways defending his position on laying off engineers. He
was confirmed with Senators Huber and Willis questioning him
closely.

MINUTES

February 22

2:45

Willis Chairman

Senate Bill 81

Ray objects to moving it out saying there was inadequate preparation

Kerttula discusses and comes up with no recommendation

Huber also had a few questions

Passed

Senate Bill 134

Senator Ray suggests Committee Substitute

Kerttula so moved

Passed embracing amendments with a committee sub.

Adjourned at 2:55

February 28 1:35 Willis Chairman

Huber and Ray absent

CSSenate Bill 27

Passed with amendmnet to change date to February 15 in
section (e)

Adjorned at 1:40

Reconvened at 1:40

Senator Kerttula moved to hold disposition of CSSB 27 till
tomorrow

Adjorned at 1:45

Mrs. Carolyn Burg present in audience representing Juneau's
rights.

March 1 1:20 Willis Chairman

Senate Bill 27

Bradley absent

TV cameras set up

Senator Ray's suggested changes:

- 1) Add the Juneau Mayor
- 2) Delete 6, insert 5 on line 25

Discussion re: Juneau Mayor by Willis, Huber, and Kerttula
Ray defends saying Juneau is an affected area Along with
Willow

S. Bradley arrives

Senator moves to add Juneau Mayor and it passes

- 3) in section (e), change February 15 to March 15
discussion and passes unanimously

Senator Huber introduces discussion on (g). He and Senator
Ray think Alyeska wants to write off some of their gear

Ray and Kerttula insert a plug against Governor saying he didn't
come up with his own information.

(h) and (i) Huber suggests international competition

Senator Bradley moves to pass out CSSB 27

Ray and Huber object

question and motion carried

Adjourned at 1:50

Mrs. Carolyn Burg was present in audience representing Juneau's
rights and verbally protested the capitol move.

March 7 1:30 Kerttula Chairman

CSHB 154 Ray absent

Al Nakak testified

SCR 15

CSHB 154

SB 164

SCHB 189

HB 95 all passed

March 8 2:30 Kerttula Chairman

Senator Ray absent
Scougal

Commissioner was present to testify on condition of Dept. of Highways, introduced Ray Shamway, State Highway Engineer

Ray said it would be helpful to have an in house attorney. Admitted that in the last 2 years there has been more of a trend for claims. There is a coorelation with the building of the pipeline. Says they hire specialists for the big cases.

Huber wanted to know if there were deductible contracts for lack of performance. He said yes the state can withhold funds. Pro DOT

Commissioner of Public Works, Don Harris, elaborated on some claims.

Mr. Bill Race and Tom Snodgrass explained claims procedure Kerttula asked them why there were more claims. There are technical specs, but open house on who does it. Policy is to verify everything on a bid from a known underbidder. Big projects take too much staff, therefore they have to be contracted out.

~~3:50~~ Adjourned

8:50 ADJOURNED

March 11 1:30 Willis chairman

Ray, Bradley, and Kerttula absent

House Bill 91

Merle Snyder testified. (He's a sponsor)

Huber wants the extension for 2 years and not 10. so we have to wait and talk to other members of the committee before passing.

Senate Bill 76

Commission of Revenue, Sterling Gallagher testified

+ SENATOR WILLIS

Huber strongly objected to it saying its too highly inflationary
Delaying till Wednesday.

Senate Bill 21 by Willis

Passed to finance

Senate Bill 232

Passed

Adjourned 2:25

March 16 Willis Chairman 1:45

Bradley and Ray absent

SJR 17 Zeigler testified

Kata access road approved for Borax Mining with objections
by conservation and fisherman

500 to 1000 people permanently employed

no state funding

Huber moves to pass out SJR 17 - no objection

Kerttula goes along with Zeigler

HB38

Kerttula moves to pass no objection

Huber says there is venomous testimony from the home front

SB 218 ~~Kerttula moves to pass~~

General concensus says to let finance supply back

Cordova wants more money

Passed

HB 91 Extends rent controls 10 years. Huber wants 1 yr. OCS needs it
Anchorage Chamber of Commerce opposed. Decide to change to one year.
Kerttula moves and it is passed to make the amendment.

Kerttula leaves

SB 53 Guard Bill

Colonel Holmson and Dick Roundtree testified

SB 60 Retirement to correct eligibility standings

Bradley arrives 1:55

Passed 53

SB 176 Hal Wolverton testified

Bradley moves to pass no objection

adjourned 2:50

March 23 Willis Chairman

Bradley and Ray absent

SB 39 Passed

SB 17 Zeigler testified

Ray appears 1:35

Kerttula moves to passed it out with individual recommendation

No objection

SCR 23 Zeigler testified saying the bill was requested by traveling organizations

Ray objects because he thinks everyone puts equal wear and tear on the ferries so they ought pay equally. The bill would make it too easy for people to declare themselves affiliated with some kind of group.

Kerttula suggests 10 people as a limit.

Recommends an amendment

Line 20 recreational groups having 10 or more members.

Ray wants to know what's a recreational group?

Willis mentions that it is space available

Huber said that reduced fare passenger would be equally eligible to get a state room which would'nt be too good.

He likes the idea of Alaskan ports.

Kerttula suggests an amendment which passes unanimously to insert on line 6 Alaskan groups

Kerttula moves to pass it out with individual recommendation.

And it passes

SB 50 utilities and states right of way

Kerttula moves to put do not pass

Bradley arrives 1:55

Huber not satisfied

Kerttula moves to hold over till next meeting.

No objection

SB 69 by Ray Ray moves to bring it before the committee

Ray testifies

Willis wanted to know what would happen if none of the above won?

Huber says 69 is same as His bill SB 24

Kerttula moves for a hearing on the bill within a reasonable period of time

Ray objects saying its vasilation

Willis wants to public opportunity to respond.

Huber is for it saying it is fair to allow a voter to note vote for any of the above

So the hearing is one week from today.

HB 188 Sam Cotton's bill and HB 184

Kerttula moves to hold bills over till next meeting

Huber moves SB 24 be brought up also.

Willis objects to holding 188 and he is overruled.

Adjourned 2:15

March 30 Willis Chairman 1:30

Ray and Bradley absent
SB 141 Kerttula moves to adopt committee substitute and it passed

SB 228 Kerttula moved to pass
SB 117 am
Ray show up L:35
Alan Adaishiak testifies, Huber objects
Passes

SB 69??224 HB 84
Mary Jo Hobs, Supervisor of elections testified on the opening and closing of the poles upholding the present 12 hour period. Lt. Governor Lowell Thomas upheld 12 hours. Thinks you could extend one hour into evening in only big areas.

Ray won't put it out
Then he is reminded it is Speaker Malone's bill.
It is then passed out on individual recommendation

Bettye Anise testified

HB 188
Lowell Thomas and B Anise testified. They both say there are enough registrars
Ray moves to strike section 1 and put out with individual recommendations
D.P with amendment

SB 69
amendment
page 2, line 4 strike new language on line 4.
page 3, line 5 strike "candidate or"

Lowell Thomas again testified saying it didn't apply to a presidential election.
Huber asks if "none of the above" is adding a qualification
Rays agrees to strike line 15 & 16 and put in the old language.
Kerttula moves to hold till next meeting. What would it do to capitol move initiative.
Ray wants to move it.
Willis objects
Recessed for caucus 2:10
Convened 2:20
SB 69 Held for research by Kerttula
SB 24 Huber moves to put at bottom of the stack. OK.
SCR 18 Kerttula moves to do pass. It does unanimously.

Adjourned 2:30

April 1, 1977

Willis Chairman 1:30

Bradley absent

SB 69 am

Huber moves to pass out with individual recommendation
Willis opposed
Kerttula suggested a committee substitute
Passed

Kerttula moved to make letter from Ken Vasser, dated March 31,
1977 to Senator Kerttula a permanent record.

MEMORANDUM

March 31, 1977

SUBJECT: The Effect of SB 69 on a Capital Move Initiative
Ballot

TO: Senator Jalmar M. Kerttula

FROM: Kenneth E. Vassar
Staff Attorney

You have requested a determination of the effect that SB 69 would have on a capital move initiative ballot. In my opinion there should be no effect whatsoever.

AS 15.15.030(8), as it would be amended by SB 69, would provide a "none of the above" choice for voters whenever a proposition involved a choice other than "for" or "against". So, for example, in last year's site selection initiative, where the voters' choices were among three locales for the new capital, this bill would have had an effect by giving the voters a fourth, "none of the above" choice. However, the next capital move initiative should again be in the form of "for" or "against", and the section does not affect such ballots. The same comment would apply to SB 24.

I hope this answers your question satisfactorily; if you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to call on me.

KEV:hjd

April 6, 1977 Willis Chairman 1:40

Bradley and Ray absent

CSHB 180

Rep. Cowper testified
Kerttula objects
Huber moves do pass
Kerttula moves individual recommendation
Passed

HB254

Ray arrives
Rep Cowper testifies
Bradley arrives
Huber in favor
Ray objects to section d
Kerttula moves individual recommendation

SB 50

Ted Burns, an attorney from Anchorage present to answer questions
Kerttula moved to pass with individual recommendation
Passed

HB93

Rep Miles testified
Discussion between Huber, Kerttula, Ray, and Bradley
Ray objects saying he's worried about single men's districts.
Kerttula moves to hold and think and leave it open to recall

SCR46

Ray moved to pass with individual recommendation
Unanimous

SB269 Huber testifies

Ray objects
Kerttula supports using second term. Wants to put it in for one man and move it to commerce to plug up the loophole.
Bradley is to put in the amendment and Kerttula moves to take the bill up at the next meeting

Adjourned 2:15

April 12, 1977

Willis Chairman 1:30

Bradley absent

CSHB 233

Kerttula testified

Ray doesn't want Office of the Governor

Clark Gruening testifies

Ray moves to amend to read Dept of Natural Resources
and not Office of the Governor

It passed

Ray wants to eliminate interim committee.

Ray moves to send letter to League of Women Voters

commending them for their help Joy Johnson representing

Kerttula moves to pass with individual recommendation

Passes unanimously

CSHB234

Kerttula moves to pass with individual recommendation.

Ray suggests an amendment to change \$50,000 to \$20,000

Passed

Ray suggests to change Office of the Governor to Natural
Resources as per 233

Passed

SBJR20

Kerttula testified

Ray moved to pass with individual recommendation

Unanimous

SB 269

Waiting till Senator Bradley brings in the amendment.

SB222

Ray objects should include designee of the voter if
he is totally disabled,

Kerttula moves to hold

No objection

Adjourned 1:50

April 15, 1977

Kerttula Chairman

Ray, Bradley absent

Senate Bill 107
Passed

Senate Bill 270
Passed

CSSB 214
Passed

CSSB 269
Passed
SCR 22
Passed

CSHB 67am
Passed

HCR 22
Passed

HCR 30
Passed

April 19, 1977

Kerttula Chairman

1:30

Ray and Bradley absent

Senate Bill 295

Kerttula moved individual recommendation

Passed

^{KB}
CSHB 264

John Sund and Phil Daniels testified

Seante passed CS to CSHB 264

April 20, 1977

Willis Chairman

1:30

Bradley and Ray absent

Commissioner Allen's confirmation

Bradley arrives (Senator)

Senator Kerttula questions Allen closely

Previous salary? \$40,000

Accountant? No

Asked why he made inflammatory statements about University?

Huber takes over questioning

Why overriding actions of changing deduction in legislators salary? Allen made an administrative decision when he's only a bookkeeper

Huber wants to set up conference to discuss Mert Charney vs. Allen

Bradley gives a small sermon.

Willis has a few comments.

All the senator are giving him a hard time.

They leave and the Representatives who were in a late session arrive and take over. They are almost insultingly opposite. They want to know what they can do to help. Especially Bradley who asks how they can help and Miles who says in essence he's behind him all the way.

Meeting ajourns about 3:30

(3:00 AK)

Ken Spray - Guy Stringham present

April 26, 1977

Kerttula Chairman

1:30

Ray and Bradley absent

HB 2

Oral Freeman testified. Questioned the use of timber land in SE for homesites, saying it could be used as an excuse not to have them. (Because of timber being a resource)

Huber wants the homesites not to exceed 5 acres instead of 2 1/2. He also wanted to know if 25,000 acres is a random figure. He thinks we should start with 100,000 instead.

Willis likes the concept. Would like a guarantee that the same mistakes would not be made on the state land as they were with the feds. Allow the state to tailor the lots to the needs. Oral agrees.

Huber is to draft an amendment saying that 2 1/2 acres is the minimum and 5 is the maximum.

Pat Contedy testified on behalf of Administration, Dept of Natural Resources. He says the purpose of the bill should be to provide land for people who don't have any yet. Huber strongly objects, saying that would be making it a welfare bill.

Kerttula wants to know the administrations view on lands that are valuable for homesteading. Wants a list of eligibility requirements sent to him as put forth by Department of Natural Resources

Willis wants written in the concept that the government would take into consideration drainage when dividing up the acreage.

April 27, 1977

Willis Chairman

1:30

HB 171

Mike Miller testifies for his bill, saying it is successful in other states, saves energy, helps litter problem, reuses metal

SB 296

Senator Colletta testified on this, his bill, saying we should have an anitilitter act instead of isolating just bottles.

Jean Comer testified in favor of Oregon, HB 171

Ronald Murphy US. Brewers Association testified against the HB 171 saying the beverage industry would end up paying for the removal of all litter. Says we ought to have more receptacles and better service.

2:30 recess

Commissioner Mueller is in favor of an anti litter bill (I think he means bottle bill) He feels there will be a national bottle bill, so we should move ahead of nongress to protect ourselves.

Ray points out that we have a lot of military beer that would be under the state's jurisdidction.

Ray leaves at 3:00 for budget meeting.

Earl Tower, Director of Litter control, Washington testified in favor of Colletta's bill with a 10 minute visual presentation

Jane Cease from Oregon testified in favor of HB 171

Tom Cox Pepsi cola testified in favor of SB 296

Cub Scouts brought in their garbarge from a 100 ft sq. of Glacier parking lot with Sharon Lobaugh.

Recess 5:00 to convene at 7:00

Chris Foster AKPIRG

Bill Whiley, retailer, FBRS

Carl Smith recycling coordinator, Alaska Center for Environment

Tom Satre, Sitka, soft drink distribution

Mrs. Vivian Lovoss

Mr. Bunn Anderson, Alaska Beverage Co.

Virginai del Piazz, AK. Conservation Society

Robert Winslow, Odom, Anchorage Cold Storage

May 2, 1977

Kerttula Chairman 2:00

Bradley absent

SB 326 Medical Malpractice

Dr. Beale and Clark King, Alaska Medical Society testify against

Kerttula wants to know if the state will save money by not having insurance.

Ray against having more people on the board

Carolyn Burg testifies

Ray has a problem with the figure of 2 years for discovery time

Dr. Beale says discovery of malpractice is usually (90%) started within 18 months. Although radiation takes much longer.

Kerttula wants to know if we could give the responsibility to someone else for the unusual cases.

Dr. Beale says 96% of lawsuits are settled out of court in favor of the doctor

Kerttula wants to hear from author of the bill (Colletta)

May 4, 1977

Kerttula Chairman

HB 10 Commissioner Burton testified
Ray moved adoption of original bill with amendment
Individual recommendation

CSHJR 32 Robert Welp, Director of Telecommunications
Out with individual recommendations

HB 295 Rep. Brown Out individual recommendation

HCR 27 Comm. Gallagher Out individual recommendation

SB 338 Comm. Gallagher Out indiv. rec.

HCR 10 Out Individ. rec. Comm. Gallagher

HB 371 S. Smith Out indiv rec.

HCR 38 S. Smith Representative Individ. rec.

HB 440 Representative S. Smith Individ. rec.

HB 226 Keith Specking Individ. rec.

May 11, 1977

Willis Chairman

2:15

Bradley absent

CSHB 147 Ted Burns testified

Kerttula moves to pass out with indiv rec

Kerttula withdraws his motion after Ray and Huber say they have problems with the bill.

Ray: Problem with having a building project 2 miles away from a village

Huber: Absolute prohibition of state to build within municipality

Burns: There a provision that waives that

Huber will study the bill and come to the next meeting with a recommendation.

CR 66 Rep Miller testified

Ray moves to P.O. with indiv rec

HB 181 Ray: like the bill

Kerttula moves to p.o. with indiv rec

CSHCR 57

Kerttula moves to p.o. with indiv rec

SB 100 hold till next meeting

Sections 5 & 6 don't include dept of transportation

HB 357 next meeting

CSSB 10

p.o. with indiv rec conditional on Ray's linking the amendment

Bottle bill

Rep Miller on hand to testify

Kerttula moves to hold 24 hours

Ray: wants some sort of amendment to eliminate the individual dealer from responsibility for the pilot program (which is to be set up by the State). Also he doesn't want to sort through his own garbage

Huber: There 's no provision in the bill to get the deposit back to the redemption center.

Rep Miller is to study the bill and see if he can come up with something for the next meeting.

Adjourned at 2:55

May 16, 1977

Willis Chairman

No one absent

Bottle Bill discussion

Ray: Doesn't give jobs

Assists in litter contron, but doesn't accomplish it

Is not a real energy saver

Wants State to make a little money on the deal.

Huber: Likes what Ray did (about making the State responsible),
but doesn't see a fiscally sound bill for a way to
set it up.

Bradley: Wants it to include the bush.

Ray: Move to hold till Friday so Huber can look the bill over
some more and perhaps come up with another substitute or
amendment. Offers to help Huber

Representative Miller mentions that it goes to Finance still.

The motion carries and the meeting is adjourned.

May 19, 1977

Kerttula Chairman

Senators Ray and Bradley absent

SB 326 move out indiv rec

SB 342 Virginia Del Piaz testified
Moved out with indiv rec

SB 343 indiv rec

HB 47 indiv rec

SB 364 indiv rec

HCR 56 am without rec

SB 102 indiv rec

HB 48am indiv rec

SB 361 indiv rec as amended

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Ann K. Kelly



January 25, 1978 1:30 Kerttula chairman

SB 408

Scougal and Vern Metcalf testify

SB 387

Ben Bendickson from Trucking Assoc. in favor of maney for
repairs

2:10 Senator Bradley arrives

adjourned 3:14

February 3, 1978 1:30 Kerttula chairman Huber & Bradley absent

SB 404

Marilyn Miller testifies

SB 406

Cheri Shelly testifies

SB 405

Frank Flavin in favor

Janet Bradley in favor

Ken Spray in favor

Jack Chenowith in favor

SB 403

Cheri Shelly in favor

2:15 adjourned

February 16, 1978 Senate State Affairs

Senators Huber and Ray absent.

SB 471

Bob Stickle of Department of Public Safety suggests a substitute.
Mr. Trig Herman is also present from Public Safety.

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

1/18/78

FURTHER: _____

Date: FEB 14 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SCR 71
composition of boards and commissions

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
 recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
 recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
 reports it back without recommendation
 and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Ed Hill No Rec
Frank B. Hall No Rec

Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: FINANCE

1/11/78

Date: FEB 12 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SR 401

"An Act making supplemental appropriations to the Department of Public Safety

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass

recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)

recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note

reports it back without recommendation

and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

[Handwritten signatures]

[Handwritten notes]

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

1/13/78

FURTHER: FINANCE

Date: FEB 16 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 409
special appropriation to Dept. of Natural Resources/feasibility study of
proposed Tokositna Lodge & Visitor Center

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee
reports it back as follows)

recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass

recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)

recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note

reports it back without recommendation

and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

E. J. Miller

Burt Bradley

No pass

No Pass

Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

1/17/79

FURTHER: FINANCE

Date: FEB 11 1979

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 425

special appropriation with respect to utilities transmission line at Mile 18.1 of the Seward Highway

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

W. W. Ellis

Edward Bralley

no pass

no pass

Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: _____

Date: 5-15-1970

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 450
declarations of candidacy by candidates for statewide office

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Ed Willis

Gene Bradley

No Pass

No Pass

Chairman

February 22, 1978

Willis Chairman

Capital Site Planning Commission meeting
Chuck Belke takes over and gives a run down of what they
have come up with - dates & numbers.

Mr Spear of American Cities Incorporation is the principle
architect of the financial plan for the capital move and
reconstruction.

2 Part Plan

1. Arithmetic of the City
2. The move and indemnification

The figures are preliminary, because the plan is not concrete.
The plan is not a prediction or guarantee only a common
meeting ground.

Arithmetic

1. Utilities
2. Education
3. Munciple services
4. Land Development

Variables

1. Stable economy
2. That it does move
3. Escalation
predictability
4. Places to stay
5. Sticking to the
schedule.

The total cost is not terribly useful. The city must be
marketed, because people don't have to live there.

Questions

Bill Ray asks why did Hoppenfeld say it should be a feasible
move?

Bob Bradley What are your qualifications?

Answer: General Manager for Columbia, Maryland.

Question: What potential for financial investment?

Answer: More consultation needed. The financial plan is
that the bond would float the education and government
complexes.

Bill Ray says he is trying to keep the public informed..
There are other bonds to consider also.

Russ Meekins questions about interest which hasn't
been figured into the 1994 figure. Value of the land that
the state owns which is everything increases. That is not
figured in. The loans that the state would make to the
CDC to develop lands for city (\$153 Million) is not figured
in. Can there be some control over spending.

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February 22, 1978

Ray, Willis, Bradley, Lethin wonder if there is going to be integrated housing.

Ray asks about the airport. How efficient is it going to be to transfer at the Anchorage International Airport. Where is the Federal money going to come from?

Hoppenfeld says that State money will build the roads.

S. Ray Subsidizing people housing for the move is discrimination against the rest of Alaskans making them pay for something they get no benefit from. What industry will come into Juneau so people can buy the homes bought through indemnification.

~~Adjourned~~ Recessed 3:20

March 1, 1978 9:30

Senator Kerttula Chairing

Senator Ray absent

SB 418 passed

SB 493 passed with an amendment sponsored by Senator Huber

Adjourned at 9:45

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

2/14/78

FURTHER: FINANCE

Date: March 1, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 493
Alaska longevity bonus

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass
- () recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- () recommends it be replaced with CS for _____
- and _____ () new title () same title
- () AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note
- () reports it back without recommendation
- () and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

[Signature]
[Signature]
Brad Bradley
John [Signature]

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

1/17/78

FURTHER: Finance

Date: 1/17/78

Mr. President:

The Committee on State Affairs has had S3 418

Alaska longevity bonus

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

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- () recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- () recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ () new title () same title

() AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note

reports it back without recommendation

() and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Special Bradley as amended

John Huber

March 9, 1978 1:30 Willis, Chairman
Senator Bradley absent

SCR 81 passed

HB 303 DP CS

Kerttula moves the CS is adopted.

Lisa Rudd testifies. Senator Bradley arrives before Rep. Rudd
begins to testify

Senator Ray: Why is the attorney general's office chosen to have
and ex officio member.

Rep. Rudd: For legal advise

Senator Ray: Why not a lawyer from the private sector

Senator Huber concurs with Senator Ray

Rep Rudd: Ex officio means non voting so it doesn't really matter

Huber moves to accept CS

No objection

pg. 2, ln 20 strike HB 795 correct to read the appropriate
session law

no objection

Janet Bradley testifies and says basically that the Human Rights
Commission and the Commission on the Status of Women compliment
each other.

ln 18, insert "at least" one as a redraft and not an amendment

SB 38

Chancey Croft testifies

passed

adjourned at 2:30

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: _____

2/14/78

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SCR 81
youth in Government program

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

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MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

Joby Huber
~~_____~~
Bill Ray
Ed Wylie
Brad Gralley

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

DO PASS
Do pass
Do PASS
Do pass
Wd Pass

J. K. D...
 Chairman

2/22/78

FURTHER: NONE

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 38
driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

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- recommends it be replaced with CS for SB 38

and _____ new title same title

AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note

reports it back ^{with individual} ~~without~~ recommendations

and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

John Stuber

Ed Willis if amended

Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

1/25/78

FURTHER: FINANCE

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had CSHB 303 (Fin) am
creating the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women

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MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

Ed Willis
John Bradley
John H. ...

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Do pass CS
Do pass C.S.
No Rec.
DO PASS CS

Ed Willis

Chairman

March 14, 1978

8:45

Kerttula, Chairman

Senator Bradley absent

SSSB 371

Commissioner Harris testifies: He is not in favor of the bill. Says that it would provide more continuity, but would not take the system out of politics. Present system more direct to the Governor.

Ray offers amendment: Commissioner of Transportation and public facilities or his designee,

?Kerttula: Is there anything saying you can or can not hire lobby or attorney, etc. No.

Senator Kerttula requests a sectional analysis

Mr. Bill Hudson, Director, says public input is necessary

Huber offers another amendment:

Senator Ray offers another amendment: Dispose of its own appropriations

Meeting adjourned at 9:30

March 16, 1978 Willis Chairing 1:40

Senators Kerttula & Ray absent

SB 475

Senator Rodey testifies that it will cut down on dust and air pollution in summer.

Senator Huber moves to pass with indiv rec.

SB 433

Senator Rodey wants to defer action on it till next week when he has some amendments.

SB 424

Ms. Lois Richardson, Administrative officer of Dept. of Military Affairs testifies. Huber moves indiv rec.

SB 396

Passed

Recess

Reconvened with Kerttula present

Recess at 2:05 until 9:00 AM Meland's room.

Vern Metcalfe states that we will lose federal funding if SB 371 doesn't pass.

March 20, 1978

Joint State Affairs Meeting

7:10 PM

Senator Willis, Chairman
Members present

Representative Miles
Representative McKinnon
Representative Kelly
Representative Nakak
Representative Bradley
Senator Huber
Senator Bradley

Commission members

Chuck Belke
Morton Hoppenfeld
Arlis Sturguluwski
George Morrison
Lee Kaufman
Lee McInerny
Bill Corbus

Morton Hoppenfeld made the general presentation. His outline is included with this summary.

Representative Nakak: What were the outer figures for getting water in the new city:

Morton: 2 million - 20 million

Senator Huber: On transportation. Did you ask the people who want the capital move if they wanted a public transportation system as opposed to private:

Morton: With the plan the way it is, you can use either mode.

Senator: Is the quality of air able to handle private vehicles?

Arliss S.: There isn't enough data, but the quality would be better than in Anchorage.

Senator Huber: When someone comes to visit you, will they be able to park in the street. Will there a place to park in town?

Morton: The plan does not require that you use the bus.

Chuck Belke: You can drive to within 1,500 feet of the capitol building.

Representative Bradley: Senator Huber's question will come up again. Were the people polled? 69 people have made all the decisions as agents of the people.

Senator Huber: We ought to be able to poll them for every question.

Morton Hoppenfeld continues to explain the publications that were sent to members of the State Affairs Committee.

Representative Dankworth: Is the 75% overbuilding for expansion going to be immediate?

Morton: No, gradual.

Representative Dankworth: Is each section filled up before land is opened.

Morton: Each section is almost filled up.

Representative Dankworth: Is there any income coming from the land not being used?

Morton: It's just there.

Senator Huber: What if you want to live where it's not open yet?

Arliss S.: 80% will want to live in town, because of the facilities. 20% will want to live somewhere else.

Morton: There are many different types of housing.

8:20 Recess

8:32 Convened

Morton Hoppenfeld continues his explanation.

Senator Huber:will the city need special legislation for taxes?

Morton: No.

Senator Huber raises questions regarding the charts the commission has prepared. The charts would be necessary to understand the questions. He did ask if they looked upon the government as an industry and they said they did.

Representative Dankworth: Did you consult HFC?

Morton: Yes.

Senator Huber: We are "imposing" a new economy on someplace that doesn't exist right now. It takes away from some place that does exist.

Representative Kelly: Is the city based mostly on government?

Morton: Yes...no other basic industry

Representative Kelly: When do you market the city industrially?

Morton: Before it's built.

General discussion

Representative Kelly: Are there figures on a split move?

Morton: There are some assumed figures.

Arliss S.: We are asking for an appropriation for a feasible study on a split move and a no move.

Representative Kelly: Can you build the capital cheaper?

Morton: Yes, there are many different ways, for example: develop more quickly, change the plans, reduce the size.....

Senator Huber: Where does the new capital city sit between tents and trailers and alabaster?

Chuck Belke: Not a posh city.

Meeting adjourned 9:45

Presentation Outline

How to Evaluate the Plan

March 14, 1978

The Detailed Development Plan is not just a plan for a new city but a plan to:

- (1) relocate the seat of government from Juneau to the new site near Willow.
- (2) improve the quality of governmental services to the state.
- (3) accommodate the growth of central state positions in the new city from today's 3,200 to 1994's 8,600.
- (4) build a good Alaskan city.
- (5) identify the costs and a plan to pay for them.
- (6) identify the effects of relocation on Juneau and try to reduce the negative ones.
- (7) propose the best ways to accomplish the development of the city.
- (8) propose how the city should be governed.
- (9) respond to certain other detailed conditions regarding site, construction, etc.

The plan is complex. It is a decision making tool. It is a way of achieving objectives. It is based on many assumptions and value judgments. It is integrated but can be changed. These issues should be discussed:

1. The quality of the proposed city.

--Does the government center work?

--Does the city serve the government activity?

--Will it be a good place to live?

-Impact on the Environment

2. Understanding that the plan is for the relocation of the seat of government and for accommodating 16 years of growth in government positions; 3,200 central positions today--8,600 by 1994.

--Need growth costs be authorized now?

--Is 6% growth rate right?

3. Understanding costs and financing.

--Total costs--state--other--private=65%.

--Cost of move vs cost of growth.

--Cost of growth regardless of location.

--Cost of facilities--General Obligation Bonds.

-State office space--schools--other.

--General Fund allocations.

--Role of inflation 8% \$1=\$3.67.

--Can state afford--is it feasible?

--Can costs be reduced--by what process?

--Effect of the initiative on development
process.

4. Are there benefits that go with costs?

--Financial--returns on investment 1994--at
full development.

--Social values--good example to accommodate
growth.

5. Role of government in the state's economy.

--State activities support economy--growth
in region.

--Juneau, Mat-Su.

--Split move.

--No move.

6. Need for a special development process--new entity
(CDC) public-private ownership.

--Time is money--permits--construction management.

--Alternatives.

7. Effects on Juneau.

--Changes.

--Costs to families--city--state.

8. Role of other state and federal agencies.

ASHA--AHFC--Municipal Bond Bank--DOT--Grants.

9. Plan variables--what can be changed--what are cost or other implications?

10. Learning from the planning process--achieving state objectives. How to achieve the learning dialogue?

11. Special Appropriations.

Senate State Affairs Willis chairman 2:40 March 21, 1978

All members are present.

SB 371

Senator Ray approved of the amendments, but thinks the bill is a stalling measure. It passed with indiv. rec. which included a letter of explanation to finance.

SB 530

Mr. Morton Hoppenfeld testifies

Senator Ray wants to know if the appropriation is needed now. Would it be feasible to wait until after the election to spend the money so we don't have to loose so much if the capital doesn't move.

Mr. Hoppenfeld: The appropriation is only for data collection

Senator Ray: Why is it called an enviornmental statement? Could the wording be changed to read data collection?

Mr. Hoppenfeld: That would probably be a good idea.

Recess to procure chairs

Senator Huber: Is there a reasonable chance we won't be able to use the Willow site or are we being asked to spend \$4,000,000 to follow some words.

Mr. Hoppenfeld: It doesn't appear that the site is below standards at all.

Senator Ray: Was the land Native Land Claim land?

No, state land on tentative approval

Senator Kerttula: Has any data been collected yet?

Mr. Hoppenfeld: No, just soil samples.

Senator Ray: Why wasn't the site checked environmentally to make sure the site is feasible?

Mr. Hoppenfeld: We did what was mandated in legislation.

Senator Ray: lines 13 - 17 change 928,000 to 4,000,000. Let the facts be known.

Senators Ray & Kerttula think it is a good idea to put it all in the bill.

Senator Huber points out that it is going to be a financial headache to mix 78 funds with 79 funds.

Mayor of Juneau, Bill Overstreet requests that impact studies be done by other consultants who are not so closely involved with the move.....consultants who are not chosen by the capital site planning commission.

Mrs. Berg testifies.

hearing closed 4:05

Senator Kerttula suggests amendments as attached to 530.

Willis is the only one to object.

Meeting adjourned.

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

1/13/78

FURTHER: FINANCE

Date: 1/13/78

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SSSB 371
creating the Alaska Marine Highway Authority

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Richard L. Smith

Bill King

Bob Jones

W. H. ...

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

No PASS ~~IF~~ AMENDED

Do NOT PASS (AMENDED)

Chairman

March 22, 1978 1:35 Willis, chairman

Legislative members present

Dankworth
Miles
Kelly
Willis, chairman
Bradley, Bob
Nakak
Gardiner
Lethin

Mr. Tom Westoff from Dean Whitier testified on financial aspects.

He wasn't sure what our bonding capacity would be in 1994

Representative Dankworth: Would the total amount of bonds come to 989,000,000 in 1994. Is that based on current wealth.

Mr. Westoff: If we were still wealthy as a state, there would be a broader market.

R. Dankworth: How do you come to the population figure?

Mr. Westoff: used the best figures available and have to believe in them.

Rep. Lethin: Did you just use the University's prediction?

Mr. Westoff: Yes.

Rep. Gardiner: There were projections made for Permanent Fund of the discovery of another oil field, but that wealth would only delay the inevitable. How about marketability with the percapita debt \$3,500, double any other state. New Yorks per capita is \$2,000 and they are bankrupt. What does it do to us to go from \$1,600 to \$3,500?

Mr. Westoff: Nothing, if we stay at 8%.

Rep. Miles: How did you arrive at 8%?

Mr. Westoff: Subjective determination --- 7% - 9%

Rep. Bradley: Would it prudent to project the state's needs for the next 10 years?

Mr. Westoff: Yes, but it would be impossible; it would turn into a wish list. There is no comparison anywhere.

Rep. Bradley: How could we reduce our debt service?

Mr. Westoff: Different ways, pay as you go --cash for instance.

Gardiner: If the municipality doubles the amount of bonds (for the move) would it affect the state's ability to bond?

Mr. Westoff: Not really.

Rep. Gardiner: ~~Can/We~~ Is it possible to saturate the market with Alaska bonds?

Mr. Westoff: Yes, you can. There is a total amount you can reach. Some people will not buy Alaska bonds or only a percentage. There is a limit, ie. Valdez with over a billion worth of bonds reached their limit.

Rep Gardiner leaves.

Mr. Hoppenfeld states that it is possible to plan for every thing.

Recess 3:00 - 3:10

Members present

Willis, Bradley, Meekins, Lethin, Kelly

White & Weld & Assoc. Mr. Ted Switch & Sam Palia testify.

They differ in the 8% figure, saying that it being overly prudent. Alaska's unique position is recognized by financiers. They advised to put total cost in one lump sum and get the vote of confidence (so to speak) from the people. It will help creditability in the marketplace.

Rep Meekins: What happens in the 90's after Prudoe in regards to our bonding capabilities? We'll loose federal funds and have a very big added expense making them up.

Meeting adjourned at 3:50

March 23, 1978 Willis chairman 9:00 AM

Members present

Willis
Bradley
Ray
Kerttula
Huber

SB 413 passed

Capital Move Testimony

Mr. Rivkin of Rivkin & Assoc. testifying today on Juneau Impact.

They found Juneau to have large number of high income families and housing. Also, they found that government is Juneau's main industry. He spoke of a phased move which involved several factors: 1. Juneau will get bigger before it gets smaller by 4,000 even if the capital is voted to move. 2. There will be a major decline: 60% drop in employment the population will drop to around 16,000 income will decline the municipality will find it hard to make ends meet many complicated social ramifications vacant buildings subject to state custodianship. There are three "industries" Juneau could look forward to having move in: federal expansion (although, not very substantial), tourism would increase a little bit, fishing could be played up (perhaps bringing in 30 - 40 more people.

The impact of the move could be softened if some alternatives were used such as: leaving a large portion of the government in Juneau; and leaving the capital entirely in Juneau which would result in the population doubling in size in the same amount of time.

Senator Ray: Why do you say Juneau is going to grow another 4,000. Where did you get that figure?

Mr. Rivkin: 74 - 76 state employment rose by 2,437.

Senator Ray: What happened to building in Juneau after the capital move was voted on (before indemnification).

No building happened at all.

Senator Ray: What do you mean by influx of fishermen?

Mr. Rivkin: 20 - 30 new employees.

Senator Ray: You could start a retail store and employ more. Have you ever fished?! Explain what you mean by an increase in tourism.

Mr. Rivkin: More tour boats.

Senator Ray: They're just visitors they don't spend any money.

Mr. Rivkin: There's Eagle Crest.

Senator Ray: Juneau is paying for that, the state didn't think it worthwhile. Why don't you say we need brain surgeons or nuclear physicists?!

Senator Kerttula: If it doesn't move, how about moving just some of the departments?

Mr. Rivkin: Year after year positions are being moved.

Senator Huber: 59% of the government is in Anchorage already. We are already split. The other departments have been moved through the back door.

Mr. Rivkin: A split move would require a close look at Anchorage.

Senator Huber: In your growth assumption did you take in to account demand to streamline bureaucracy and the demand to serve more people with what you have?

Mr. Rivkin: I have no way of knowing who could be cut back.

Senator Huber: Do you think people would approve of bonds for Juneau?

Mr. Rivkin: They need to. There's room for maybe 300 - 400 more state employees in the existing facilities.

Senator Huber comments that his constituents don't want more expansion. They think he has it plush and that sessions are too long. Your figures are highly questionable.

Senator Ray: Are Hohman & McDowal experts in Juneau? Did they criticize your report?

Mr. Rivkin: They cut back on fish predictions. Didn't agree on tourism either.

Senator Ray: Did you make a public statement saying if you were an Alaskan, you would move the capital? Say yes or no.

Mr. Rivkin: It was taken out of context.

Senators Ray and Kerttula leave.

Mr. Hoppenfeld reads Mr. Rivkin's qualifications

Senator Willis: With the split move concept would all the central positions have to move?

Mr. Rivkin: No.

Adjourned 10:00 AM

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

1/13/78

FURTHER: RESOURCES

FINANCE

Date: March 23 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 413
special appropriation to Dept. of Natural Resources, Agriculture

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

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OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

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DO PASS

NO REC

DO PASS

March 23, 1978 Willis Chairman 1:35

Members present

Senator Huber
Rep. McKinnon
Rep. Kelly
Rep. Dankworth
Rep. Rudd
Rep. Gardiner
Rep. Miles

Mr. Hoppenfeld introduces Herb Berkowitz who gives an overview of the legislation: The CDC would have more power than the state government because it can authorize state loans and can override municipal decisions. The CDC determines make up of municipality and how it will change over to regular inhabitants. The concept of the CDC is that will go from the beginning to the end of the development of the city. This will cause some overlaps in the governing procedure. It will be very sticky. There will be a sunset clause which insures the dissolution of the CDC after a period of time.

Mr. Billy Barrier was present also and was asked to give a review of the memo which is attached. Raised the question of the constitutionality of the indemnifying Juneau and not Wasilla

Rep. Miles leaves.

Senator Huber: Do you consider the constitution of Alaska permissive or restrictive?

Mr. Berkowitz: A major constraint for legislation of this kind.

Senator Huber: When the Alaska Constitution is silent on an issue in this bill, do you consider it as being permissive?

Mr. Berkowitz: For this kind of legislation we have to put 95% of the flesh on the bones of the provision.

Rep. McKinnon: What precedent would repeal a municipal bill?

Mr. Berkowitz: There would be a very definite conflict of interests here.

Rep. Rudd: I believe the enabling legislation is still on the books. (It is, the city in question failed however)

Rep. McKinnon: What is the nature of that legislation?

Mr. Barrier: It assumes that the development entity will phase out gradually. It will still be around after the city's government has been fully functioning.

Rep. Rudd: Why was the figure 37,500 pop. used for phase out?

Mr. Hoppnefeld: To follow the mandante of the commission.

Rep. Rudd: How long till that figure is reached?

Mr. Hoppenfeld: By 1994.

The meeting is adjourned until tomorrow. 3:00PM

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LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AGENCY

MEMORANDUM

March 23, 1978

SUBJECT: Progress in redrafting SB 519

TO: Senate Rules Committee

FROM: Billy G. Berrier, Director
Division of Legal Services *BGB*

I have assigned Ken Vassar to the redraft of SB 519. He has been working on this bill virtually full time. By this stage of a session each of the attorneys in the division have matters they have worked on extensively and can therefore answer questions much more expeditiously than someone else. We have attempted to keep Ken's involvement in other matters to the minimum possible. I have spent considerable time on the bill; possibly one quarter to one half of my time. Other members of the division have been involved slightly on particular questions.

Ken's progress report follows.

You have requested a report on our progress in redrafting SB 519. To begin with, the two major areas of effort have been in reorganizing the structure of the bill and replacing poor language and in addressing the many constitutional questions the bill presents. The reorganization and rewording is time-consuming but manageable. The constitutional questions are briefly as follows (not necessarily in order of importance):

- (1) Municipal powers. The bill creates a corporation within the Department of Commerce and Economic Development and grants to the corporation powers which are normally considered municipal. The question is whether this violates Article X, section 2, of the state constitution.

- (2) One subject rule and appropriations. The bill includes an authorization for the issuance of general obligation bonds. Does this violate the one subject rule of Article II, section 13? Is the appropriation of the money received by the state from the sale of the bonds improperly included in the bill in violation of the same section of the constitution which restricts appropriations to appropriation bills?
- (3) Equal protection. Does the provision for loans from the Alaska Housing Finance Corporation to residents of the new capital city violate the equal protection clause of Article I, section 1, by creating a special class of borrowers and discriminating against all other borrowers in the state? A similar question is presented by the provision for a special account in the Municipal Bond Bank to secure bonds of the capital city.
- (4) Local legislation. Various provisions in the bill, including those mentioned in (3) above, might be considered local legislation in violation of Article II, section 19.
- (5) Dual office holding. The bill requires the New Capital Site Planning Commission to act as the board of directors of the corporation until the governor makes his appointments. Does the inclusion of two state legislators as ex officio, non-voting members of the capital planning commission, and thus as temporary members of the board of directors of the corporation, violate the prohibition against dual office holding in Article II, section 5? If not, is there a separation of powers problem notwithstanding?
- (6) Disposition of property. The corporation appears to have been given virtually limitless power to dispose of state property. Article IX, section 6, requires a public purpose. Is there one? If so, is this still an unconstitutional delegation of legislative power?

These questions, as well as any others which may come to our attention, will have to be answered. I have been working full-time for quite some time now on this effort, and believe I will be able to provide you with a finished product some time at the end of next week.

If I can be of any assistance in the meantime, please let me know.

BGB/KEV:hjd

March 24, 1978 Willis Chairman 1:30

Members present

Senator Willis
Senator Huber
Representative Bradley
Rep. Kelly
Rep. Dankworth
Rep. Miles
Rep. McKinnon
Rep. Lethin
Rep. Rudd

Mr. Bill Barrier present also.

Mayor Overstreet: CDC allows to self government in Willow. Efficiency is not a good reason. We are not felones. Let democracy prevail.

Rep. Miles: What rights are Willowites going to loose?

Overstreet: Among other things they are not incharge of their own planning & zoning.

Rep. Miles: Government is for an on-going structur, not necessary for community that is being built.

Overstreet: Don't take away the right of self government.

Rep. Kelly: Why not split move - would really help Juneau.

Overstreet: Commission came up with split move when they found it cost too much.

Rep. Kelly: All central positions in one place not good. He's for scaling down size of the city.

Senator Huber: CDC ought to absolve right after all the private land is sold and the planning is done. There ought to be more provision for local control.

Recess

Rep. Dankworth: Favors a specific time for dissolving of CDC.

Senator Huber: There is nothing in initiative about a split move.

The remainder of the meeting was occupied with going over the bill section by section with Bill Barrier and Mr. Berkowitz.

The meeting adjourned at 3:40.

March 27, 1978 Willis & Bradley Chairing 2:00

Members Present

Kerttula
Kelly
Lethin
Nakak
Miles
Dankworth

Public Testimony on capital move bills 553 554 HB587

Mrs. Berg of Juneau Senator Kerttula requested an attorney look over Mrs. Berg's claim. No objection.

Lee Stringer of Juneau: He brings up several points: 1. Money is raised from selling lots to employees of the State. Why haven't they been asked to participate in planning? 2. He doesn't approve of all central positions in one place. 3. Why doesn't the Mat-Su Borough float some bonds or help finance in some way, because they will be reaping all the benefit.

Rep Miles says that 50% of the people on CDC are state employees.

Lee Stringer is disappointed that the planning is costing so much as it was to be kept at a low impact level for the tax payer.

Rep Kelly mentions that the mandate says least amount of impact to Juneau residents, not tax payers.

Mr. Trevor Davis testifies. He and his father contributed money to buy land for the capital. There is room to grow to 100,000,000 in Juneau. This is the third time we've been attacked.

John Hartland of Fairbanks testifies regarding Mr. Westhoff of Dean Whittier testimony last week. John questions the fact that we will be able to keep up present bonding capabilities (100 million per year) because that same 100 million will be worth only 30 million in 1994.

Meeting recessed until 7:00 Tuesday evening March 28.

March 28, 1978 9:00 am Willis chairperson

Members present

Senator Huber
Senator Kerttula
Senator Willis

HB 516

Clark Gruening present to testify. It is a vehicle for acquiring federal funds and an information clearing house. Passed.

HB 187-

Was given to Senator Huber to review and rework.

SB 522

Vern Metcalf testifies for DOT. Passed.

Other bills passed

SB 433
SB 324
CSHJR 54
HCR 109
SCR 89 & 90
SB 492

adjourned 9:45

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

FURTHER FINANCE

2/24/78

Date: March 22 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 522 supplemental appropriation to Dept. of Transportation & Public Facilities, Anchorage International Airport

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OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

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Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

3/17/78

FURTHER: NONE

Date: March 28 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SCR 89
twelfth annual Boys' State at Camp Carroll

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OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

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 Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: NONE

3/17/78

Date: March 20 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SR 90
tenth annual Girls' State at Sitka

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John Jones
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Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

Finance

4/13/77

Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on State Affairs has had SB 224
beverage dispensary and retail liquor licenses
under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee

- recommends it do pass
- recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____ and that
CS for _____ do pass
- (and) recommends it be referred to the _____
committee
- reports it back without ^{recommendation} recommendation
- AND attaches a report of its intent
- (other) _____

MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	_____
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>NO REC</u>	_____
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	_____
_____	_____	_____

MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

_____	recommends:	_____
_____	recommends:	_____
_____	recommends:	_____

[Signature]
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

2/14/78

FURTHER: COMMUNITY & REGIONAL
AFFAIRS

Date: March 28

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 492
annual deadlines for application for certain benefits by senior citizens

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass
- () recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- () recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ () new title () same title

() AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note

() reports it back without recommendation

() and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

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NO PASS
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COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

3/13/73

FURTHER: Pinnacle

Date: March 28, 1973

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SSHB 516
establishing the office of appropriate technology

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass
- () recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- () recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ () new title () same title

- () AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note
- () reports it back without recommendation
- () and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

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 Chairman

March 28, 1978 Willis & Bradley Chairing 7:15 pm

Members Present

Kelly
Miles
McKinnon
Dankworth

Testimony of the capital move

Mr. Gordon Epperly of Juneau

Points out the Endangered Species Act. It specifies the habitat of the endangered species peregrin falcon is on site at willow. It is a federal law.

Recess 7:30

CAPITAL SITE PLANNING COMMISSION ANCHORAGE HEARING

March 30, 1978 at 10:15 AM at the Borough Assembly Hall

Senator Willis and Representative Bradley co-chairmen

Members Present

Representatives Meekins, Bradley, Miles, Kelly, Dankworth, Lethin, Nakak and Senator Bradley and Willis.

Commission Members present

Arliss Sturgulewski, Susan Overby, George Kanelis, Morton Hoppenfeld

Perlia Strassburg of Houston testified first. Notes from her testimony accompany these minutes. Basically she is all for the capital move, but doesn't want a huge bond issue. She also thinks that the sooner the better, because it will save much money. She mentioned that the CDC needs to be policed-- the legislature being the police force.

Al Nakak makes it clear that he doesn't want to be occupied with capital move issues for the next 15 years.

Senator Bradley put in a plug for Anchorage.

Rep Meekins says that the estimated 30,000 population figure is not hacking it in the legislature.

Rep. Kelly agrees with Rep Meekins saying they have to pull the delegation together. He thinks the best thing to do is to cut down on the size of the new capital.

Frank Harris addressed HB 857. Pg 6, line 11-13 wants the source of funds put in the corporation's hands. Pg 27, lines 8-12 full time job for committee with power to appoint its own auditors; lines 13-14 "proceeds from lease and sale of lands" should maybe be added. He said that the cost of the highways should be shared by all the people. Pg 45, line 29 thinks that the capital area should be written out to be more specific. Pg 49, line 19 confine to the capital site 96 million for low income housing. Pg 50, line 16 ordinance? not specific. Pg 55, lines 1-15 transfer to capital city or any other entity. Why can't you have a split move?

Representative Bradley puts the Commission's actions in perspective.

Frank Harris says he thinks also that there ought to be at least two of every business instead of one (for completion)

He also thinks that there is too much low income housing.

Morton Hoppenfeld mentions that they tried to use existing institutions as much as possible.

Frank Harris says that the commission planned to move everyone but everyone only wants a partial move.

15 minute recess

Bob Mellin testifies next. The text of his testimony is attached to the back of these minutes.

Bear Piekouski of Eagle River wants to help unemployment by moving the capital. Want to get on with it.

Lindy Laundmilk testified to get going with the move as did Ms. Barbara Holmes.

John Hale from the Greater Palmer Chamber of Commerce testified. The text of his speech is attached.

Mr. Jack Miller was concerned about the bidding procedures.

Homer Mircle thinks the capital is way too plush.

Bertha Midette likes Anchorage and has spent 25 years in Alaska. Basically, she doesn't want a clean sterile city. Add a little 4th Avenue sleeze and more roads.

Coral Vader, a 15 year resident, doesn't want the most beautiful city. If its too nice, there are problems with keeping people out. Thinks the land should be sold at fair market value.

Mr. Russell, a 19 year resident, thinks the city the way it has been planned is too big and too plush.

Rep Kelly says that he intends to help bring the costs down and the population down as well. Wants the cost of the capital if it stays in Juneau to be subtracted from the cost of the whole move.

Recess 2:20 Reconvene at 2:36

Pauline Farn protested paying the people in Juneau for their homes and property. She thinks they will have more control over the legislature if they are closer to center of population.

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Mr. Leonard Campbell apologized for helping Rick Urion get into office. He also didn't like the politics of Chet Chatterton and Clark Gruening.

Mr. Jim Sumner congratulates the Commission on good job. He states he wants to insure that flexibility stays in the plan. He wants to make sure that there is sufficient water for the lakes. He doesn't want the habitat destroyed and likes the phased move plan.

C. Hubbard likes the plan for the city. He thinks that the city should be phased over a period of 25 years instead of 15 years so that families could start (naturally) with a small apartment, go on to a small house, then build a big house. Thinks that business and families should start out small.

The meeting recessed until 10:00 AM next morning in Fairbanks.

CAPITAL SITE PLANNING COMMISSION FAIRBANKS HEARING

March 31, 1978 at 10:100 AM at the Municipal Building

Senator Willis and Representative Bradley co-chairmen

Members present

Senator Willis, Representative Bradley, Nakak, Kelly, Sally Smith, Senator Bradley, Jim Carlson, and Chuck Behlke.

Jim Fucksa wants the legislature to completely reject HB 857. He wants SB 553 to pass. He wants a clause added to the construction contracts section saying there will be no cost overruns.

Mary Bishop is pro capital move, because legislators are isolated for 6 months of the year. Juneau is a dangerous place to fly in and out of.

Rep. Kelly says the legislature is not responsible for deciding about moving the capital.

Ken Carson says the big problem he has with the new city plan is its size. Didn't like the Leonard Lane report. Split capital move was not conceived by them. He wants to move everybody. Doesn't want the government to increase.

Bob Carello of Fairbanks, an assemblyman, apologized for lack of people at the hearing saying it wasn't advertised properly.

Charles Bettiesworth, one of the sponsor's of the FRANK initiative, says they have 20,000 supporters. He is worried that the people won't have any say in how much money is spent. Wants to look at full costs and facts.

John Hilliard thinks people signed initiative because of the Anchorage/Fairbanks rivalry.

Mr. Williams, President of Tanana Chief Conference wanted to know what the reason for moving is. Lack of communication?! That's no longer valid with hook ups and TV every night. The move will take dollars away from the whole state. Put \$\$ in to communications. The legislators can't hide in Juneau. All you have to do to find a legislator in Juneau is go to the Latchstring. Anchorage is too diverseified.

Mary Bishop wanted to know if the land chosen for the new capital city is liveable.

Chuck Behlke says that most of it isn't. 75,000 - 80,000 is the maximum population.

Mary Bishop wants to know if land will be opened for people to live on.

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Chuck Behlke says the developed areas will definitely be sold.

Mary Bishop asks if non state workers will be able to live in Willow also.

Chuck Behlke says that it will be an urban environment with lots of open recreation areas.

Mary Bishop asks what land is being put aside.

Chuck Behlke says land to the North.

Rep Bradley says that the bill grants land to boroughs in the surrounding area.

Jim Fucksa says don't waste money and time on a study to keep the capital in Juneau.

Senator Bradley says he thinks it would be more expensive to keep the capital in Juneau, because of the cost of land. Capital '78 is not representative of what the legislature is doing. They are young people who are running the show.

Glen Despane is opposed to the move. Wants the bond issue put on the ballot. It will only be 1/10 of the final cost.

Rep Kelly says he wants to see what the difference between the costs of staying in Juneau and the move are. Says telecommunications is too hard to depend on for regular communications.

Senator Bradley agrees with him.

Clyde Sherman says he's glad the legislators are here from an economic standpoint. A lot of potential wealth ahead of us... if we invest it right. ~~If~~ We squander our "seed money" on properties that don't return us any income. We should concentrate on things like the Matanuska Valley subsidy. Don't use up all our money. Use it on agriculture in Fairbanks. Follow through. He wants the capital to move only if it doesn't cost too much or take away from other projects.

Meeting adjourned

April 4, 1978 Joint State Affairs Meeting in Governor's
Conference Room

Members present

Willis, Bob Bradley, Miles, McKinnon, Kelly, Lethin

Two attorneys were present, Bill Berrier and Herb Berkowitz.
They went through the bill section by section.

Joint State Affairs Meeting with Senator Willis and Rep Bradley
Chairmen April 10, 1978

Members present

Senator Willis, Reps. Bradley, Kelly, Lethin, McKinnon, Miles

Lt. Governor Lowell Thomas passed out a small stack of memos from department heads reviewing their thoughts on the bills. He said he invited every dept. to attend except Military Affairs.

10 minute recess

Bill Allen, Commissioner of Administration entertained questions

Rep Bradley asks if Mr. Allen knew that the Governor that morning had said that the Commissioners were at the disposal of the State Affairs Committee to rewrite the bill.

Kelly wanted to know what his objection to the split move was.

Mr. Allen said leaving data processing in Juneau would be bad because that's the information distribution center and it just wouldn't be very efficient to have it separate. If the legislature says to leave it, it could be done.

Rep Kelly wants to know if telecommunications would help.

Commissioner Allen said that they wouldn't help right now, because they're not advanced enough. If an appropriation went through it would help them alot.

Rep Bradley asked how much of an appropriation.

Com. Allen replied 3.5 million.

Sterling Gallagher, Commissioner of Revenue was next to testify. He first stated that bonding the capital move would use up all of the state's bonding capacity. He said he is opposed to the CDC selling revenue bonds. His attached memo explains his position more thoroughly. He thinks that a phased operation is a good idea, because it would help keep track of progress.

Rep Miles asks if the liquid surplus going down?

Mr. Gallagher answered yes.

Miles wanted to know how CDC is supposed to borrow money if there isn't any in the treasury. Wants to know how much the state will loan.

Mr. Gallagher answered 117 million.

Mr. Morton Hoppenfeld explains why the CDC has power to sell bonds. Its because when the sewer is built, they can use it as collateral in case the community does not want to buy it.

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Rep McKinnon asks what other agencies sell bonds.

Mr. Gallagher replies that the airport is the only unit selling bonds through the state.

Rep Lethin asks if you can use a 30 million lid.

Mr. Gallagher says yes, it's possible.

Rep Lethin wants to know if that means he would like to see a lid on all other municipalities.

Mr. Gallagher says he didn't say that.

David Rogers Asks if he (Mr. Gallagher) had seen the White Weld report.

Mr. Gallagher says that the capital move would have a huge impact on state's ability to bond other projects.

Dick Echin was present for the Alaska Housing Authority, but there were no questions.

5 minutes recess

Ms. Janice Gate from the Department of HESS says that they encourage the use of updated planning facilities for the health and social services aspects of the new capital.

Rep Bradley asks how would the planning agency respond to building a hospital in 5 years.

Janice Gate said that they would have to go through extensive needs requirements list.

Ed Kaiser, Deputy Commissioner of Fish and Game pledged their support in helping to manage the environment, etc.

Rep Miles asks his about a "color mosaic" costing 1/2 million \$ that "Trenton" is asking for.

Mr. Kaiser explained that it is a very useful tool telling what animals use what land, etc.

There were no representatives from the Department of Education of Transportation.

Mr. Glen Akins from the Department of Environmental Conservation stated that getting state permits wouldn't be much of a problem, but that getting federal permits would be.

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Deputy Commissioner Carl Gonger from C & RA said that they didn't want the local boundary commission to have the last say.

David Rogers said it was changed to no local boundary decisions without the approval of legislature and governor.

Mayor Overstreet testified on Juneau's behalf.

Representative Kelly mentioned that his population estimate of how many people would be left in Juneau was a gross exaggeration.

Mayor Overstreet calmly stood his ground and said that sound government would not be found in the split move. Sooner or later everything would be moved to Willow. The split move concept is just a sop. There is no reason to believe this community would survive.

Rep Miles said that the national tv broadcast was a distortion and very embarrassing.

Carolyn Berg gave her usual testimony, but kept it to 2 minutes.

Recess to call of the chair

April 11, 1978 Senate State Affairs meeting 9:00 AM

Senator Willis chairman

Members Present

Kerttula
Ray
Huber
Willis

Mr. Trig Herman and Mr. Stickle from Public Safety were present to testify on SB 423, SB 422, SB 412, and SB 395. SB 423 was amended in three different sections to change the date from 1978 to 1977. Senator Ray moved individual rec. and it passed unanimously. SB 422 Senator Kerttula moved to keep the bill in committee. SB 412 Senator Kerttula moved individual rec. with no objections. SB 395 Senator Kerttula moves to keep it in committee with no objection

SCR 83 Kerttula moves individual rec. with Senator Huber objecting.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: FINANCE

1/13/78

Date: April 11, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 412
supplemental appropriation to Dept. of Public Safety, Driver Vehicle Services

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note

reports it back without ^{independent} recommendation

and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

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SB 412

Introduced: 1/13/78
Referred: State Affairs
and Finance

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

1 IN THE SENATE

2 SENATE BILL NO. 412

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE -- SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act making a supplemental appropriation to the
7 Department of Public Safety, Driver Vehicle Services;
8 and providing for an effective date."

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

10 * Section 1. The sum of \$219,800 is appropriated from the general fund
11 to the Department of Public Safety, to be allocated as follows:

12	Driver Services	\$ 12,100
13	Vehicle Services	6,100
14	Field Operations	199,900
15	Administration	1,700

16 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.-
17 10.070(c).
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FY 78 SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ANALYSIS

	FY 76 ACTUAL	FY 77 FINAL AUTH.	FY 77 ACTUAL	FY 78 GOV. BUDGET	FY 78 INITIAL AUTH.	FY 78 CURRENT AUTH.	EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 7/1 - 10/31	OTHER OBLIGATIONS 7/1 - 10/31	TRANSFERRED EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 11/1 - 1/31	FY 78 (DEFICIT) OR SURPLUS	FY AVAILABLE BUDGET
GENERAL SERVICES	998.9	1,371.3	1,457.9	1,390.8	1,407.1	1,477.7	479.0	67.0	1,064.9	<133.2>	2,022
TRAVEL	11.2	17.8	10.7	22.3	22.5	22.5	1.9		19.5	1.1	20
ACTUAL SERVICES	448.9	614.4	588.9	935.6	943.5	943.5	348.7		661.5	<66.7>	1,114
DUTIES	12.1	11.5	26.4	10.0	10.4	10.4	9.1		1.3		22
MENT	447.4	60.0	4.6	.6	1.0	1.0	2.1			<1.1>	43
, BLDGS,9	65.2	56.9	48.2	48.2	48.2	48.2				45
S, CLAIMS, ...											
LLANEOUS		.2	387.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	50.3		309.7	40.0	240
TOTAL	1,919.4	2,140.4	2,532.4	2,807.5	2,832.7	2,903.3	939.3	67.0	2,056.9	<159.9>	3,508
AL RECEIPTS											
RED GF MATCHING											
GENERAL FUND	1,919.4	2,140.4	2,145.4	2,407.5	2,432.7	2,503.3	889.0	67.0	1,747.2	<199.9>	3,508
-AGENCY RECEIPTS											
PROGRAM RECEIPTS			387.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	50.3		309.7	40.0	

AGENCY PUBLIC SAFETY BRU MOTOR VEHICLES COMPONENT FIELD SERVICES REVISED 12/8/77

FY 78 SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ANALYSIS

	FY 76 ACTUAL	FY 77 FINAL AUTH.	FY 77 ACTUAL	FY 78 GOV. BUDGET	FY 78 INITIAL AUTH.	FY 78 CURRENT AUTH.	EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 7/1 - 10/31	OTHER OBLIGATIONS 7/1 - 10/31	PROJECTED EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 11/1 - 6/30	FY 78 (DEFICIT) OR EXCESS	FY MAJOR REQ.
NAL SERVICES	236.3	236.7	233.3	249.3	249.3	256.1	57.0	7.0	195.1		331.0
L	9.2	10.0	9.9	10.7	10.7	10.7	2.5		8.3	<0.1>	14.0
ACTUAL SERVICES	26.1	27.0	55.5	42.1	42.1	42.1	13.7		30.1	<1.7>	55.0
DITIES	11.5	11.4	23.1	13.0	13.0	13.0	2.0		11.0		15.0
MENT	74.1	4.0		1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5		0.1		10.0
, BLDGS. ...		20.0	18.6	19.7	19.7	19.7	19.6			0.1	21.0
S, CLAIMS, ...											
LLANEOUS											
TOTAL	357.2	309.1	340.4	336.4	336.4	346.2	96.3	7.0	244.6		447.0
AL RECEIPTS											
RED GF MATCHING											
GENERAL FUND	357.2	309.1	340.4	336.4	336.4	346.2	96.3	7.0	244.6	<1.7>	447.0
-AGENCY RECEIPTS											

FY 78 SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ANALYSIS

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PERSONAL SERVICES	UNIT NOT IN EXISTENCE			125.5	125.5	125.5	1.7		100.4	23.4	145
LEVEL	PRIOR TO FY78			1.8	1.8	1.8			1.8		1
TRACTUAL SERVICES				58.8	58.8	58.8		32.0	26.8		33
MODITIES				5.4	5.4	5.4			5.4		4
EQUIPMENT				6.9	6.9	6.9	1.3		5.6		
VEHICLES, BLDGS. ...											
GRANTS, CLAIMS, ...											
MISCELLANEOUS											
TOTAL				198.4	198.4	198.4	3.0	32.0	140.0	23.4	185
GENERAL RECEIPTS											
REQUIRED GF MATCHING											
OTHER GENERAL FUND											
INTER-AGENCY RECEIPTS											
PROGRAM RECEIPTS				198.4	198.4	198.4	3.0	32.0	140.5	23.4	185

AGENCY PUBLIC SAFETY BRU MOTOR VEHICLES COMPONENT MUNICIPAL TAX REVISED _____

FY 78 SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ANALYSIS

	FY 76 ACTUAL	FY 77 FINAL AUTH.	FY 77 ACTUAL	FY 78 Gov. BUDGET	FY 78 INITIAL AUTH.	FY 78 CURRENT AUTH.	EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 7/1 - 10/31	OTHER OBLIGATIONS 7/1 - 10/31	PROJECTED EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 11/1 - 6/30	FY 77 SHORTFALL OR SURPLUS	FY 78 SHORTFALL OR SURPLUS
PERSONAL SERVICES	1,993.6	2,655.4	2,419.6		2,564.2	2686.8	786.4	109.6	1,900.6	<109.0>	1,217
RENTAL	25.1	47.8	31.0		40.9	40.9	7.1		40.2	<6.3>	50
FACTUAL SERVICES	546.3	833.0	853.3			1,269.3	415.2	32.0	900.1	<70.0>	1,424
COMMODITIES	35.8	27.5	114.4		45.2	45.2	14.6		30.6		50
INSTRUMENT	528.5	64.5	16.6		11.5	11.5	6.5		7.3	<1.3>	53
POSTAGE, BELLEGS, ...	0.9	90.3	91.8		87.5	87.5	87.4			0.1	86
INSURANCE, CLAIMS, ...											
CELLANEOUS		483.1	387.0		400.0	400.0	50.3		309.7	40.0	240
TOTAL	3,130.2	3,958.4	3,913.7		4,418.6	4541.2	1,367.5	141.6	3,188.5	<156.4>	5,131
GENERAL RECEIPTS											
GENERAL FUND	3,130.2	3,209.8	3,526.7		3,820.2	3942.8	1,314.2	109.6	2,738.8	<210.0>	4,045
INTER-AGENCY RECEIPTS											
PROGRAM RECEIPTS		483.1	387.0		598.4	598.4	53.3	32.0	449.7	63.4	135

FY 78 SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ANALYSIS

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L SERVICES	375.6	755.1	368.2	397.2	397.2	417.8	113.0	16.9	287.9		466.2
	.7	17.4	6.5	1.1	1.1	1.1	2.5		6.0	<7.4>	12.7
TUAL SERVICES	34.5	175.7	98.8	112.9	112.9	112.9	18.5		97.9	<3.5>	144.8
TIES	5.9	5.5	7.8	8.4	8.4	8.4	3.0		5.4		9.7
NT	2.8	1.5	.5	.3	.3	.3	1.5			<1.2>	
BLDGS, ...		16.3							397.2		
CLAIMS, ...											
ANEIOUS											
TOTAL	419.5	971.5	481.8	519.9	519.9	540.5	138.5	16.9	397.2	(12.1)	633.4
RECEIPTS											
D GF MATCHING											
ENERAL FUND	419.5	971.5	481.8	519.9	519.9		138.5	16.9		<12.1>	633.4
GENCY RECEIPTS											

FY 78 SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ANALYSIS

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PERSONAL SERVICES	382.8	295.7	360.2	385.1	385.1	406.7	135.7	18.7	252.3		251.
VEHICLE	4.0	2.7	3.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	0.2		4.6		2.
FACTUAL SERVICES	36.8	42.9	110.1	112.0	112.0	112.0	34.3		83.8	<6.1>	76.
COMMODITIES	6.3	10.5	57.1	8.0	8.0	8.0	0.5		7.5		8.
EQUIPMENT	4.2	3.0	11.5	1.7	1.7	1.7	0.1		1.6		
REPAIRS, BLDGS, ...		8.8	16.3	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6				10.
INSURANCE, CLAIMS, ...											
MISCELLANEOUS											
TOTAL	434.1	482.9	559.1	531.2	531.2	552.8	109.4	18.7	349.8	<6.1>	356.
GENERAL RECEIPTS											
UNRECORDED GF MATCHING											
FROM GENERAL FUND	434.1	846.5	559.1	531.2	531.2	552.8	190.4	18.7	349.8	<6.1>	356.
INTER-AGENCY RECEIPTS											

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January 13, 1978

The Honorable John L. Rader
President of the Senate
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. President:

Under authority of art. III, sec. 18 of the Alaska Constitution, and in accordance with AS 24.30.060(b) and the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am transmitting a bill making a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, Driver Vehicle Services.

Because of the growing volume of vehicle transactions and the recent conversion to a computerized system, people are often required to wait in long lines to process vehicle title and registration transactions. These funds are requested to provide for a faster computer and additional temporary personnel in time for the vehicle registration period beginning early in 1978 and to fund additional temporary employees already employed from July 1977.

Sincerely,

S/JSH

Jay S. Hammond
Governor

MEMORANDUM

RECEIVED
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BUDGET & MANAGEMENT

TO: Trygve Hermann, Director
Division of Administrative Services
Department of Public Safety

DATE: November 28, 1977

FILE NO:

TELEPHONE NO:

FROM: Vern Roberts, Director *J.R.*
Division of Motor Vehicles
Department of Public Safety

SUBJECT: FY 78
Supplemental Requests
Motor Vehicles
For \$219,800 in GF

58412

In accordance with Mike Harper's, Budget Review Committee, memorandum dated November 1, 1977, the following supplemental request for Motor Vehicles is re-submitted. This request is submitted in the manner and on the forms contained in Director of Budget and Management memorandum dated October 26, 1977

This request is not only to resolve public service problems but will decrease computer processing time substantially, allowing a 50% reduction in additional temporaries in the spring of 1978 and succeeding years, will significantly improve ongoing year-round performances and will allow entry of criminal case histories.

Added temporaries thru November 1977	\$93,200.
Upgrade from 135 to 148 computer	86,600.
Added temporaries in Spring of 1978	40,000.

	219,800.
Less Commission Fees moved to personal services	(40,000.)

	\$179,800.

It should be noted that on the FY 78 Supplemental Request Analysis forms, that the "FY 77 Final Authorization " data was extracted from the FY 79 Form 4-As. The data given for Vehicle Services and Field Services on the 4A's was reversed and has been correctly entered on the "FY 78 Supplemental Request Analysis Form".

The shortfall in personal services is attributable to two major factors.

In Fairbanks we have not been allowed the new positions requested for that public service office in recent budget requests. This, together with the rapid growth in the Fairbanks area has compounded the motor vehicle public service into an inadequate operation. This became more than apparant this summer when the complaints about services became more and more vocal. Long lines were the norm, the public was dissatisfied, the automobile dealers irate, and we began hearing at least weekly from the Governor's office in Fairbanks on the problem.

Immediate steps were taken to try to alleviate the problem. Some of these steps were to lengthen office hours and put on night and weekend crews to clear and handle dealer work. These changes could not be done with the authorized staffing. They could be spread out but this only decreased those available to handle the public at any one time. We, therefore, were forced to hire and train temporary help to assist the permanent staff in handling the summer rush.

A significant side factor of this problem was the changing over to the "on-line" system of motor vehicle registration and titling and driver license issuances. The system was delayed and didn't come "on-line" as promised and anticipated. This created a backlog of applications. Secondly, when the system did start up, the response time for the computer was many times slower than forecast. A compounding factor to this is that the Fairbanks communications circuits have had numerous problems resulting in excessive "down time" or slow response for that office.

Another factor is that with this new system, each M.V. transaction takes a little longer per customer at the counter, but when the customer leaves the office, he leaves with a completed transaction, i.e. he has his new title in his hand, he doesn't have the 3 to 6 month wait for paper processing that he formerly had before his title was mailed to him.

In the Anchorage Field Office, the same situation occurred with an additional problem area. Because the computer didn't come on-line as scheduled, there was a massive accumulation of applications from field offices and commission agents without terminals which had to be entered into the system (computer).

Anticipating going on-line on the scheduled date, we changed all field offices and commission agents to new computer compatible forms five days ahead of that date to ensure an even flow of work. When the computer system didn't go on-line as scheduled, the paperwork began its massive backlog. And, because it was in a new format, it couldn't be key-punched as formerly done.

When the computer proved to be totally inadequate to handle the work volume we were generating, the Division of Data Processing got authority to purchase an up-graded system for Anchorage (IBM 370-135) to alleviate the problem. By the time this new equipment was installed and running, it was at 100% of capacity and was still not giving the response time originally forecast and required to meet public demand.

We were forced to add temporary help to (1) serve the public at the counter, and (2) to work at night when the computer terminals were free to clear the backlog from the field offices and commission agents.

In both instances, the Office of the Governor directed that we take action above the budgeted level to resolve the matter of inadequate public service. These directions came in the face of full knowledge that doing so would result in over-expenditure of appropriations.

When the IBM 370-135 computer proved to be inadequate, permission was obtained to again up-grade the system, this time to an IBM 370-148. The prorated cost of this conversion for Motor Vehicles for FY 78 will be \$86,000.00.

This cost of \$86,000. has been apportioned between appropriations in the percentage of terminals in use by unit.

Costs should be appropriated as follows:

Driver Services	12.1
Vehicle Services	6.1
Field Services	66.7
Administration	1.7

TOTAL	86.6

Explanation of Personal Services Costs:

Added Temporaries through March 1978 \$93,200.00

Anchorage Swing Shift

4994 hours @ 5.83 29,115.00
 Shift Diff. 1,092.00
 S/T 30,207.00

Anchorage

Mid-Shift
 6632 hours @ 5.83 38,665.00
 Shift Diff. 2,900.00
 S/T 41,655.00

Anchorage

Weekend Shifts
 1800 hours @ 5.83 10,494.00

Fairbanks

Day Shift
 857.5 hours @ 6.58 5,642.00

Fairbanks

Swing Shift
 769 hours @ 6.58 5,060.00

Trygve Hermann

November 28, 1977

Fairbanks Swing Shift (continued)

Shift Diff.		190.00
S/T		<u>5,250.00</u>

\$93,248.00

15,052 hours ÷ 162.5 hours per month = 93 m/m
93 m/m ÷ 5 months (July-Nov) = 18.6 temp. positions



COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

1/17/78

FURTHER FINANCE

Date: April 11, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 423

supplemental appropriations to the Dept. of Public Safety, Public Protection

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass
- recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without ^{indefinite} recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

J. M. Catlett
Bill Ray
John Huber

Ed Willis - DePless
 Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: Commerce

2/28/78

Date: April 11, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on State Affairs has had SCR 83
ownership of satellite earth stations in rural Alaska

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

() recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass

() recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)

() recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ () new title () same title

() AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note

reports it back without ^{intentional} recommendation

() and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

Ed Willis - DO pass

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Keefe - No Rec.
Bill Ray No Rec
John Shaver DO NOT PASS

J Keefe
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

3/28/78

FURTHER: None

Date: April 11, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SCR 91
30th Avenue bypass in Fairbanks

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note

reports it back without ^{individual} recommendation

and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

[Signature]
John Huber
[Signature]
Bill Ray No Rec

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

3/13/78

FURTHER: _____

Date: April 11, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SCR 88 directing Legislative Council to accomplish substantive revision of alcoholic beverage laws

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- () recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass
- () recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- () recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ () new title () same title

- () AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note
- () reports it back without ^{individual} recommendation.
- () and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

[Signature]
Bill Kay
[Signature]

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

John [Signature] NO REC
~~_____~~

[Signature]
Chairman



COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: _____

3/29/78

Date: April 11, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SCR 94
movement of division of highways lab from Fairbanks

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note

reports it back with no recommendation

and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

[Signature]
Jim Willis - no Rec
Bill Ray
John [Signature]

[Signature]

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

4/21/77

~~Resources~~

April 11, 1978 Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on State Affairs has had SB 332 examination of eyesight for a driver's license under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee

- recommends it do pass
- recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____ and that CS for _____ do pass
- (and) recommends it be referred to the _____ committee
- reports it back without ^{indicated} recommendation
- AND attaches a report of its intent
- (other) _____

MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

<u>J. Kestel</u>	<u>DO - pass</u>	_____
<u>Ed Willis</u>	<u>NO REC</u>	_____
<u>Bill Ray</u>	<u>NO REC</u>	_____
<u>Tom Fisher</u>	<u>DO PASS</u>	_____

MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

_____ recommends: _____

_____ recommends: _____

_____ recommends: _____

J. Kestel chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: FINANCE

3/22/78

Date: April 11, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 561
North Slope Road

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

() recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass

() recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)

() recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ () new title () same title

() AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note

() reports it back without recommendation *intended*

() and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

J. Kufner
Ed. Walker - No Rec
John Hunter DO PASS
Bill Ray NO REC

but send to finance

J. Kufner
Chairman

Senate State Affairs Meeting April 13, 1978
Senator Willis Chairman 1:45
Senators Ray & Kerttula absent

Senator Huber moved to pass HB 622 with DP. No objection

Lisa Rudd was present to testify on HB 622, as was Dick Holden

Senator Huber's Hearing on procedures for procuring services for the State was taken up next. Mr. Richard Bradley, director was present to testify on behalf of General Services, Dept of Administration.

The hearing adjourned at 2:20

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

4/7/78

FURTHER: Finance

Date: 4/7/78

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had CSHB 622 (Fin) making special appropriation to Dept. of Trans & Public Facilities to continue construction of North-South runway at Anchorage International Airport under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____
- and _____ new title same title
- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

John W. ...

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PARTIAL TRANSCRIPT OF SENATE RESOURCES MEETING - April 13, 1978

- SEN. WILLIS: . . . I'll just let Sen. Huber explain
- SEN. HUBER: Mr. Chairman, I wonder if we could have him announce his name and his position because we do intend to take a transcript of this. Joan Wilber is here from my office and I'll try to get the tape machine running so we can answer the reason we're here. Did you want me to ah . . .
- SEN. WILLIS: Yes, go ahead.
- SEN. HUBER: I wonder, would you . . .
- MR. BRADLEY: Yes, I'm Richard Bradley, Director of General Services, Department of Administration.
- SEN. HUBER: OK. Mr. Bradley, are you familiar with the reason why you were asked here? I mean was any information supplied you?
- MR. BRADLEY: No, sir.
- SEN. HUBER: Alright, I think the first thing you should see is this letter which I wrote and the letter which I received from Fairbanks. This isn't the first time I have become aware of the problem . . .
- MR. BRADLEY: In fact I we are answering to this now, Senator. What happened was that this bid or RP was advertised over the period of at least a month in the Fairbanks newspaper and what we ah The sum and substance of the ad was, of course, that anyone that was interested in responding to the RP was to contact Mike DeBerry who is in my office, the State Housing office, and request a copy of the invitation or the RFP. And um we had originally so until after er until after we opened the RFPs. And then, of course, we ask if you would be able to submit a response which was actually too late. We had a closing date on it and just couldn't honor anything from him.
- SEN. HUBER: That, however, was sent to him. I believe the bottom page here . . .
- MR. BRADLEY: Ya, he, he received it ah . . . ah . . .
- SEN. HUBER: Well, was this sent out to him in response to him writing to you and asking for it or was it sent to him because he was a regular supplier of those kinds of materials?
- MR. BRADLEY: No, apparently, he received this from somebody else, which could have been . . . we'll say if it's a plywood supply it's possible that he may work with say other contractors. I don't know, it's possible that maybe one of the contractors gave it to him.
- SEN. HUBER: Well, it looks like it's addressed to him . . . doesn't it, up here? with part of a stamp that's here. This is the best I've got. Are you familiar with the organization?

MR. BRADLEY: Er . . . not . . .

SEN. HUBER: It's a regular lumber supply organization in Fairbanks. It's, you know we have . . .

MR. BRADLEY: I, I've heard. . .

SEN. HUBER: Independent Lumber, Fairbanks Lumber Supply, Plywood Supply (which doesn't supply only plywood by the way; they're one of the larger organizations in Fairbanks) and there are others there. And I wonder are they on your normal list so he should have received this?

MR. BRADLEY: No, no. In fact, we . . . this is a very unusual bid or RFP. What we're doing is looking for her housing ah . . . private enterprise providing housing for state employees. And so this is a first time for us on this. And what we did was we, of course, advertised in newspapers, extensively in newspapers. Then we had sent this out to like banking institutions, real estate agents, ah we had them posted on the post office bulletin boards in various locations. We had them in both our Anchorage and Juneau offices. We tried to give it as much circulation as possible.

SEN. HUBER: Well, what bothers me partly is I don't know what this is a part of. It looks like he pulled the first page. The handwriting on here is Mr. Ridenhour's of Plywood Supply . . .

MR. BRADLEY: This is only a part . . .

SEN. HUBER: It looks like this might have been the first page . . .

MR. BRADLEY: Right . . .

SEN. HUBER: of an invitation to a bid or invitation to quote or . . .

MR. BRADLEY: It's an R . . . request for proposals and it was quite extensive, I imagine a half an inch thick. So that's what . . .

SEN. HUBER: Is that was this what this was attached to? Was it . . . do you have it or have a copy of it so we can see it?

MR. BRADLEY: I have it in the office. I'd be happy to send you a copy of it.

SEN. HUBER: So I presume that he was just mad and he wrote what he said on here to me and sent it down to me to see what I could do about it. And, of course, I have sympathy for a businessman who says, "Look here, I received this March 24, 1978, and the bids were due in on March 24, 1978, at 2:00 p.m." He doesn't give a time it was stamped in but I presume it was after 8:00 in the morning and before 2:00 p.m. in the afternoon.

MR. BRADLEY: Right.

SEN. HUBER: So, with the time difference and everything he could have had anywhere from 3 to 4 hours to as much or little as no time or 1 or 2 hours to get this in in Juneau.

MR. BRADLEY: In considering the detail of the bid there would be no way. It would have taken him several days. In fact, some of these locations, it would almost require that the resposdee go there and physically look at it. This was advertised in January and February. I think we had a total of about seven or eight days that we advertised it in the Fairbanks newspaper. And now he's saying he didn't receive it until March. Well, like I say, we advertised it a month and a half to two months earlier.

SEN. HUBER: I would have a hunch that if you had a regular mailing list that this must have been sent to him . . . on a regular mailing list rather than his request because they are one of the known . . .

MR. BRADLEY: Right, we don't, we don't, as I was saying earlier, we don't have a vendors list for this particular commodity. If we would have been going out for wood products, I'm sure that he's on our bidders list for this. What we were doing was looking for private enterprise to construct at these various locations, construct buildings for the State of Alaska to rent to the State of Alaska. We had Public Safety trooper headquarters which would have included like holding cells, employee quarters and an office facility. And then in one case we had a housing at one of the Fish & Game hatchery sites. So it was more than supplying just material. It was a total project, a turnkey type of a project.

SEN. HUBER: I don't know whether they are involved in any of that now or not. You notice the last part of the statement says that it "happens so many times it's disgusting." He indicates that this just isn't the only time that it happened and I have, by the way, had complaints from other suppliers, everything from plumbing to electrical to building materials, in Fairbanks in the past. I won't mention the names of any of the organizations because I might mention the wrong one who hasn't complained or something, but I have had them from various I guess you would say wholesale vendors.

MR. BRADLEY: You know, we solicit any comment that a vendor might have, or a potential vendor. We kind of work the middle of the fence. We like to see the competition, so we like to see as many people competing for state business as possible. In fact, in the case of Fairbanks, we did, I think it was the Department of Economic Enterprise had set up a, some kind of a special seminar for inducing Alaskan vendors to do business with the state. We sent some of our people up there; we set up a little booth and we passed out the vendor's, bidder's application package. That's how we get the people on the vendors' list is we send them out a special packet that tells them how to do business with the state and find out which commodities they are interested in providing. And then we have a, when we come to that commodity, when it's time to bid it, then we just call for the vendors' list and we get the computer printout where the names are on gummed labels; we place them right on the invitation and shoot them out. We have had some problems with postal service too. We've had instances where people say, "Well I don't get the bid." And there's really no way that we can ah . . .

SEN. HUBER:

Is there any chance that the system that you are using is lending itself to misuse by some of the departments that have to make procurement? Is that possible that this is happening? What I mean is something like this: You have a procedure . . . and this will be rough, this will probably fall out of line with your procedure so please feel free to correct me . . . you have a procedure, for instance, that says that you're supposed to, if they want certain types of supplies in certain areas in certain quantities they have to advertise or, if it's non-competitive, they have to go check and make sure, whatever the case might be. Let's say that somebody wants 500 half-inch screw-type elbows or something like that and he finds one source in town that has them and the source is such that he says, "Well, what's the price on this and do you have a quantity discount to the state"? And this guy says he will give the state 20% off on them and there's 2,000 half-inch screw elbows and he has them in stock and can deliver them. And the state needs them right now. So maybe they have to, to meet . . . Is there a chance, that's what I'm asking, that somebody has to make sure that he has taken quotes elsewhere so he quick goes back to his office and he prepares this while he's able to get it yet and he knows this is good because he knows what it will cost him in Seattle so he knows it is a good deal but he still is supposed to have some other quotes so he sends some out to somebody else to get them. You know, from the vendor's viewpoint this would be very much of a misuse of the system because he would be being used for just to have given a quote so the guy would have something in his files to back the shortcut of procedure. It's happening so often that there are accusations that something like this is happening . . .

MR. BRADLEY:

That's very possible. We, in General Services, of course, everything has to be competitively bid. We have delegated a certain amount of purchasing authority back out to the agency. And that depends on the agency, like Public Works for example would have more purchasing authority than possibly Health and Social Services. When we say purchasing authority, I think the limitations are like in the Department of Public Works somewhere in the neighborhood of \$1,000 and some of them have them as low as \$300 so that anything below that they are allowed to go out and buy on the open market. We always tell, you know, solicit at least, whenever possible, at least three competitive quotations. Now it's possible that somebody could be abusing this in the field. There's really no way for us to find out if they do. When I say we . . . I mean, you know, we.

SEN. HUBER:

If I can . . . this one case just a short while ago this year and I thought it was as good a time as any to air it and find out what we were going to do . . . and the Committee could do this. The major thing is, I can see one time this happening but this particular accusation that it happened so many times that it's disgusting means that maybe in spite of what you have set up or are trying to do that there could be somewhere else where something is wrong.

MR. BRADLEY: It is, it is very possible. We are by the way responding to the, Mr. Ridenhour's complaint and noted, you know, the dates that it was advertised and laying, getting the information he needs and we would be happy to . . .

SEN. HUBER: Did he write to you also?

MR. BRADLEY: Well, I had received requests from several people, I think Sally Smith, Representative Smith.

SEN. HUBER: Well, he may have Xeroxed this thing and sent it to a bunch of us . . .

MR. BRADLEY: There were several, several people that were interested in Mr. Ridenhour's behalf so we are already formally responding and we would be happy to send a copy of all that to the Committee.

SEN. HUBER: Yes, I would like to have a copy and I would like to have it delivered. I would like, if you can tell us now . . . if you're far enough along that you can tell us now exactly what happened in this particular case to cause that. Of course, I don't know, other than what you have told me here, the nature of the remainder of . . .

MR. BRADLEY: I would have to find out how he got this copy. It didn't come through our office. And like I say, he may have received that from somebody else that was bidding on the thing.

SEN. HUBER: In other words, it wasn't mailed by your office to him?

MR. BRADLEY: No, no. We didn't have him on any bidders list. In fact, as I said earlier, we haven't maintained a bidders list for this particular commodity because that's the first time that we have ever tried this approach. And that's the reason that we advertised it so extensively, and also sent it to the banks, real estate agents, and things like this that we normally do not do. Normally, we develop a bidders list and, like I say, that's an automatic thing. Once we get a request for that particular commodity we call for the bidders list; that's all computer. In this case it was . . .

SEN. HUBER: So this wasn't an automatic thing sent to him to bid on . . .

MR. BRADLEY: No.

SEN. HUBER: Nor was it in answer to him writing in and saying that, "I'd like to bid on it"?

MR. BRADLEY: No, no, it wasn't.

SEN. HUBER: So some other way he got this and ah . . .

MR. BRADLEY: Yes, sir.

SEN. HUBER: And by whatever method he received it by, maybe the delays were there. Is that what you're saying?

MR. BRADLEY: Right. So apparently he didn't pick this up out of the paper because there would have been plenty of time there, that was like I say in January and February, if I remember correctly.

SEN. HUBER: Because he didn't write a cover letter with it . . . he indicated in his first writing at the top, "No time allowed to quote standard procedure for Alaskan dealers. Return to sender." and it's signed "Ridenhour." So he apparently thinks he received it from an official state source. I wonder if we could just hold this over and continue it to a later date until maybe they do find out. And I'd like to find out from Mr. Ridenhour if he has other cases and other situations . . .

MR. BRADLEY: I would too.

SEN. HUBER: He probably, he acts like he's probably been disgusted and thrown them away. I know that a number of years ago when I was in the electronics business and the state would send me bids, I would notify Motorola with whom I was associated that I threw all state bids in the garbage can and if they weren't getting them I would send them on to them and they could have them themselves. And, of course, my reasons were not that they weren't timely but my reasons were that state bids gave very tight specifications and you would bid into those specifications with equipment that would meet those specifications and then in the final award of the bid they would waive that specification and accept an item that was bid by another vendor that had a lower specification and allowed him from that one particular specification change to bid a lower price model of equipment where if they had quoted the higher price model of equipment you were stuck with that if you had it where someone else was trying to answer the bid with a lower class of equipment because he didn't make equipment that high class and you were stuck with the higher priced, higher classed equipment, and they waived it. It would be like, say, in a two-way radio it would be equivalent to saying a radio that was all solid state which you were required to bid by the specs is the same as one that had one or two tubes left in the thing because the other outfit didn't have a model that didn't have the tubes in. Yet they would waive it and the other outfit automatically got the bid for like 10 to 20% cheaper. And it would happen time after time and there was no way you could get around it because they didn't stick to their specs. So I refused to bid any more in those cases.

MR. BRADLEY: Were we bidding that or was it Communications?

SEN. HUBER: In those cases there were always bids by the Division of Communications and this was 5, 6, 7 years before I got in the Legislature is the last bid by the State of Alaska that I ever answered. The rest of them always went in the garbage can. But that certainly, when I was a dealer for Motorola north of the range, the state wasn't getting their best deal by me refusing to bid. That was a cinch. That was the kind of a complaint that I had in those days. As I

SEN. HUBER: said, everybody who has talked to me about this procedure, they
(cont.) show up with a quote and they said, "What the devil are they
doing"? Their question to me many times has been, "Have they
already bought this and they are just trying to put something
into their file to cover their tracks"? That's the words that
they state.

MR. BRADLEY: And you're talking about that this would be on an agency level,
or out in the field an . . .

SEN. HUBER: I don't know. It's always on some kind of an invitation to bid.
You never know because they don't show you, whether it's one that
looks just like this or whether it's an invitation to quote or
whether it's a construction contract or what it is; each one it's
the kind he receives, "And I got it so late." It's usually been
for suppliers of what I call wholesale jobbers, not retail
merchants, but jobbers here in the state.

MR. BRADLEY: Would it be more in terms of like you were saying items for Public
Works contracts like plumbing and lumber and nails and repair-
type commodities?

SEN. HUBER: Across the board I would say I'm pretty sure I've heard from
building supplies people, different people from the building
supplies field, and I'm sure in the electrical and plumbing and
heating - those are the ones that I believe that I heard from and
I hope I'm not forgetting any or giving somebody credit who didn't,
credit or whatever you might call it, who didn't complain.

SEN. WILLIS: Mr. Bradley, while you're here, I have a question. How do you
handle the professional services? How is that normally . . .

MR. BRADLEY: We don't. What happens is that the agency goes through the
Division of Finance with authority to enter into contract negotia-
tion and they have to spell out what type of service it is and it
is required that they solicit at least three, again coming back
to this three, quotations. And we've found that it's just not a
biddable item for a professional-type service, so we're handling
more daily types of personal services that we get into are the
ones that are easily defined, like janitorial services and things
like that; but otherwise the rest of them go through the Division
of Finance. The Division of Finance, by the way, didn't just
pick that up; it was handled by Internal Audit in the past.

SEN. WILLIS: Do you know what the policy is with regard to in-state Alaskan
professionals versus outside professionals and what the policy is?

MR. BRADLEY: I rather doubt if anything is being done in that area. You know,
for example, we have it under Alaskan dealers where they have for
example a 5% Alaska bidder's rights. I don't think, in fact, I'm
just real sure that that's not followed through as far as profes-
sional services contracts. How it's handled by the state through,
I don't know how it's handled as far as licensing requirements are
as well. You know, do these people have a license. I would assume
that they would be asking that they have the same...Did they pay
taxes in the last year

SEN. WILLIS: So, it is your knowledge then that everything is pretty undefined.

MR. BRADLEY: That's true. It's a difficult one, very difficult.

SEN. WILLIS: Yes, I know. OK . . .

SEN. HUBER: Mr. Chairman, just before we finish I think that the major interest here is, you know, the difference that he says, it looks like he says that it was sent to him and your records show differently, or at least you have no record of it that way, and then the allegation that it happens so many times that it's disgusting . . .

MR. BRADLEY: I'd like to know more about that.

SEN. HUBER: Ya, I'd like to know more about that and I'd appreciate it if you could look into it and maybe let us know sometime while we're going, before the session is out, if you do find any problem. Maybe there's something that you don't know about what's happening.

MR. BRADLEY: Well, and that's why, I know, we have even gone to the extent of sending out to bidders if they don't respond, we'll say, to a particular commodity, is go back out to the bidder and say, "Is there something wrong with the way that we're doing it? Are we over-specing a commodity." For example, there is a tendency to do that rather than get it off the shelf or create the competition type of a situation. So we're making an attempt to get out there and find out if there are any problems and encouraging, of course, encouraging the vendors to come back. In fact, we, as part of the invitation to bid we always say, "If you find any imperfections in the bid, let us know so we can amend the bid before they open." So we really do solicit the competition and when they have problems I know there is a tendency for people to think, you know, of people here in Juneau as being in an ivory-tower type of situation and it's not true. We're happy to, if somebody's got some better idea we're certainly willing to try it.

SEN. HUBER: It's sure a cinch that Mr. Ridenhour views it as something being wrong here and . . .

MR. BRADLEY: As I say, in fact, in fact, I'd be happy to call Mr. Ridenhour and discuss it with him. We'll be answering this issue anyway, as far as this RFP is concerned. But I would be happy to give him a call and find out what he means down here by, you know, this happening before.

SEN. HUBER: Well, I won't . . . in particular, I'd like to see the problem resolved and there may be a breach here somewhere or we may find that people somewhere below the Department of Administration are misusing the purchasing regulations, and I have hopes that that might be more likely where we might find it.

MR. BRADLEY: I think so.

SEN. HUBER: And that, of course, again is within your ability to get to, I think, better than . . .

MR. BRADLEY: That's true, that's true. I'd be happy to check it.

SEN. ROEHR: So I would like, Mr. Chairman, to continue it unless you have something more to say at this time.

SEN. WILLIS: OK, then we'll just continue this until such time as we might have some more information.

MR. BRADLEY: Thank you.

SEN. WILLIS: Thank you very much, Mr. Bradley, we certainly appreciate it.

MR. BRADLEY: Thank you.

April 25, 1978 State Affairs Senator Willis Chairman 9:10

Members Present

Senators Willis, Huber, Bradley

SJR 48

Senator Huber moves do pass. Unanimous.

SR 13

Bradley moves do pass. No objection.

SJR 51

Senator Huber moves do pass. Unanimous.

SB 534

Senator Huber moves to pass with individual recommendation.
No objection.

Senator Kerttula walks in at 9:15.

CSHB 870 am

Mr. Ron Larson testifies on behalf of the Capital Site Planning Commission.

Senator Bradley moves to pass with individual recommendation.

Senator Kerttula objects. He says he is hard pressed to approve \$62,000 for a study to stay in Juneau. He doesn't want to finance any more studies. There have already been enough made.

Senator Huber asks for unanimous consent.

Senator Ray arrives 9:28

Meeting adjourns at 9:30

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

FURTHER: Community & Regional Affairs and Judiciary

4/20/78

Date: May 2 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on State Affairs has had HB 621 unemployment insurance coverage for employees of state & its political subdivisions under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

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OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Bob Bradley - NO REC

John Jones DO PASS WITHOUT AMENDMENT

Bill Kay - NO REC

[Signature]
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

2/24/78

FURTHER: _____

Date: March 1 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SJR 43

proposing amendment to Constitution of the United States relating to budget under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

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MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Brad Bradley - No Pass

John Thayer DO PASS

Bill Ray DO PASS

Bill Miller DO PASS

April 27, 1978 Joint State Affairs Meeting

Willis and Bradley Chairing 1:30

Members present

Senator Willis
Representative Bradley
Representative McKinnon
Representative Nakak
Representative Kelly
Representative Dankworth
Representative Miles

Arliss Sturgulewski and Morton Hoppenfeld were present, also.

Mr. Jay Hogan, Director of Legislative Finance, testifies on the "secret" capital move cost estimate he authorized.

Rep. Miles: Who requested the report.

Mr. Hogan: There was no request. Blanchard & Co. was contracted to study cost of public structures and utility and street support required to service them.

Rep. Bradley: Was there any interaction with the Capital Site Planning Commission?

Mr. Hogan: No.

Rep. Bradley: Was there any reason the Commission wasn't told?

Mr. Hogan: The study was done for the Finance Committee and they were going to release the information at the appropriate time.

Senator Willis: Was the information used in the process the most recent?

Mr. Hogan: Yes.

Rep. Bradley: Could anyone have requested this information?

Mr. Hogan: Yes.

Rep. Bradley: How would I have known that this report was being made?

Mr. Hogan: It was described in House Finance with all members present. The minutes are available.

Rep. McKinnon: How much did it cost?

Mr. Hogan: \$62,000

Rep. Dankworth: When was the report completed?

Mr. Hogan: The last one was made in March 1.

Rep. Dankworth: Why was the report withheld for so long?

Rep. Nakak: I think it's timely to be released when the finance committee takes it up.

Rep. Bradley: Is the report germane?

Mr. Hogan: It was prepared for the finance committee.

Rep. Bradley: How should we proceed? Should we look at the amounts or how to bring it about?

Mr. Hogan: How to bring it about.

Reps. Miles and Nakak leave

Rep Kelly: Debates the 15% inflation figure.

Mr. Hogan: The Capital Site Selection Committee originally had figures that went up to 20%. We cut it to 15%. Before costing, the inflation rate was arrived at.

David Rogers: How many employees were you talking about.

Mr. Hogan: 5,960 by 1990 and remainder of employees by 1994.

Senator Willis: Would you summarize what I can tell people when they ask me what it is about.

Mr. Blanchard and Dem Cisco testify: Blanchard & Co. of New Jersey

Mr. Dick Blanchard is the spokesman. He said that the report started in August of 1977 and that Legislative Finance sent them the information.

Rep. Bradley: Is it normal procedure to touch base with the Capital Site Planning Commission. It seems it would have made sense.

Mr. Blanchard: This is not our normal business. We are not financial consultants. We make competitive bids. We're general contractors. We've been in business since 1860.

Mr Hogan: We wanted to get the opinion of someone who was going to responsible to do the work within a bid.

Senator Willis: What can I tell the people.

Rep. Bradley: Describe in greatest detail possible how much the public building would cost.

Senator Willis: What is your opinion on the escalated rate.

Mr. Blanchard: Usually you can accurately predict inflation within 1 - 3 years, because most building projects don't take much longer than 3 years to complete. It is very hard to predict over the next 15 years. We studied different indexes and came up with 11 - 12 1/2% inflation.

Rep. Kelly: Do you see possibility of a cost overrun?

Mr. Blanchard: I doubt it.

Mr. Morton Hoppenfeld comments. He said that their numbers coincide with the commission's. He said they didn't guess at their numbers, but that no one ever asked how they were arrived at.. They had actual bids and already constructed jobs to use for their data. The 200 million dollar discrepancy came from the state's sale of lands which the Blanchard report didn't take in to account, there fore their numbers are almost exactly the same.

Rep. Kelly requests Mr. Hoppenfeld to explain Title 7 (HUD)

The attachment is a transcript of what he had to say.

The joint session recessed.

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POUCH WF—STATE CAPITOL

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	<u>Operating</u>	<u>Capital</u>	<u>Total</u>		
1960	\$28,126,346	\$ 3,137,988	\$ 31,264,334	\$ 14,521,984	46.4%
1961	37,795,908	7,990,410	45,786,318	7,150,107	15.6
1962	46,151,097	6,785,328	52,936,425	11,611,855	21.9
1963	57,713,070	6,835,210	64,548,280	14,548,450	22.5
1964	70,942,330	8,154,400	79,096,730	(3,750,355)	-4.7
1965	74,397,375	949,000	75,346,375	10,777,625	14.3
1966	84,120,600	2,003,400	86,124,000	7,678,250	8.9
1967	92,503,800	1,298,450	93,802,250	10,003,650	10.7
1968	101,997,200	1,808,700	103,805,900	20,299,300	19.6
1969	121,834,600	2,270,600	124,105,200	29,987,400	24.2
1970	152,076,000	2,016,600	154,092,600	160,027,900	103.9

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1972	283,683,000	8,421,000	292,104,000	38,302,000	13.1
1973	318,771,100	11,634,900	330,406,000	22,577,000	6.8
1974	345,462,400	7,520,600	352,983,000	104,001,200	29.5
1975	444,575,100	12,409,100	456,984,200	96,579,800	21.1
1976	537,346,300	16,217,700	553,564,000	125,625,300	22.7
1977	668,278,100	10,911,200	679,189,300		

May 2, 1978 State Affairs Meeting Senator Willis Chairman

Members Present

Senator Ray
Senator Huber
Senator Bradley
Senator Willis

HB 621

Marilyn Miller representing the Municipal League testified. Sherry Shelly of Alaska Public Employees Association also testified saying that the bill allows the program to continue. Marilyn Miller says that the amendment would allow the municipalities the option of going in or out. Senator Ray moves to adopt the amendment. Senator Huber objects, because its mandatory for private business to have unemployment and then the municipal employees are exempt.

Senator Willis is in support as is Bradley.

Senator Ray moves to pass it out with individual recommendation including the amendment.

SB 454

Mr. Howard DeVore, Coordinator for Alaska State Volunteer Services endorses the committee substitute, because it gives municipalities the option of being in or out of the program.

Senator Ray wants to know what is the provision for confidentiality for volunteers.

Senator Huber is worried about workemen's compensation.

Senator Ray moves to have staff contact the attorney general's office and discuss confidentiality and workmen's compensation.

Attached is the transcript of this particular discussion.

SCCB 449 awaits Senator Kerttula's arrival.

SB 421 by Judiciary Committee. The meeting recesses until Barney brings in the original governor's bill. Barney returns with the bill and the meeting resumes.

Senator Ray moves to put out the original bill with individual recommendation and not adopt the committee substitute.

Senator Huber asks unanimous consent. There is no objection.

SJR 43

Senator Huber moves to pass it out with individual recommendation.

Senator Ray asks unanimous consent.

Senator Ray moves to bring up SCR 86 for consideration.

Senator Willis says he would speak against it.

Senator Kerttula arrives and leaves.

Senator Willis doesn't like it, because the legislature hasn't decided whether it's a full capital move or a split.

Senator Ray just wants to send it on to Finance.

They vote on it and its 2 - 2. Senators Huber and Ray for and Senators Willis and Bradley against.

Huber makes a move to adjourn.

10:00

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

FURTHER: None

4/23/78

Date: April 25 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SR 13
supporting construction of small boat moorage at Anchorage

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MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

John H. ...
Bruce ...

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

See Ray NO 1106

Ed ...
 Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

4/20/78

FURTHER: None

Date: April 25 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SJR 51
disposal of ML rifles by the Dept. of Defense

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John Chiles

Bruce Bradley

Bill Hay

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Ed Willis
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

3/21/78

FURTHER: None

Date: April 25, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SJR 48
urging Congress to maintain diplomatic relations & Mutual Defense Treaty with
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Ed Wilkin DO PASS
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Brend Bradley DO Pass
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Chairman

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May 18, 1978 Willis Chairing 3:00Pm

Members Present Huber, Bradley

SB 454 Senator Huber moves to amend it in the manner as attached. Mr. DeVore is present and agrees to amendments.

Senator Huber moves to pass it with individual recommendation. There is no objection.

SB321 Mr. Ben Bendickson recommends to move it on. Mr. Bob Stickley of Public Safety says there are some good parts and some bad parts. Senator Huber moves to passe with indiv. rec.

SB 553 Senator Bradley moves to pass it with indiv. rec. Senator Huber is opposed. Senator Willis is for. It passes.

SB 554 Senator Bradley moves to pass and Senator Huber again objects. Willis is for. It passes.

HCR 121 Senator Huber moves to pass. It is unanimous.

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: FINANCE

3/17/78

Date: MAY 12, 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 553

"An Act relating to planning for an development of the new Alaska Capital."

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

() recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass

() recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)

() recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ () new title () same title

() AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note

() reports it back without recommendation

() and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

Brad Bradley

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

John Johnson *Do not pass*

[Signature]
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: FINANCE

2/17/78

Date: May 17 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 554

general obligation bonds in the amount of \$956,000,000 for the purpose of paying capital construction costs of the new Alaska capital under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____
- and _____ new title same title
- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

Paul Bradley

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

and not recommend it

and not recommend it

W. W. Williams - DeFries

Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

*Guidance Report
Added 5/1/77*

SENATE

4/14/77

Date

Mr. President:

vehicles

The Committee on State Affairs has had SB 371

under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee

- recommends it do pass
- recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for 321 and that CS for _____ do pass
- (and) recommends it be referred to the _____ committee
- reports it back without recommendation
- AND attaches a report of its intent
- (other) _____

MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

John Jones _____

MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

Paul Walker recommends: No Rec
 _____ recommends: _____
 _____ recommends: _____

Paul Walker
 Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

FURTHER: None

5/3/78

Date: May 12 1978

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had HCR 121
need for and cost and distribution of executive agency reports

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass
- () recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- () recommends it be replaced with CS for _____
- and _____ () new title () same title
- () AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note
- () reports it back without recommendation
- () and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

John H. ...
...
Bradley

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Ed ...
 Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

2/17/78

FURTHER: COMMUNITY & REGIONAL
AFFAIRS AND FINANCE

Date: 1/17/78

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 454
volunteer service in state and municipal government

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for 454 with amendments
- and _____ new title same title
- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

J. Williams
Tom Hopper
Brad Bradley

No Rec

J. Williams
Chairman

May 18, 1978 Willis Chairman Joint Houses Meeting

Members Present

Willis, Huber, Rudd

HB 886 TELECONFERENCE

Discussion between Max Hodel, Gary Thurlow and Lisa Rudd on an allocation schedule.

The City Manager of Ketchikan is listening, but not testifying.

Don Smith from Anchorage speaks.

Harry Ose from Juneau

June 1, 1978 Kerttula Chairman

Members Present - Kerttula, Willis, Huber

2:00

HB 908

Representative Brown present and testifying.

Bob Merritt testified.

George Shaginaw, Deputy Director of the Governor's office of Telecommunication supports the bill, but opposes the funding.

Ron Hensford, Executive Assistant for Alascom.

Bill Simons, Marketing Manager

Lee Weirham, Fairbanks District Manager

Jennifer Wilke

Recess 3:20 - 3:40

George Shaginaw

The bill is held over.

HB 658

Rep Brown and Pat Calan testified. The bill was passed on.

Mo Pedding

Bob Stickles, Dept of Public Safety opposed.

Other bills passed

HCR 117 am

SCR 111

HJR 76

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

4/14/78

FURTHER: NONE

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had HCR 117 am
Alaska State Office in Tokyo

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without ^{industrial} recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

[Signature]
[Signature]

NO Rec
John Parker No REC

[Signature]
 Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

5/23/78

FURTHER: None

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had HJR 76 requesting financial assistance from the federal government to restore state highway damage occasioned by the construction of the trans-Alaska pipeline under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without ^{individual} recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

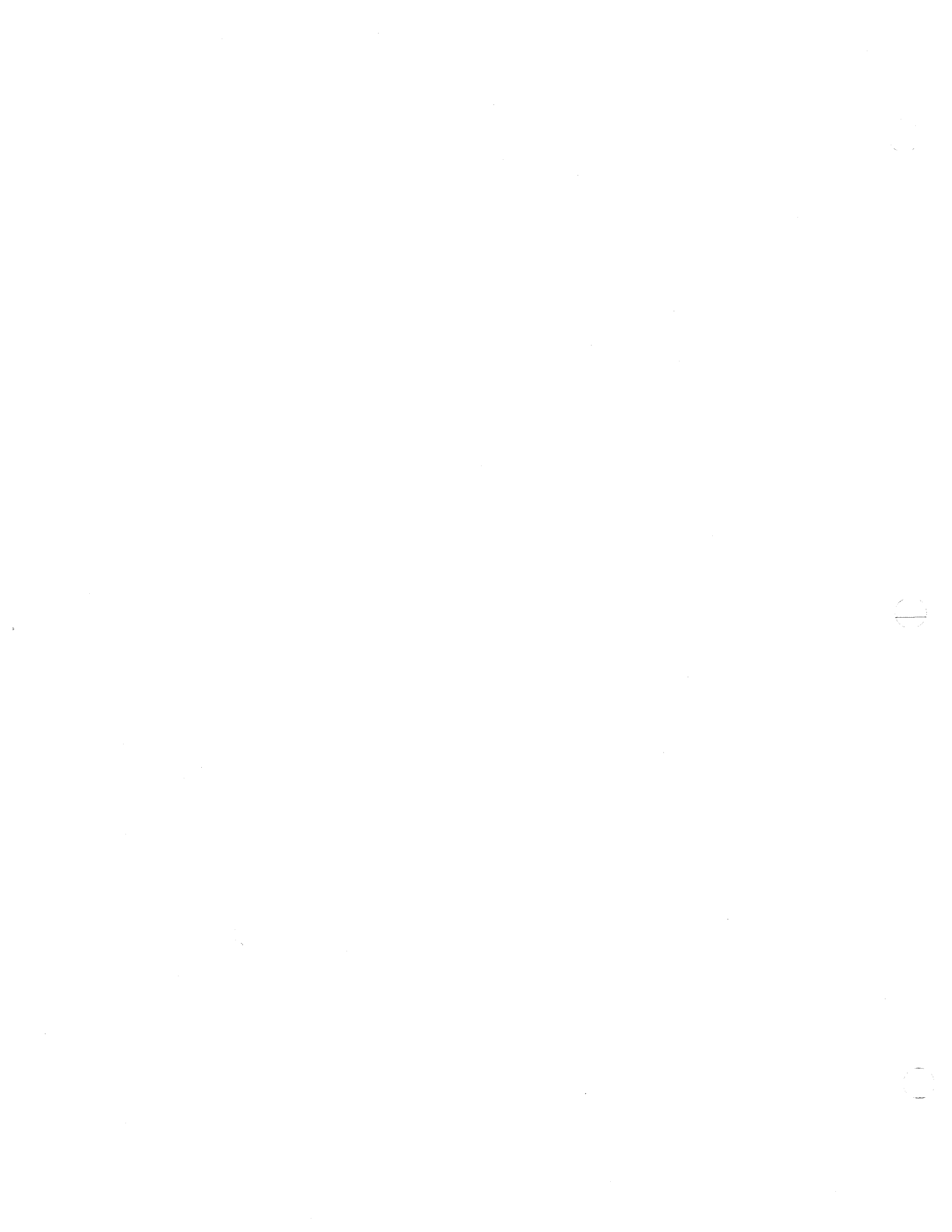
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

W. D. ...

John ...

W. D. ...

 Chairman



COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: _____

5/24/78

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had CSHB 658 am
construction performed by the Dept. of Transportation & Public Facilities

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee
reports it back as follows)

() recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass

() recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)

() recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ () new title () same title

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MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

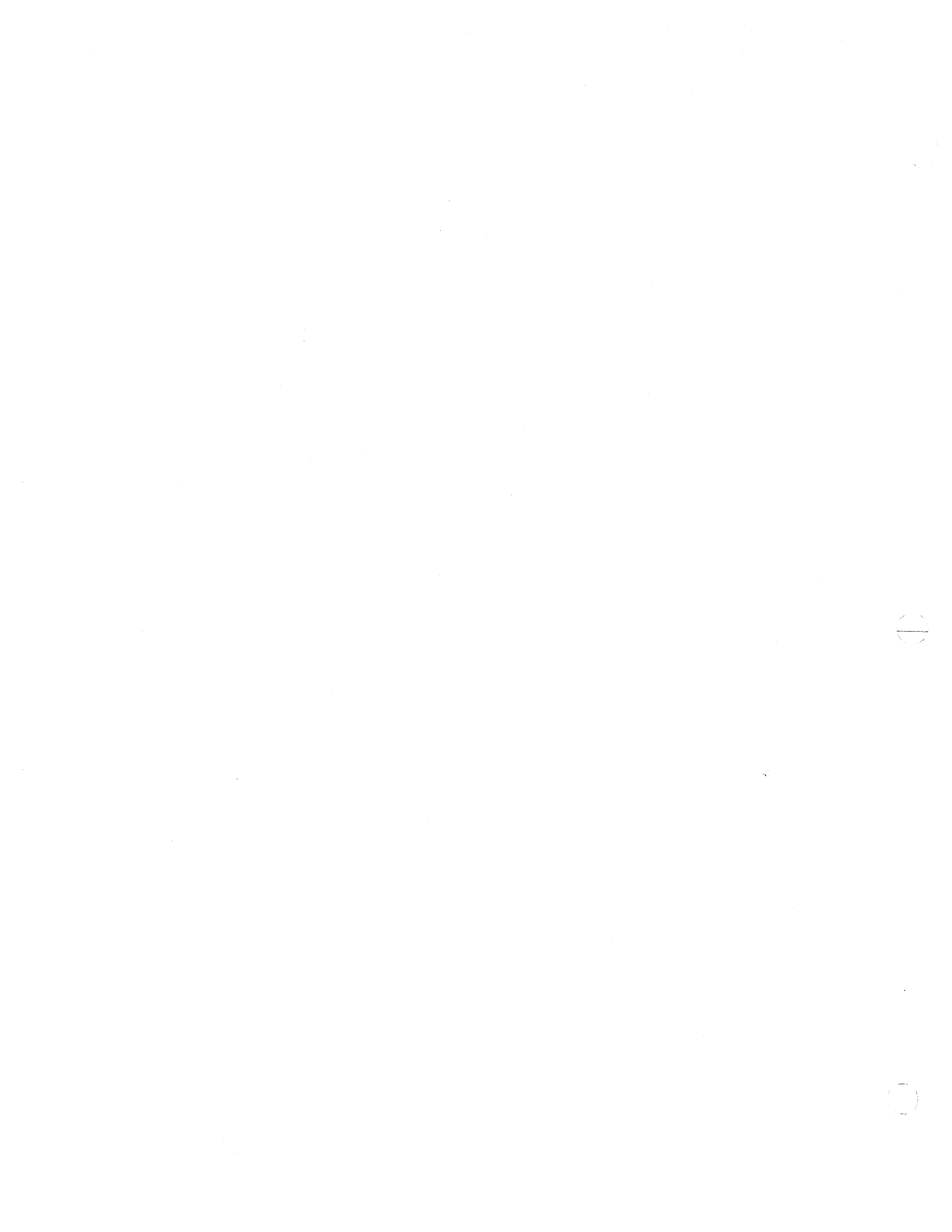
John Huber

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

John Huber NO REC

J. Kuttala
Chairman

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COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

4/18/78

FURTHER: NONE

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had CSHB 860
mo-peds

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

[Signature]

Chairman



COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

5/24/78

FURTHER: _____

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had CSHB 658 am construction performed by the Dept. of Transportation & Public Facilities

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note

reports it back without recommendation

and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

John Hunter

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

John Hunter NO REC

J. Kuttel
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

6/2/78

FURTHER: FINANCE

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had SB 636
Assuming liability in state ~~for~~ payment of certain tort claims

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with ^{Special Substitute} CS for SB 636

and SB 636 new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

John Jones

June 6, 1978

Willis Chairman

9:00 am

Members present

Kerttula

Huber

Willis

Bills passed on

HB 406

CSHB 113

HJR 59

SB 639

CSHB 959 Risk Management

Mr. John Haywood, Risk Manager for State Department of Administration: Is in favor of a revolving fund, because the state needs funds to cover the 1 1/2 million dollars deductable and expidites reconstruction. He says that liability and workmen's compensation losses take over 2 years to mature and process so it is hard to budget for them. A revolving fund would be much more convenient. A revolving fund allow bills to be paid quickly; and, also there would be a semi-annual report to the legislature so the money would be easier to keep track of.

Mr. Bob Van Haute of NEA supports the bill. He says the fund would add stability to the funding program. He says it would help in balancing the books over a period of 4 - 5 years. He says the fund would enable construction to begin quickly, thus saving the state money, because we would not have to wait for insurance to come through. He says it is healthy to have a "self sustained insurance program".

Joseph McClayn representing the Anchorage Insurance Assoc. (among others) is opposed to the bill, especially subsection (c). He suggests deleting the section entirely, because it lumps the good and the bad schools together. Why should the ones that have it together have to support the ones that don't?! The REAA ought to be able to try to cultivate their own insurance programs. He also said that a fund for more rapid payment is an ultimate which is seldom present in the business world and that it does fine without it anyhow. He doesn't think that a revolving fund would build a school any faster.

Mr. Haywood states that the fund does not equate itself with self insurance. The fund would provide an accounting for everyone to see where the money is going. Its existance would not change any of the insurance purchases. REAAs will not be changed at all. They already set up their own insurance programs. They have the option of going with the state or outside.

Mr. John George , Depty Director of Insurance and former Risk Manager, says that the reason there is a delay for construction of schools is that usually they need money

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for removal of debris and after that money for a designer, two things that have to be done before the insurance company begins to talk to them. Those things are not in any budget, so they are borrowed from another fund. It will get reimbursed eventually, but that temporarily limits that particular program. Lack of money has caused the department of education to use temporary structures which in turn uses more money. He went on to say that self insurance takes care of known losses. A deductible is a question of unknowable losses. There is a problem with the budget schedule. The fund would allow a slush for the cost of next year's insurance rate which is an unknowable the year before when budgeting is done for it.

Senator Willis and Huber decide to hold the bill until next Thursday.

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

June 8, 1978 Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on State Affairs has had SB 639
under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee

- recommends it do pass
- recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____ and that
CS for _____ do pass
- (and) recommends it be referred to the _____
committee
- reports it back without recommendation
- AND attaches a report of its intent
- (other) _____

MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

<u>James Thurman</u>	<u>DO PASS</u>	
<u>W. J. Williams</u>	<u>DO PASS</u>	

MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

_____ recommends: _____
_____ recommends: _____
_____ recommends: _____

W. J. Williams
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

FURTHER: None

4/11/78

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had HJR 59 requesting Dept. of Transportation to grant an easement for a bike path within Alaska Railroad right-of-way in municipality of Anchorage

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

John W. ...

Ed Willis

Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

5/9/78

FURTHER: _____

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS
~~SENATE~~ has had CSHB 113
integrity of the uniforms, badges, shields, decals, emblems, insignia &
identification cards of Dept. of Public Safety

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass
- () recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- () recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ () new title () same title

- () AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note
- () reports it back without recommendation
- () and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

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Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

Finance

Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had HB 406 regarding to Senators on annual leave to the memorial scholarship revolving lo under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee find

- recommends it do pass
- recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for HB 406 and that CS for _____ do pass
- (and) recommends it be referred to the _____ committee
- reports it back without recommendation
- AND attaches a report of its intent
- (other) _____

MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

John Jones - Do Pass

W. W. Williams - Do Pass

MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

_____ recommends: _____

_____ recommends: _____

_____ recommends: _____

W. W. Williams

Chairman

June 9, 1978 Willis chairing 1:30

Members present: Kerttula, Huber and Willis

CSSB 641

Jim Rolli of Alaska Municiple League opposes the bill
doesn't like the limitation (10 mill)

Oren Pomroy, Ass't, . State Assessor testified that he
didn't like the bill either.

Adjourned 2:40

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

FURTHER: None

3/31/78

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had HB 888 designating the bowhead whale as the state marine animal

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Jay K. ... Do - pass

[Signature]
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: Finance

5/17/78

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had HB 629 supplemental appropriation to the Dept. of Transportation & Public Facilities, vessel operation

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass

recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)

recommends it be replaced with CS for _____

and _____ new title same title

AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note

reports it back without recommendation

and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Ed Wells Do Pass

Kathleen

Ed Wells
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

~~XXXXXX~~

6/3/78

FURTHER: FINANCE

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on STATE AFFAIRS has had CSHB 838 am
North Slope Road

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass

recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)

recommends it be replaced with SCS for CSHB 838

and _____ new title same title

AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note

reports it back without recommendation

and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

<u>J. Keefe</u> Do-pass	<u>as amended</u>
<u>John Willis</u> Do-pass	
<u>John Burke</u> DO PASS	
_____	_____
_____	_____
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J. Keefe
Chairman

