

in the correction and rehabilitation of delinquent youths; and

WHEREAS, the appropriation has been found to be inadequate to construct the necessary facilities; and

WHEREAS, the practice of financing necessary capital facilities out of present state revenue is unequitable in that the burden is imposed upon the present citizens notwithstanding the fact that the facilities continue in use for many years, thus benefiting future residents of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, it is common practice to undertake the construction of capital facilities through the issuance of state bonds whereby the cost of said facilities are spread over their estimated useful life; and

WHEREAS, the First State Legislature

by the enactment of this concurrent resolution is manifesting an appreciation of the planning and financing problems;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the State of Alaska in First Session assembled, the Senate concurring, that the Governor of Alaska, in an expeditious manner, transmit to the Legislature a building and construction program which will set forth an amount estimated to be necessary for the immediate construction of a juvenile correction and rehabilitation facilities which will then enable the Legislature to undertake to prepare legislation necessary for the authorization, ratification, and financing for the construction of said facilities.

Passed by the House February 21, 1959.
Passed by the Senate February 26, 1959.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5

Relating to requesting the Governor of Alaska to present a feasible school construction program.

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State of Alaska in First Session Assembled, the Senate Concurring:

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska in the past decade has found the need for broad expansion of its school construction program because of the influx and increase of population; and

WHEREAS, with the advent of statehood it is recognized that the population of Alaska will continue to greatly expand in still larger numbers over the coming years, necessitating increased expansion of the school construction program; and

WHEREAS, the past practice of financing school construction has been unfair and inequitable in that the burden of financing is imposed upon the present citizens of Alaska, notwithstanding such schools continue in use for a period of at least twenty years, thus benefiting future residents of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, it is a common practice to undertake the construction of schools and like capital facilities through the

issuance of state bonds whereby the cost of the said capital facilities are spread over their estimated useful life; and

WHEREAS, a long term bonding program for capital improvements will permit a larger portion of current revenues to be used for current school expenses; and

WHEREAS, the First State Legislature by the enactment of this concurrent resolution is manifesting an appreciation of the complexity of long range planning and financing problems;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the State of Alaska in First Session assembled, the Senate concurring, that the Governor of Alaska present to the First State Legislature a school construction planning program extending over the next five (5) to ten (10) years, together with anticipated costs of construction, so that there may be prepared and enacted legislation necessary for the establishment of a procedure by which bonds of the state may be authorized, ratified, issued and sold for the purpose of initiating a school bond construction program.

Passed by the House February 21, 1959.
Passed by the Senate February 28, 1959.