

WHEREAS, Seward is experiencing a period of industrial and commercial expansion unequalled in the past ten years; and

WHEREAS, further expansion is expected on land available within but a half mile of the present port facilities, but this land is not accessible by road; and

WHEREAS, this land is ideal for industrial, commercial, or residential development but for its lack of accessibility by road, having good approaches both by water and land; and

WHEREAS, but two roads of not more than one-half mile each in length are all that is necessary to open up this land for expansion;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House in First Legislature, Second Session assembled that the Department of Public Works conduct the necessary surveys and cost investigations for the construction of the two access roads to Fourth of July Creek and Lowell Creek deltas with the utmost dispatch.

Passed by the House March 29, 1960.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 27

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Alaska in First Legislature, Second Session assembled:

WHEREAS, Almighty God, in his wisdom and mercy, has called to himself our friend John T. McLaughlin; and

WHEREAS, John T. McLaughlin was born in Juneau, attended school here, married and reared a family here; and

WHEREAS, John T. McLaughlin rendered creditable service in various positions in the Territorial and State government; and

WHEREAS, John T. McLaughlin lent his active support to many community and statewide projects and leaves a host

of friends throughout the State; and

WHEREAS, John T. McLaughlin served as Chief Clerk of this House in 1955 and many members of this session remember this pleasant association with him;

BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives, in regular session assembled, takes this means of expressing to his wife and family, and to his sisters and brothers, our deep sorrow, and sincere sympathy in their loss; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be sent to his wife and children, and that copies be forwarded to his sisters and brothers.

Passed by the House February 23, 1960.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 28

Relating to the extension of a road from Kodiak around Island Lake.

Be it Resolved by the House in First Legislature, Second Session assembled:

WHEREAS, a road now leads from Kodiak to one side of Island Lake; and

WHEREAS, twelve families, with children, now live on the opposite side of Island Lake, and the land there is suitable for settlement by many more families; and

WHEREAS, during the school year it is necessary for the children living on the opposite side of Island Lake to be rowed across the lake twice each day in order for them to attend school, exposing them

to danger of death from drowning; and

WHEREAS, the extension of the present road around Island Lake would both obviate the danger to the school children, and also open up the opposite side of the lake to greater development;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives in First Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Department of Public Works initiate planning and programming for the extension of the present road to Island Lake; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of the resolution be directed to the Governor and to the Commissioner of Public Works.

Passed by the House March 4, 1960.