

income in these remote areas is afforded by the activities of state and federal agencies performing maintenance work on schools, roads, airfields, and other jobs; and

WHEREAS, in many cases, this maintenance work is performed by persons brought in from other areas when the work could be done equally well through local hire thus benefiting the meager economies of the locality; and

WHEREAS a system or plan for local hire would greatly benefit these small

communities if pursued by the state and federal governments;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, the Senate concurring, that the Governor is respectfully requested to direct all state departments to hire local help on all state maintenance jobs to the degree possible, and that he contact all federal agencies operating in Alaska to urge them to cooperate in this local hire effort.

Passed by the House March 20, 1962.

Passed by the Senate March 26, 1962.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58

Relating to a study of the use of eminent domain and declarations of taking.

Be It Resolved by the House in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled, the Senate Concurring:

WHEREAS, during the current legislative session, considerable time has been consumed in discussion of the use of the powers of eminent domain and the declaration of taking; and

WHEREAS, while it is recognized that the use of eminent domain and the declaration of taking by agencies of the state has a vital impact on highway construction, urban renewal, and other programs, reasonable doubts have arisen in the minds of legislators regarding the need for and extent of their use in specific instances; and

WHEREAS it has become apparent that the Legislature and the public require more information on the nature and uses of eminent domain and the declaration of taking;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, the Senate concurring, that the Legislative Council is directed to study and report on the need for and use of eminent domain and the declaration of taking by state agencies in carrying out state programs, and to report its findings and suggested legislation, if needed, to the Third Legislature in January 1963.

Passed by the House March 29, 1962.

Passed by the Senate April 4, 1962.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60

Relating to a study of statutes of limitation in Alaska.

Be It Resolved by the House in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled, the Senate Concurring:

WHEREAS the statutes of limitations now governing the commencement of civil and criminal actions in Alaska were taken largely from federal law or the law of other states; and

WHEREAS these statutes are not well adapted to conditions prevailing in Alaska and recommend themselves to review and

study to determine whether they best serve the ends of justice;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, the Senate concurring, that the Department of Law with the cooperation of the Legislative Council undertake a study of the existing statutes of limitation in Alaska and report its findings and recommendations for changes, if any are needed, to the Legislature in January 1963.

Passed by the House March 29, 1962.

Passed by the Senate April 6, 1962