

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 54

Relating to the development of ski areas and facilities in Alaska.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled:

WHEREAS the development of winter sports in Alaska is to the best interest of Alaskan families and Alaskan children; and

WHEREAS the development of winter sports areas in Alaska is desirable and should be encouraged in order to attract winter visitors to Alaska; and

WHEREAS ski areas and facilities in Alaska are in need of assistance for the full development of Alaska as a winter sports center;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the State of Alaska supports and encourages the development of ski areas and facilities in Alaska; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the State recommends to the Rural Electrification Association of the United States and its

subdivisions in Alaska that low-cost electrical power be provided to ski areas in this State; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that this State recommends to the United States that long-term financing at depressed area interest rates be provided for the development of ski areas and facilities in Alaska; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable John F. Kennedy, President of the United States; the Honorable Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; the Honorable Orville L. Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; the Honorable Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Commerce; the Honorable William L. Batt, Jr., Administrator of the Area Redevelopment Administration; the Honorable Norman M. Clapp, Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration; the Honorable Richard E. McArdle, Chief of the Forest Service; the Honorable Conrad L. Wirth, Director of the National Park Service; and the Alaska delegation to Congress.

Passed by the Senate February 27, 1962.
Passed by the House March 6, 1962.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 55

Relating to the construction of National Guard armories at Point Barrow, Kwiguk, and Nightmute.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled:

WHEREAS the Point Barrow unit of the Alaska National Guard has an approximate strength of eighty men which has been maintained for several years; and

WHEREAS Point Barrow is the sole location in the First Scout Battalion area which does not possess an armory for the safe storage of federal weapons and equipment and for the training of members of the local unit; and

WHEREAS the original Point Barrow armory was destroyed by fire in 1958; and

WHEREAS a site within the town remains available for the construction of this

needed facility and the federally controlled supply of natural gas in the locality could be made available for the heating of the armory; and

WHEREAS the villages of Kwiguk and Nightmute have organized National Guard Units after the village armory program was commenced and do not now have armories; and

WHEREAS the possible construction of these armories by the federal authorities has received the endorsement of the Adjutant General of the Alaska National Guard, the Commanding General, U. S. Army, Alaska, and the Reserve Forces Facilities Board;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Honorable Elvis J. Stahr, Jr., Secretary of the Army; Major General D. W. McGowan, Chief, National Guard Bureau; and