

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 45

Relating to cooperation with Canada in the construction of the Juneau-Taku-Atlin Highway.

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

WHEREAS the projected construction of the Juneau-Taku-Atlin Highway will provide a vital connection for Southeastern Alaska with the interior of Alaska, Canada, and the continental United States; and

WHEREAS the completion of the highway will provide the areas of Southeastern Alaska and Canada served by it with easy access to markets for their mineral, fishing, timber, and other resources; and

WHEREAS a highway linking Juneau

with the continental road system will enhance the use of the Alaska ferry system and add further to the accessibility of Juneau and Southeastern Alaska to tourists;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Governor is respectfully urged to consult with the appropriate officials of the federal Canadian Government, the Premier of the Province of British Columbia, the High Commissioner of the Yukon Territory, and enlist their support and that of state and federal agencies for the programming and construction of this vital link with the continental highway system.

Passed by the Senate March 14, 1962.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 46

Relating to a commendation of the Honorable Clarence L. Anderson.

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

WHEREAS the Honorable Clarence L. Anderson has recently retired from a long and honorable service to the Territory and thereafter to the State of Alaska; and

WHEREAS he was selected as the Director of the first Territorial Department of Fisheries, remained in that position until the formation of the state Department of Fish and Game, and was appointed the first Commissioner of that department; and

WHEREAS it is due in great measure to his diligence and skill that the people of Alaska owe their present excellent Department of Fish and Game; and

WHEREAS his unceasing efforts in the

face of great restrictions and difficulties during territorial days, his swift and efficient organizing of his department to take over the great burdens imposed by statehood, his long service to Alaska, and his vast knowledge of fish, fishing, and conservation have justly resulted in his coming to be regarded as the "Father of Alaskan Fisheries";

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Senate expresses to the Honorable Clarence L. Anderson upon his retirement its highest regards and its unbounded gratitude for his invaluable service to the State and people of Alaska; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Honorable Clarence L. Anderson.

Passed by the Senate March 12, 1962.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 47

Commending the work of the International North Pacific Fisheries Commission.

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

WHEREAS the recent meeting of the American Section of the International

North Pacific Fisheries Commission in Juneau has re-emphasized to the Senate the magnitude and importance of the work of the Commission; and

WHEREAS the work of the Commission is particularly vital to Alaska which depends so much on its fishery; and