

House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs; the Honorable Henry M. Jackson, Chairman, Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs; and the members of

the Alaska delegation to Congress.

Passed by the House March 20, 1963.

Passed by the Senate March 22, 1963.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18

Relating to the introduction of moose and Dall sheep to Kodiak Island.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

WHEREAS moose and Dall sheep do not naturally inhabit Kodiak Island, off the coast of Southern Alaska; and

WHEREAS it has been reliably reported that Kodiak Island would make a splendid habitat for the production of moose and Dall sheep; and

WHEREAS the introduction of moose and Dall sheep to Kodiak Island would not cause direct strife or competition for food among these animals or with the brown bear that now inhabit the island, since moose, Dall sheep, and brown bear frequently co-exist without detectable adverse results; and

WHEREAS the production of moose and Dall sheep on Kodiak Island will benefit the people of the island as well as the en-

tire state by providing game and an additional tourist attraction;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Honorable Stewart Udall, Secretary of the Interior, the Honorable Clarence F. Pautzke, Commissioner of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and the Honorable Karl S. Landstrom, Director, Bureau of Land Management, are urged to approve the introduction of moose and Dall sheep to Kodiak Island; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable William A. Egan, Governor of Alaska; the Honorable Urban C. Nelson, Regional Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife; the Honorable Roger R. Robinson, State Director, Bureau of Land Management; the Honorable Walter Kirkness, Commissioner, State Department of Fish and Game; and the Alaska delegation in Congress.

Passed by the House March 20, 1963.

Passed by the Senate March 22, 1963.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 21

Relating to the establishment of a Coast Guard station at the mouth of Cook Inlet.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

WHEREAS the year-round shipment of freight by tug, barge, and ship on Cook Inlet is increasing each year; and

WHEREAS tankers are now making regular year-round trips to Cook Inlet for the purpose of moving Alaska oil; and

WHEREAS the commercial fishery of the lower Cook Inlet area is of considerable volume and is increasing on a year-round basis; and

WHEREAS this great and increasing volume of commercial maritime activity

requires expanded area services for the protection of this commerce and those who engage in it;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Honorable John F. Kennedy, President of the United States, is respectfully requested to have the Secretary of the Treasury direct the installation of a U. S. Coast Guard station on the lower Kenai Peninsula near the mouth of Cook Inlet; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable Douglas Dillon, Secretary of the Treasury; Vice Admiral E. J. Roland, Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard; and the members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

Passed by the House March 20, 1963.

Passed by the Senate April 5, 1963.