



Alaska State Legislature

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HR 12

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 12

Relating to the elimination of all hunting one mile from portions of the Sterling Highway.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

WHEREAS the majority of residents of the area of the rural community of Cooper Landing, Alaska, have signed a petition urging and requesting that an area one-mile wide on each side of the highway from milepost 38 on the Seward-Cooper Landing Highway to milepost 55 on the Sterling Highway be closed to hunting; and

WHEREAS the rural community of Cooper Landing, having a mild year-round climate, a population of nearly a hundred persons, six restaurant roadhouses and several tourist campgrounds is a year-round tourist recreational area for the tourist public, including summer home dwellers from the neighboring cities; and

WHEREAS what few sheep, goats and moose which remain in the area adjacent to the Cooper Landing provide interesting sight-seeing attractions for tourists and the traveling public; and

WHEREAS increased numbers of tourists are expected to visit Alaska and the Cooper Landing area during this coming 1967 centennial year;

BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives advises the Board of Fish and Game of its wish that the Board establish a closed season for all hunting in an area one-mile wide on each side of the highway from milepost 38 on the Seward-Cooper Landing Highway to milepost 55 on the Sterling Highway.