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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

Relating to the mail service at St. George Island.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

WHEREAS the people of St. George Island are forced to do without mail service for months at a time other than an occasional air drop of first class mail; and

WHEREAS this lack of any sort of regular mail service creates an intolerable situation for all the persons living on St. George Island; and

WHEREAS the people of St. George Island have, with their own donated labor, constructed an air strip which has the capacity to accommodate twin-engine aircraft;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the United States Post Office Department is respectfully requested to institute regular shuttle mail service from St. Paul Island to St. George Island or from any other point that may be appropriate.

COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Richard M. Nixon, President of the United States; the Honorable Winton E. Blount, Postmaster General of the United States; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators, and to the Honorable Nick Begich, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.