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## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19

Relating to establishing a post office at Nelson Lagoon, Alaska, Ivanof Bay, Alaska and Chignik Lake, Alaska.

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

WHEREAS communication facilities are essential for the development of Alaska and the normal comforts of its population; and

WHEREAS Nelson Lagoon, Ivanof Bay and Chignik Lake are economically stable and growing communities; and

WHEREAS there are no roads to these communities and the only means of transportation is by airplane, either on scheduled or charter flights; and

WHEREAS these communities are being denied access to the regular postal services which are available to many communities of smaller size elsewhere in the nation, thus working a great hardship on the residents;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Honorable Winton Blount, Postmaster General of the United States, is hereby respectfully requested to establish minimum post offices in each of these communities.

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