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Relating to the development of a commuter railroad in the Matanuska-Susitna Valley.

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

WHEREAS it is desirable to have fast-track rail commuter service between the Matanuska-Susitna Valley and Anchorage; and

WHEREAS the upgrading of the existing rail facilities and the use of self-propelled cars would result in a conservation of energy and reduced highway maintenance costs;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature respectfully requests the United States Department of Transportation to develop a commuter rail service between the Matanuska-Susitna Valley, Eagle River-Chugiak areas, and Anchorage, Alaska.

COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Neil Goldschmidt, Secretary of the Department of Transportation; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Don Young, U.S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.