

Old Seward Oceanview Community Council (OSOVCC) #1

Resolution thanking Rep. Chuck Kopp, the Anchorage Assembly and others

WHEREAS, The Old Seward Oceanview Community Council has had a resolution from 2014 regarding the issuance of an Exclusive Use policy with the Alaska Railroad Corporation and
WHEREAS, there has been strong public and stakeholders against the exclusive use agreement of ARTA and,
WHEREAS, agrees that the initial transfer there was a failure by all agencies to understand the clear direction from Congress, and
WHEREAS, the transfer for "rail properties of the Alaska Railroad" over privately -owned land only included the "Federal interest" in those lands, and
WHEREAS, nowhere in ARTA did Congress authorize the transfer of privately owned property interests, and
WHEREAS, our local Community Council has worked for nearly 6 years on this effort to right a wrong in the ARTA process and,
NOW, THEREFORE, we wish to thank Rep. Chuck Kopp, and his supporters of HJR 38, the Anchorage Assembly, and the Council's Railroad Committee for the commitment to resolve this statewide issue.

Submitted _____ Vote _____ Y _____ N _____
Date _____ Date _____
Signature _____ Position _____

**Old Seward Oceanview Community Council (OSOVCC) #2
Resolution to Congressman Don Young and his staff
April 25, 2018**

A RESOLUTION TO THANK CONGRESSMAN YOUNG AND HIS COMMITMENT TO WORK WITH CONGRESS TO RESOLVE THE ISSUE OF THE IMPROPER ADMINISTRATION OF THE ARTA (1982) AND IN HIS SUPPORT OF HJR 38 IN THE ALASKA STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

WHEREAS, The Old Seward Oceanview Community Council has had a resolution from 2014 regarding the issuance of an Exclusive Use policy with the Alaska Railroad Corporation and
WHEREAS, there has been strong public and stakeholders against the exclusive use agreement of ARTA and,
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WHEREAS, the transfer for "rail properties of the Alaska Railroad" over privately -owned land only included the "Federal interest" in those lands, and
WHEREAS, nowhere in ARTA did Congress authorize the transfer of privately owned property interests, and
WHEREAS, our local Community Council has worked for nearly 6 years on this effort to right a wrong in the ARTA process and,
WHEREAS, Congressman Young has issued a letter of explanation regarding ARTA and expressed support for HJR38,
NOW THEREFORE, the Old Seward Oceanview Community Council extends a genuine thank you to Congressman Young and his staff for support for righting a wrong within the transfer act.

Submitted _____ Vote _____ Y _____ N _____
Date _____ Date _____
Signature _____ Position _____