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Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 10:01 AM
To: Crome; Cora J (GOV)
Subject: FW: Department of Fish and Game funding proposal #44823

From: Sandy [mailto:sacmatthews@acsalaska.net]
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 9:46 AM
To: King, James G (DNR)
Cc: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); rep_mike_chenault@legis.state.ak.us; Wagoner, Tom (LAA); Rep.paul.seaton@legis.state.ak.us; Olson, Kurt E (LAA); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Lloyd, Denby S (DFG); Swanton, Charles O (DFG); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Crome, Cora J (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); rep.kevin.meyer@legis.state.ak.us
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 5:09 PM
To: Irwin; Tom E (DNR)
Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Got it. Thanks

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 26 Mar 2008 09:17:35

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Fw: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

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From: Irwin, Tom E (DNR)

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Wed Mar 26 07:59:02 2008

Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Governor, we will work on some type of press release because it is good news about the progress. The closer we get to the end, and there is a large amount (years) of work remaining, the land selections get much harder because of things like over selections and complications with clear title.

The cabin issue is tough.

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Sorry this is so long, its one of the really tough issues. God bless your day. Tom

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Cc: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Wed Mar 26 07:07:46 2008

Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

How can we let Alaskans know the significance of this? It's good news and it does benefit them.

Also, is anything new on the idea (bad idea) of burning down the cabins/emergency shelters that are sitting on BLM lands throughout some parts of Alaska? I still hear questions on what I can do to stop it.

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From: "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 26 Mar 2008 00:09:53

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Governor, info if asked. The State has received over 3 million acres from the Feds in the last two years. Doesn't seem like too much for the size of Alaska but this is around the size of Delaware and Rhode Island combined. The 82,608 acres is in addition to what we have already received - this is the land within the TAPS Pipeline corridor in the Copper River Basin that was freed up through the discussions with BLM on their East Alaska Management Plan. This 82,608 acres is not actually traversed by the pipeline, but to the east and west. Some is land in the Alaska Range (just west of the Delta River) that the

mining folks are excited to get

and the rest is near the Gulkana Glacier. - the home of the Arctic Man snow machine race. BLM and state people have been working hard on getting title to Alaska lands.

The amount of land still owed the state is approx 11 million acres.

BLM and the state have also had significant success in obtaining uncontested title for Alaska to numerous navigable waterways in Alaska through recordable disclaimers.

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To: Irwin, Tom E (DNR)

Cc: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Tue Mar 25 21:53:03 2008

Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Thanks!

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 25 Mar 2008 21:30:19

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Governor, I don't think you have to do anything but I have asked our Mine/Land/Water people to give us a summary of all BLM lands transferred to the state over the last couple of years. I think it is now over 3-million acres. I will get an update out tomorrow.

God bless. Tom

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Katz, John W (GOV); Irwin, Tom E (DNR)
Cc: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Sent: Tue Mar 25 21:17:35 2008
Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Thank you for the info. Pls let me know if I need to do anything on this.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Tue, 25 Mar 2008 10:47:42
To: "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Cc: "Joseph Balash" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Mike Nizich" <Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov>, "Michael Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, "Sharon Leighow" <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us>
Subject: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

The Bureau of Land Management has just = published a public land order making 82,608 acres near Paxson available = for conveyance to the State under the Alaska Statehood Act. &nbs= p;

At least one Alaska reporter has inquired about = the BLM decision and the relevant background. So, I wanted you to = know.

The modification of PLO 5150 to recognize the = State's previous selections is the product of a lengthy planning = process initiated several years ago. The State originally asked the = Secretary of the Interior to release most of the lands in the TAPS = Corridor on the grounds that they are no longer needed for federal = purposes. While the 82,608 acres is far less than the State = originally sought, it does represent high priority acreage for DNR. =

The BLM is unlikely to make additional lands = within the TAPS Corridor south of the Yukon River available for State = selection any time soon. However, it will commence a

planning = process to consider acreage north of the Yukon which the State also would =
like to receive.

By separate email, I have advised other people = within the State administration of the
BLM's decision.

Please note that my email address has = changed. My new email address = is
<mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org
<mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> > > jwkatz@alaskadc.org. = Thank you .

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 2:25 PM
To: 'corinsak@gci.net'
Subject: RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 3:03 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Lenny Corin
address: 8201 Summerset Drive Anchorage AK 99518
907-344-5101

MESSAGE:

Gov. Palin,

We met recently at the North Pacific Fishery Management Council meeting and I hope that you are displaying on your refrigerator the magnet I gave you from the Maritime National Wildlife Refuge!

I've since retired from the Federal government and would like to make sure you are aware of the current inequity that exists for Federal retirees in Alaska compared to the lower 48 and look for your support for Federal legislation to correct this problem.

In Alaska and Hawaii Federal employees receive a Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) rather than Locality Pay (LP), which applies in the lower 48. The difference is that COLA does not apply toward retirement but LP does. For me this means that my pension is around 45% rather than 58% of my previous pay. As a result of this inequity, Alaska and Hawaii retirees receive the lowest retirement pay in the Nation for their grade and experience level. This inequity makes it difficult for retirees to remain in AK. It also makes recruitment and retention of experienced Federal employees difficult as employees are looking to maximize their retirement benefits toward the end of their careers.

Why should the State of Alaska care? I believe that the State of Alaska benefits from having the best and the brightest managing the extensive Federal estate in Alaska. By handicapping Federal managers through this inequitable system Alaska is at a disadvantage compared to Federal recruiters in the lower 48.

By losing retirees from Alaska you also lose money that would otherwise be spend in Alaska communities. You also lose an extremely valuable work force of potential community volunteers.

Thank you for your time and I hope that you will support Federal legislation that would place Alaska and Hawaii on equal footing with the rest of the Nation by converting our current system to Locality Pay. Please also assure that Federal retirees are not forgotten. I would hope that for the purpose of pension payments for current retirees that COLA can be included in calculations for retirement pay as well.

Sincerely,

Lenny Corin

corinsak@gci.net

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From: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MKRUTHERFORD]
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 11:44 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: Irwin; Tom E (DNR)
Subject: Re: Fw: Point Thomson question

Governor,

We are not announcing when the Commissioner will issue the decision on the PTU Remand Hearing. However it is fair to tell them that Superior Crt Judge Gleason has required we file a decision with her by June 15th.

Regarding the questions you will receive on AGIA, we are working on the Special Session Proclamation and draft press release, which will be to you and Sharon by the end of the day. Perhaps you could simply tell the press they will be hearing something specific from you by the end of the week.

Thanks,

Marty

----- Original Message -----

From: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)
Sent: Wed Mar 26 10:40:33 2008
Subject: Re: Fw: Point Thomson question

Thank you Marty.

Are we estimating a timeline yet on announcing DNR finding?

And Tibbles was stopped again today by McAllister asking about AGIA timing... just fyi... he (and other reporters) will be attending one of my legislative budget meetings this afternoon so he'll be asking me again about timing of special session and he'll want me to answer his "what's up with AGIA" standard questions.

"Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov> wrote:

Governor, All,

I am forwarding this exchange between Robert Dillon and Cammy Taylor (DNR's Oil & Gas Division) just so you know the correct information. The Wesley Loy' article in today's Anch Daily News inaccurately stated that ExxonMobil's proposal was filed with the Superior Crt. It was simply filed with DNR as part of the PTU Remand Hearing.

Marty

----- Original Message -----

From: Taylor, Cammy O (DNR)
To: rdillon@energyintel.com <rdillon@energyintel.com>
Cc: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)
Sent: Wed Mar 26 09:07:59 2008
Subject: Point Thomson question

Robert,

Attached is the "Post Hearing Brief of Exxon Mobil Corporation, BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc, Chevron USA Inc., and ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc." and a "[Proposed] Agreed Final Judgment and Order" filed with the DNR Commissioner Friday 3/21. These documents were filed for the Commissioner's consideration only. They were not filed with the Superior Court.

If you need any additional information you can reach me at cammy.taylor@alaska.gov or 907-269-8817. -Cammy

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From: Robert Dillon <RDillon@energyintel.com>
To: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Irwin, Tom E (DNR)
Sent: Wed Mar 26 06:59:40 2008
Subject:

Marty,

Can we talk sometime this morning about what's happening in the Point Thomson case? Wesley's story wasn't exactly clear on where things are. So Exxon has gone outside the admin hearing process and asked the state superior court to approve its plan? Are any of these docs online?

Sincerely,

R.A. Dillon

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 11:00 AM
To: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Homer Residents

Just rejected by 2:1 vote local bonding for \$8 million for park space and city hall amenities... If these "quality of life improvements" aren't supported locally, then the state should not be looked to to fund.

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To: Crome; Cora J (GOV)
Subject: FW: c.smith response /Karen Rehfeld and James King

From: cindysmi@acsalaska.net [mailto:cindysmi@acsalaska.net]
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 12:22 PM
To: King, James G (DNR)
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Division of Parks and Recreation
James King, Director

Alaska Department of Fish and Game/Sport Fish Division
Charlie Swanton, Director

Re: Oppose funding Fish & Game proposal #44823, to purchase Trujillo landing for a Lower Kasilof motorized Boat Launch

Mr. King and Mr. Swanton,

Thank you for responding to my letter.

It does not seem logical to me that Fish and Game receive funding to buy private property to construct a public access motorized boat launch, before their is any public concerns addressed, especially when the Trujillo parcel is the target and will have to be accessible through an established neighborhood of over 35 homeowners. Also, there is a private haulout north of Trujillo landing in Cohoe Cove where a large number of drift guide boats pull out now, so to insinuate that losing this haulout would devastate the drift fishery is not correct.

The other huge concern is all the conflicting information we receive by letter or when we have called different departments regarding this project, including the comment "that there is nothing on the horizon to change the character of the drift boat fishery". According to the appropriation request for this project it states that "boating use will be split between both power and non-motorized craft" and that "it is imperative that the public have motorized access to fish for kings and coho salmon". To me that sounds like there will be a change to the character of the fishery users on this river and is going to allow powerboat access on the Kasilof River.

My neighbors and I have received many letters to our correspondence with the same response "that sport fishing is an important component of the economy and quality of life on the Kenai Peninsula and boating access is an essential" What about the people that support this economy and community year around. I don't see most of these users in my local grocery store or supporting our economy throughout the winter. They make all of their money and then leave the state to spend their proceeds in their own community. Do we not have a right to enjoy our neighborhood and community? We do not feel like we have been heard on this issue, especially when we are told that we can have input after they have received funding. Where in the private sector do you ever get funding first without an assessment or concerns addressed to those that will be affected? This does not make any sense to me or others, and we feel like we are being railroaded.

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Many people in this community are very concerned that F & G wanting to put a public access motorized boat launch 3 1/2 miles up the Kasilof River, will bring an entirely new user group that is currently not here, of motorized boats with 2 stroke engines that have recently been prohibited for use on the Kenai River for Personal Use Fisheries, because of pollution. This will inundate the Kasilof River with these same users. I feel this would be devastating to the Kasilof River and our community.

One of the parcels being targeted by F&G for this boat Launch, is the Trujillo parcel, that is located among 35 established homeowners where I have lived for 16 years with all the same neighbors. There are many people, myself included, that walk everyday with their dogs and children year around, but during the summer it is very difficult even though Trujillo's only allow a limited amount of drift guide boats access to his landing, there is still an increased amount of traffic that feels too dangerous for me to enjoy walking or riding my horse in my own neighborhood. I can only imagine the devastation that will happen, if this public boat launch goes through our neighborhood.

I am concerned that once F&G get funding for this project we will not have a chance to keep it out of our neighborhood or protect the Kasilof River. I feel that public concerns should be addressed first and at least some limited impact studies done before funding is provided to this proposal.

Cynthia Smith
Kasilof Resident

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Kasilof Resident

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Subject: blogs

Keeping it secret

By [Stefan Milkowski](#)

Published Tuesday, March 25, 2008

Sen. Bert Stedman of Sitka today refused to disclose the Senate majority's spending plans for the capital budget, or even to say whether the group had set a limit.

He was asked multiple times by multiple people (including me) at this morning's news conference and after. Stedman, who is one of the co-chairs of the Finance Committee, and Senate President Lyda Green, both defended the concept of having a big capital budget in years when you have high revenues, like this year.

"A vigorous capital budget is what we need right now," said Green.

Stedman also said it was hard to set a dollar figure limit when he and others were still considering all the funding requests submitted by individual lawmakers for projects.

But Stedman flatly refused to say whether the majority had set a limit, let alone to share what it was. I don't know whether limits were always set in years past, but this year seems different. Gov. Sarah Palin and members of the Senate minority have been repeatedly calling for some kind of limit, and the potential to spend is high because of the huge budget surpluses expected.

Stedman said later that the "limit" was the amount of money available after savings, although it's unclear how much the majority aims to save. He added that he liked the idea of the state saving twice as much as it spends.

McAllister:

The V word, Chapter V

Posted: March 25, 2008 06:40 PM

Rep. Jay Ramras wants it known that he and Gov. Palin are on good terms.

Ramras continues to suffer from my blog entry, "The V Word," which discussed a bit of word association that led him to use the word "vagina," when I meant to indicate "vetoes."

Ramras and I were talking in the House speaker's chamber just after the governor attended an open caucus. Therefore, he had been concerned that she would take offense.

But she did not. Ramras says that after he wrote her a note of apology, she responded by coming to his office with a nice note saying she wasn't offended -- and with a plate and a cookie for him.

"The governor and I are fine," Ramras said tonight.

Which is pretty remarkable, actually, not because of the V word, but because of the M word:

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McCarthyism, which is what Ramras accused her of leading up to the special session on oil taxes, for allegedly associating with corruption anyone who would oppose the tax increase she backed. Palin responded to him at the time that there was no need to be paranoid.

But now he might say there is.

Sorry, Jay!

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 9:23 AM
To: worldtop@gci.net
Subject: RE: Budget

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, March 25, 2008 6:55 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Glen Williams
address: 11200 Hideaway Trail Anchorage AK 99507
907-346-1749

MESSAGE:

I like "minority" Sen. Bunde's ideas about savings accounts and preparing for years ahead when the state will not have as much money. Paying down the TRS/PERS debt would certainly be helpful and save a lot on interest on that debt.

Love you, pray for you every day. Keep up the great work you are doing!

glen and jan

worldtop@gci.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 9:22 AM
To: Provost; Kathryn T (GOV)
Cc: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Natural_Resources

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, March 25, 2008 6:57 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Natural_Resources

Web mail from: Ms. Kathleen Menke
address: PO Box 781 Haines AK 99827

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin:

Congratulations on your new child on the way. I appreciate the many things you are doing to look out for the best interests of Alaskans--especially putting more transparency and accountability into natural resource issues.

Two things you can do better:

#1 Give more support to the Alaska Marine Highway because this supports locals businesses and the economy and provides safe and reliable travel for school teams and for elders. AMH is a necessity for outlying communities who must travel to Juneau for medical and airport.

#2 Respect the people of the Alaska's votes on predator control issues. Extend your respect for life to respect for all life and nature's balance. As humans in Alaska, we need healthy populations in their natural balance, respect for ourselves, each other, and for all life. Don't do an end run around the people on this issue.

ci@akmk.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 8:07 AM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Tax reductions

Russ- could you also find out where our tire tax and biz license fee bills are? I want to keep pushing those because the state doesn't need the money we're taking and administering off tires and small business.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 7:40 AM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey; Ivy personal
Subject: Fw: Fireman's disease legislation

Here's why pro-CON repeal folks can't get their hopes up... even our friends like Stoltze are sending mixed messages about who's to blame for sitting on this. We'll keep working on it today.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 26 Mar 2008 07:12:02

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Fireman's disease legislation

I went by last night and Meyer was in a meeting, Chenault was out. It's #1 on my list for this a.m.

I'm getting conflicting information from Stoltze, also, and dropped in on him last night but he was mtg with another leggie. I asked staff to let him know why I stopped by and that I'd follow up this a.m. We'll get it cleared up today.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Sent: Tue Mar 25 22:17:00 2008
Subject: Fireman's disease legislation

Mike- we didn't get to finish our conversation on Nancy's bill re: firefighters. I haven't acted on it, but I don't oppose it. Haven't seen a fiscal note on it, but if Nancy asks for our help on it I will help her out.

Also, anyone know why Meyer and Chenault still won't schedule the CON bill? I tried calling both offices this evening but it was after hours. I'll try again tomorrow so that

I'm on record, again, as asking for hearings and action on the measure. I'm still 100-percent committed to repeal, and am perplexed and disappointed with their lack of progress.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 7:38 AM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Re: CON

Thanks. And one of the ones suggesting that I get on Meyer about this is Stoltze... and on the Senate side Huggins told Anna that he wasn't doing anything with our bill (though he's always supported the idea) because I was "inconsiderate" by not giving him a head's up that I was introducing it in January (though I talked about it in the State of State, and met with Huggins last year on this when he and Bob Lynn told me I'd have to be the one introducing it because their bills weren't progressing through the Leg as they'd hoped). Odd.

Huggins didn't have an answer for: if this has been bothering you for all this time and has held up the issue on the Senate side, why didn't you "communicate" that to the 3rd floor?

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From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 26 Mar 2008 07:15:40

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: CON

Just responded to your e-mail from last night...I'm on it first thing this a.m. We'll get have some answers quickly. Some folks are talking out of both sides of their mouths...if I'm to believe what I heard yesterday from Stoltze. I'll get clarity today...and it will be the first time :)

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Sent: Wed Mar 26 07:09:29 2008

Subject: CON

Pls check on Meyer's action on scheduling CON bill today. Wonder why he's sitting on it.
Thanks

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 7:08 AM
To: Irwin; Tom E (DNR)
Cc: Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

How can we let Alaskans know the significance of this? It's good news and it does benefit them.

Also, is anything new on the idea (bad idea) of burning down the cabins/emergency shelters that are sitting on BLM lands throughout some parts of Alaska? I still hear questions on what I can do to stop it.

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From: "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 26 Mar 2008 00:09:53

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Governor, info if asked. The State has received over 3 million acres from the Feds in the last two years. Doesn't seem like too much for the size of Alaska but this is around the size of Delaware and Rhode Island combined. The 82,608 acres is in addition to what we have already received - this is the land within the TAPS Pipeline corridor in the Copper River Basin that was freed up through the discussions with BLM on their East Alaska Management Plan. This 82,608 acres is not actually traversed by the pipeline, but to the east and west. Some is land in the Alaska Range (just west of the Delta River) that the mining folks are excited to get

and the rest is near the Gulkana Glacier. - the home of the Arctic Man snow machine race. BLM and state people have been working hard on getting title to Alaska lands.

The amount of land still owed the state is approx 11 million acres.

BLM and the state have also had significant success in obtaining uncontested title for Alaska to numerous navigable waterways in Alaska through recordable disclaimers.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Irwin, Tom E (DNR)

Cc: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Tue Mar 25 21:53:03 2008

Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Thanks!

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 25 Mar 2008 21:30:19

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Governor, I don't think you have to do anything but I have asked our Mine/Land/Water people to give us a summary of all BLM lands transferred to the state over the last couple of years. I think it is now over 3-million acres. I will get an update out tomorrow. God bless. Tom

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Katz, John W (GOV); Irwin, Tom E (DNR)

Cc: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Tue Mar 25 21:17:35 2008

Subject: Re: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

Thank you for the info. Pls let me know if I need to do anything on this.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Tue, 25 Mar 2008 10:47:42

To: "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Joseph Balash" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Mike Nizich" <Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov>, "Michael Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, "Sharon Leighow" <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us>

Subject: State Selections/TAPS Corridor

The Bureau of Land Management has just published a public land order making 82,608 acres near Paxson available for conveyance to the State under the Alaska Statehood Act. & nbs= p;

At least one Alaska reporter has inquired about the BLM decision and the relevant background. So, I wanted you to know.

The modification of PLO 5150 to recognize the State's previous selections is the product of a lengthy planning process initiated several years ago. The State originally asked the Secretary of the Interior to release most of the lands in the TAPS Corridor on the grounds that they are no longer needed for federal purposes. While the 82,608 acres is far less than the State originally sought, it does represent high priority acreage for DNR.

The BLM is unlikely to make additional lands within the TAPS Corridor south of the Yukon River available for State selection any time soon. However, it will commence a planning process to consider acreage north of the Yukon which the State also would like to receive.

By separate email, I have advised other people within the State administration of the BLM's decision.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org > >

jwkatz@alaskadc.org. = Thank you .

Unknown

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 8:59 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: commissioner of education

Dear governor palin. Let me know when they forward a name to you. Privileged or Personal Material
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the way the department of law has there times the per capita enrollment of any other department in the presidential fitness challenge. 20 percent and rising. Talis.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Sent: Thu Mar 27 20:55:32 2008
Subject: Re: commissioner of education

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From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 20:53:40
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: commissioner of education

Did they forward a name yet? Talis.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Sent: Thu Mar 27 20:52:09 2008
Subject: Re: commissioner of education

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 14:59:21

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: commissioner of education

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Dear Governor Palin,

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 7:40 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Todd
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

No, thank YOU for being dogged about this and getting McAllister to understand this. Yes, I'd be happy to be interviewed by him. Too often the leggies who choose to play this "he-said/she-said" game get away with telling untruths... and we're left looking "uncommunicative". Lyda's done it numerous times to us, as have others. McAllister's interest in this allows us to clear this one up, and more importantly illustrates for him what we're up against in this strange political world we're trying to work in. Thank you

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 19:33:22

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Rowland, Mindy B (GOV)" <mindy.rowland@alaska.gov>, "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Subject: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

Governor-

I spoke with Bill McAllister a few minutes ago and he agreed to do a follow up story on the Speaker's accusation that he didn't know about the meeting. Russ called Senator Therriault and Representative Coghill and they will both confirm on the record that they spoke to Speaker Harris about the meeting. Since we are basically calling Harris out on his lie, Bill wants the opportunity to interview Harris on the issue. I hope I didn't overstep - but I promised Bill and interview with you tomorrow. Russ said he would be happy to take part and talk about the timeline/paper trail. Thank you.

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

Deputy Communications Director

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 6:38 PM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: SB245-- Friday plans

What happened to it?

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Kim, Anna C (GOV)" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 14:38:11

To: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, mike.tibbles@alaska.gov, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: SB245-- Friday plans

See below. Here is a little bit of what may be expected for SB 245
Friday at 1:30 Senate HES meeting. At best they will pass the bill out
in some form.

Anna

Anna Clark Kim
Special Staff Assistant
Office of the Governor

-----Original Message-----

From: Hill, Sherry (HSS)
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 2:35 PM
To: Kraly, Stacie L (LAW); Kim, Anna C (GOV)
Subject: RE: SB245-- Friday plans

Don is still sick but Tom O. thinks that the discussion will be around

the addition of the study. I'd say if I can call you on your cell if absolutely needed, then we should be ok.

-Sherry

Note my new e-mail address! Sherry.Hill@alaska.gov

Sherry Hill, MScPR
Assistant Commissioner for Public Affairs
Alaska Department of Health and Social Services
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907-465-1618/cell 907-321-2838

-----Original Message-----

From: Kraly, Stacie L (LAW)
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 8:36 AM
To: Hill, Sherry (HSS); Kim, Anna C (GOV)
Subject: RE: SB245-- Friday plans

It will be very difficult for me to get away on Friday afternoon as I am teaching a class - but we can figure out what you need and I will do everything possible to assist as I can. Just let me know, I go to Anchorage tomorrow so I will be available via cell and email tomorrow.

Stacie L. Kraly
Chief Assistant Attorney General
Human Services Section
907.465.4164 (direct)
907.465.2539 (fax)

-----Original Message-----

From: Hill, Sherry (HSS)

Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 7:46 AM
To: Kraly, Stacie L (LAW); Kim, Anna C (GOV)
Subject: FW: SB245-- Friday plans

as soon as I hear from Don I will pass that along. Stacie-- I'll let you know if you are needed to call in or if we just need to be able to call you on your cell.

-Sherry

Note my new e-mail address! Sherry.Hill@alaska.gov

Sherry Hill, MScPR
Assistant Commissioner for Public Affairs
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-----Original Message-----

From: Don Burrell [mailto:Don_Burrell@legis.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, March 25, 2008 8:55 PM
To: Hill, Sherry (HSS)
Subject: RE: SB245-- Friday plans

I'm sorry for not getting back to you sooner. I am out sick with bronchitis. As soon as I get back to the office, I'll give you a heads up on what's taking place Friday.

Thanks!!!

From: Hill, Sherry (HSS) [sherry.hill@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, March 25, 2008 4:38 PM

To: Don Burrell

Subject: SB245-- Friday plans

Don:

right now Commissioner Jackson and Dr. Butler will be at the hearing on Friday (along with me!). Attorney Stacie Kraly is in Anchorage teaching a class, but she could make herself available to answer questions if you need that.

Let me know what is planned and whether we need Stacie to call in. I see it is the only bill on the agenda, so please let me know if that changes and other bills are added before SB245.

thanks,

-Sherry

Note my new e-mail address!

Sherry.Hill@alaska.gov<mailto:Sherry.Hill@alaska.gov>

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 5:23 PM
To: Todd; Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Is someone in my office?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 1:49 PM
To: Bailey; Frank T (GOV)
Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Fishermen's Fund

Yep- there's some family thing there. Looks good tho. Thanks!

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 13:21:33

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Subject: Fishermen's Fund

Governor,

For the 5th and final spot on the Fisherman's Fund Commission I'd like to recommend Privileged or
Privileged or Personal Material to represent the 4th district. Privileged would fill the seat vacated
when Andy Ruby passed away late last fall.

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Todd speaks well of Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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Frank Bailey
Director, Boards and Commissions
Office of Governor Sarah Palin
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 11:46 AM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Togiak

I'll meet whenever you deem it most appropriate- I'll let janice know april 15 is the recommendation. By then we should have solutions presented and many angles covered (ie. Legal advice, public safety concerns addressed, etc), I would hope. Thanks

Also- pls include Rhonda in the loop on the solutions that are being sought here. I can ask Kris to work with her in Anchorage office on doing as much background info gathering as she can, so she can help advise.

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From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 11:26:15

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Togiak

Dear Governor Palin,

I think this would need to be more than a few moments. How about April 15 in Anchorage two days after the session ends?

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 11:18 AM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Re: Togiak

Of course we need to meet on this asap. Janice can put on sched whenever you need to meet with me. This is a volitile situation and I will need Walt and others to have solutions presented when we meet, instead of a briefing on what the continued problems are. Also,
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From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 11:00:31

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: Togiak

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Dear Governor Palin,

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 11:04 AM
To: Kreitzer; Annette E (DOA); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Re: IBU strike ballots going out

Janice can put on schedule whenever you need to meet with me on this.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)" <annette.kreitzer@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 09:07:37

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: IBU strike ballots going out

Governor:

We met yesterday with Randy Ruaro and DOT/PF including Commissioner von Scheben. We are preparing a timeline and will be looking to brief you in a week or so, depending on your availability.

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We'll look forward to getting on your schedule for a comprehensive briefing.

On another note, we'll be giving PSEA a best and final offer today. I'll make a decision after a meeting at 9:30 a.m. as to what that is going to be.

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, March 25, 2008 7:51 PM

To: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Cc: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Subject: Re: IBU strike ballots going out

Thank you. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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From: "Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)" <annette.kreitzer@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 25 Mar 2008 11:27:19

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Sutch, Nancy A (DOA)" <nancy.sutch@alaska.gov>, "Sheehan, Katherine E (DOA)" <kate.sheehan@alaska.gov>, "Brooks, Kevin A (DOA)" <kevin.brooks@alaska.gov>, "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: IBU strike ballots going out

Governor:

I just heard through Randy Ruaro that one of the maritime units - Inland Boatmens Union (IBU) is sending out strike ballots to its members. Apparently on the radio, a member is quoted as saying that "the entire west coast" maritime organizations will join in the strike. We'll run that down, but wanted you to know in the meantime.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 10:05 AM
To: 'muhrune@hotmail.com'
Subject: RE: Fish_and_Game

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 9:45 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fish_and_Game

Web mail from: Ms. Ellen Mannion
address: P.O. Box 70128 Fairbanks AK 99707

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin,

I've been told that all the members of the State Board of Game are also members of the Alaska Outdoor Council, a group that seems to be interested in the management of game solely for the benefit of hunters. I do not believe this to be appropriate. Many of Alaska's residents enjoy our wildlife in non-consumptive ways. Our tourist industry also requires the presence of more than just moose and caribou in our areas of wilderness. The State Board of Game needs a broader view. Much of the depletion of harvestable game results from excessive hunting and depletion of habitat but the State Board of Game declines to look at these problems because of the blinders they wear. Please make the membership of this group more representative of the population of Alaska. Thank you, Ellen Mannion

muhrune@hotmail.com

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From: Jennifer Spall [Jennifer.Spall@wal-mart.com]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 10:00 AM
To: Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: bpgalaska@aol.com
Subject: NGA Application for State Capital Energy Audits

Governor Palin:

As you may know, Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. and the National Governors Association (NGA) recently announced the formation of the "Greening State Capitols" partnership. The unique public-private partnership between NGA and Wal-Mart will offer energy audits of capitol complexes and provide recommendations on efficiency improvements and estimates of how much energy and money each state can save. I am attaching a copy of the application, as well as a copy of the NGA letter detailing the process for your review.

The National Governors Association will help identify and recruit state participants. Once a state is selected, it will identify a team of four to five experts to assist in the energy audit and implement the resulting recommendations. Within one year of the audits completion, participating states are asked to provide the NGA Center for Best Practices with a two page report of actions taken and resulting savings. NGA will catalogue these results for distribution.

During a two-day auditing process, Wal-Mart will send a team of engineering experts to survey the state capitol facilities and suggest energy efficiency improvements based on technologies Wal-Mart has successfully deployed in many stores, clubs and other facilities around the world. The areas covered by the audit will include:

- * Lighting;
- * Heating, ventilation and air-conditioning systems (HVAC);
- * Refrigeration and other equipment;

- * Technologies such as programmable thermostats; and
- * Building structure, including insulation and windows.

Following the initial audit, the engineers will produce a report with recommended energy efficiency improvements and estimated costs to the state, as well as the potential energy savings and carbon dioxide reductions. Wal-Mart will only recommend technologies with a return on investment within five years, unless a state specifically asks for a different time frame. At a state's request, Wal-Mart will use its procurement capabilities to attract bids from interested companies and facilitate installation of the recommended technologies.

We are committed to sharing what we learn about reducing energy use and increasing building efficiencies and working with the NGA in a collaborative manner we feel we can help accelerate the deployment of new technologies and best practices while saving states money and protecting the environment.

I hope that you consider applying for the program on behalf of the state of Alaska. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Best,

Jennifer Spall Senior Manager
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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 9:58 AM
To: 'drewchugach@acsalaska.net'
Subject: RE: Legal_and_lawsuits

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 3:42 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Legal_and_lawsuits

Web mail from: Ms. Carol Sanner
address: P.O. Box 218 Girdwood AK 99587

MESSAGE:

I would like to comment on CSHB 256(JUD) which I think is poorly conceived legislation even in its current revision which pretends to seek validation from ADF&G on predator control. There have been at least 2 state referenda on predator control and aerial hunting of wolves, both of which have demonstrated public opposition for this policy. Yet, the Board of Game and the legislature persist in overturning the public will.

As a wildlife/fisheries biologist for the last 35 years (schooling in Alaska and the Lower 48), I have worked from the arctic to the tropics, for both state (Alaska), federal, and international agencies. I am a 46-year resident of Alaska from a family who depended on moose and caribou for subsistence, but I find these predator control policies appallingly archaic. With this legislation, you have set modern wildlife management back at least a century to the days of market hunting and government sponsored predator annihilation.

This policy erroneously and arrogantly presumes that we can somehow artificially sustain ungulate populations at some density as if they are cattle in a pasture, isolated from all other natural factors. There is plenty of historical evidence for predator control as an ecological disaster. It is a short termed and short sighted attempt to increase opportunity and access to game for a few people in interior Alaska who have considerable political clout in the legislature and whose interests are over-represented on the Game Board. In fact, our wildlife resources are to be managed for all its citizens. It is politically expedient for you to pay lip service to "subsistence" users, however, it

appears this legislation especially benefits registered big game guides who would become the market hunters of wolves and bears, with no guarantee there will be a cause and effect between removal of predators and increase in moose or caribou. Eventually there will have to be some sacrifices made o

n the part of bush hunters as human population pressure increases beyond what can be compensated for with predator control.

This is NOT sustained yield management of resources, nor is it scientifically- based conservation. Why bother to even have a Department of Fish and Game with professional biologists when you have the Board of Game who may act unchecked? This is purely a political power play with our resources, glossed over with a thin veneer of science for its justification. I no longer have any confidence in this system of management when it benefits only select user groups and serves only partisan appointees.

And although Senators Therriault and Wilkens, and I grew up in the same town, we might as well have come from different planets, when I see their support for such legislation. It is indeed sad that this legislation represents only the most insular and provincial example of Alaska's wildlife management and it makes a mockery of resource conservation.

I am not a protectionist, my entire career has been spent balancing human needs with resource protection for the Forest Service, Departments of Fish and Game; Transportation and Public Facilities; and the Army Corps of Engineers. But I find this legislation an outright abuse of our resource legacy.

Thanks for the opportunity to comment.

Carol Jo Sanner

CC: Sen. Lyda Green, et al.

drewchugach@acsalaska.net

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 9:04 AM
To: Lloyd; Denby S (DFG)
Cc: Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Kasilof River Boat Launch

I'm on record as supporting area Reps and Senator in their quest to NOT fund and forward the boat launch. So we need to yank in out of budget, per their request.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 8:44 AM
To: Crome; Cora J (GOV)
Cc: Wilken; Jessica M (GOV); Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Environment

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 10:57 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Environment

Web mail from: Ms. Sophia Taeschner
address: 48760 Wendy Lane Soldotna AK 99669
(907) 252-2256

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

My name is Sophia Taeschner and recently me and my partner Bailey Walgenbach have been selected as a finalist team for the Caring for the Kenai project. We have very strict time barriers holding us from our research, and currently we are trying to gather as much federal budget and funding information as we can in this short time that we have to prepare for our main and oral presentation. I understand completely that you have thousands of stresses to deal with and work with everyday, and many many concerns and e-mails to reply to. I just hope that you may find the time to help us in our quest to properly inform the judges and the public about how much it would cost to implement our eco-friendly proposal.

Our topic is Bilge Water Disposal. I chose to write about this issue because my family owns a commercial fishing boat, so I know the difficulties and nuances of keeping it clean and smoothly running. Bilge water is dumped illegally by hundreds of boats in the Kachemak bay area, and my proposal is to implement a 'Bilge Suck-Out Station.' for convenience, our thought is that the necessary suction equipment would simply be added onto an existing fuel dock, and our starting point is in the Homer Harbor. The basic idea is that tubing and suction will clean out the boats' bilge water, and then work its way through 4 large holding tanks, in which the oil decanting process can begin. By the time the oily water reaches the 4th tank, most of the oily sludgy toxins have been filtered out, and the rest of the water is run through a filter, then the result is clean water that can be deposited back into the ocean.

of course, in order to make this dream a reality, i would need to get very close cost estimates. Im not exactly sure what department deals with marine oil and bilge spills, but i would like to know, if in your opinion, the state of Alaska would be willing to fund this project? Any comments or concerns you may have towards our idea would be very helpful and insightful for our research purposes. thank you so much for your time.

--Sincerely,

Sophia Taeschner

zomb70@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 8:41 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2008 11:48 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Kevin Elliott
address: 1316 Misawa Court Vallejo CA 94591

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin:

You're my dream of what real citizen-leadership is all about in the United States of America. I hope that John McCain has the good sense to ask you to join his ticket as his running mate this year. I can't think of a greater gift that Alaska could give the nation.

Please find the time to come to California so that we can have the opportunity to know you better...you're just the sort of leader that America needs and somehow it seems cruel that Alaskans have you all to themselves!

I realize that you have to prioritize your time to reply to email from Alaskans but your biggest fan in the San Francisco Bay Area anxiously awaits a word or two from you!

Fond regards,

Kevin Elliott

kevinrelliott@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 8:31 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)

Would u bring me a Sharpie in conf room?

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Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 8:27 AM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Subject: Re: FAA Monitoring Station Power Extension Project

This is one to be funded- how do we take it out of supplemental and put in capital?

----- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)
Sent: Thu Mar 27 07:21:24 2008
Subject: FW: FAA Monitoring Station Power Extension Project

From: Rep. Beth Kerttula [mailto:Representative_Beth_Kerttula@legis.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 7:16 AM
To: Kelly, Russell T (GOV); McCarty, Hannah (LAA); Elton, Kim S (LAA); Doll, Andrea (LAA)
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Sent: Tuesday, March 25, 2008 7:11 PM

To: Hannah McCarty

Cc: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Rep. Beth Kerttula; Jesse Kiehl; Susan Hargis

Subject: RE: FAA Monitoring Station Power Extension Project

Thanks, Hannah.

Russ Kelly

Legislative Director

Office of Governor Sarah Palin <<http://gov.state.ak.us/>>

State of Alaska

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**Please note my new e-mail address: russ.kelly@alaska.gov

From: Hannah McCarty [mailto:Hannah_McCarty@legis.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, March 25, 2008 2:30 PM

To: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Cc: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Kerttula, Beth (LAA); Kiehl, Jesse W (LAA); Hargis, Susan (LAA)

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Sincerely,

Hannah McCarty

Rep. Beth Kerttula

State Capital

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Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 8:04 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Museum

There's a Ray Troll event at the state museum on sat. Would u find out about that - it may be a local event that Piper and I could attend, we haven't had a weekend here to attend some of the local events and this may be a good one that Piper could enjoy.

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Subject: Re: FAA Monitoring Station Power Extension Project

It is a project that we'll fund- tho the Feds should have done so. You can let Beth know that. Also, did you tell Gara and Lynn that I do support their Darfur efforts? I spoke to Mike Burns, let him know my opinion - it's only \$10-12 million in investment so I can not imagine why Burns thinks it's worth it to keep the investment when we could find something more profitable even, anywhere else in the world.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 1:13 PM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV)
Subject: FW: Child support issue - [Privileged or Personal Material Redacted]

From: Rotola, Henriatha L (DOA)
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 11:44 AM
To: Kerttula, Beth (LAA); Hauke, Aurora (LAA)
Cc: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: FW: Child support issue - [Privileged or Personal Material Redacted]

Hi Aurora!!!

I am so happy with the response I received from CSSD Resolution Officer Willis Hauser. I just hope the final decision from CSSD is in my favor.

I want to thank you and Beth for your help once again!!! This is why I always tell people she is the best and so is her staff. I really do! **You guys are the most caring people FOR THE PEOPLE!!!** I have never seen anyone handle situations with excellence, speed and accurately while making sure those procedures within state government are followed correctly.

I thank you Beth and your staff!!!

*Henriatha Rotola
State of Alaska Division of Personnel & Labor Relations
Resource Payroll Services
(907) 465-6737
Fax (907) 465-4825*

From: Hauser, Willis A (DOR)
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 10:40 AM
To: Rotola, Henriatha L (DOA)
Subject: Child support issue - [Privileged or Personal Material Redacted]

Henriatha,

We have been in contact with the Department of Juvenile Justice concerning [Privilege] placement. We have received additional information concerning the placement and based on that information I have removed the hold on your child support case to allow the child support payments that were holding on the case to disburse to you.

Child support for [Privile] remains owed to you and although there hasn't been a final decision made on the placement issue, it seems to be appropriate to disburse the child support to you. The decisions on [Privilege] placement are being worked by supervisors and managers above me; however, I will try to keep you informed based on the information I receive. Hopefully the issue will have a final resolution shortly.

As soon as I receive a final decision I will let you know.

Will

10/23/2009

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 2:39 PM
To: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: bill mcallister

Governor -

Bill McAllister may attend the 3:30 with Therriault, Coghill and Harris. He might ask for a comment about the ed funding bill.

Sharon Leighow
Deputy Press Secretary
Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage
(907) 465-4031 Juneau
(907) 240-7943 cell

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From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 11:34 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: RE: Libraries - State Historical Records

Thanks so much. We're plowing through these.

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 11:31 AM
To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Re: Libraries - State Historical Records

sounds fine

"Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov> wrote:
Governor,

Here are appointment recommendations for the Council on Libraries and State Historical Records Advisory Board. Background checks done. Some of these are tough to find folks for but this fills 9 of 10 spots we're trying to resolve on these 2 boards.

State Historical Records Advisory Board – Reviews, recommends approval of federal grant requests; helps plan for statewide records management needs.

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Advisory Council on Libraries - Plans, develops, and evaluates library services in Alaska; advises state on federal library issues. We recommend:

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Frank Bailey
Director, Boards and Commissions
Office of Governor Sarah Palin
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 8:46 PM
To: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Cc: Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Balash speech

He just did an outstanding job with the foresters - he gave the keynote at the dinner and was great. I learned a lot, everyone did.

He gave you all lots of kudos for working as a great team for all Alaskans.

Thank you Joe!

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 7:40 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: In case you missed it

Bill McAllister mentioned Harris' lie on the 6 o'clock newscast!

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 6:29 PM
To: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Cc: Von Scheben; Leo (DOT); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Re: AMHS / Prince Rupert Dock

Sounds good thanks

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 18:24:05

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Von Scheben, Leo (DOT)" <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: AMHS / Prince Rupert Dock

Governor:

Just after I e-mailed you, Mayor Herb Pond from Prince Rupert called. He said he was somewhat embarrassed by the situation and that the City of Prince Rupert will repair the dock at their expense. He said the cost will be about \$1 million and their goal is to have the dock fixed by Memorial Day.

I am working on setting up a meeting between the Mayor and the DOT engineer and DOT shore-side supervisor who are traveling to Prince Rupert. They can visit and inspect the dock and the Mayor can explain his plans for repairs to them. They can then brief the Commissioner and the rest of us on Sunday.

Randy

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 5:48 PM

To: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)

Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV)

Subject: Re: AMHS / Prince Rupert Dock

Thank you Randy. Glad we're demanding they uphold the lease agreement.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 15:32:31

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

Subject: AMHS / Prince Rupert Dock

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DOT's communications officer, Roger Wetherell, is issuing a press release and handling press inquiries.

I will keep you updated as events unfold.

Randy

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 5:49 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Tomorrow - Saturday

You don't have to come in- it will be very casual throughout the day, I'll call if I need any answers to anything, but no need to come in. Thanks

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 17:27:46

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: Tomorrow - Saturday

Governor - I forgot to ask before you left what time you would like me in tomorrow. We are trying to change the Kawasaki meeting to Monday as he is going to ANC tonight. Janice

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Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 5:45 PM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Rep Meyer-Scheduling HB 337 Health Care Transparency Act

Russ- what did Meyer say on this? I haven't tried calling him again based on you speaking to him- but I will attempt again if he still isn't budging. Others who also want the bill heard must start speaking up, asap, including publicly bringing it to light that Meyer is sitting on it.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kim, Anna C (GOV)" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 16:50:07

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Rep Meyer-Scheduling HB 337 Health Care Transparency Act

Were you able to ask Rep Meyer to get the bill scheduled? Just want to confirm either way. I am hearing from legislators that Meyer will not schedule the bill.

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Anna Clark Kim
Special Staff Assistant
Office of the Governor

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From: haeg@alaska.net
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 4:40 PM
To: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV); Shanks; Brenda O (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Peacock; Sara J (GOV); Mitchell; Lorraine E (GOV); Bavard; Mary Lou (GOV); Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Spencer; Kari L (GOV); O'Quinn; Jonathan S (GOV); Mills; Andy J (GOV); Bluhm; Jason R (GOV); rachelle_albay@gov.state.ak.us; Burnham; Diane A (GOV); Clark; Kami S (GOV); John Bitney; Parnell; Sean R (GOV); Metcalfe; John Fk (GOV); Hanrahan; Jo Ellen (GOV); Derr; Barbara A (GOV); Kimlinger; Tom M (GOV); Clark; Scott M (GOV)
Subject: Public Notice - Haeg v. State

PUBLIC NOTICE

This case has exposed Alaska State Troopers, prosecutors, and defense attorneys that have misled an Alaskan court to intentionally deprive a citizen of due process or a fundamentally fair trial. Your attendance is being requested at oral arguments which have been set for May 8, 2008 1:30 p.m.

Defendant David Haeg asks you read the attached Reply Brief and Supporting Caselaw and then attend the Court of Appeals Oral Arguments in Anchorage. They will be held in the fifth floor courtroom of the Boney Courthouse building at 303 K. Street. Each side is allotted 30 minutes.

This case is serious enough the U.S. Department of Justice has formally asked for all past, present, and future documentation.

If you want to know "the other side of the story" the State's Appellee Brief (and others) are on the website: www.alaskastateofcorruption.com

If you wish to express your opinion in the appeal (A-9455) directly to the Court you can write the Court of Appeals at:

Alaska Court of Appeals
303 K. Street
Anchorage, AK 99501
(907-264-0612)

You need to state on your letter that you also sent a copy to the prosecution at:

State of Alaska
Office of Special Prosecutions & Appeals
310 K. Street, Suite 403
Anchorage, AK 99501
(907-269-6379)

Please send a copy of your letter to David Haeg (address below or email) along with a copy to the State.

We greatly appreciate as many show up as possible to witness what is going on. If nothing else we respectfully ask everybody to forward this email on to as many people as possible - both in State and out- especially your government representatives, local media, & Frontline (PBS).

If you need anymore information please feel free to call, email, or write David Haeg at (907)

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262-9249; haeg@alaska.net; P.O. Box 123 Soldotna, Alaska 99669 and/or Wendell Jones (former Alaska State Trooper) at (907) 424-7607; jones942@ak.net; P.O. Box 942, Cordova, Alaska 99574.

You don't know how much my family and I would appreciate this.

Sincerely,

David S. Haeg

10/23/2009

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 1:40 PM
To: Leschper, Beth (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: S&P Alaska reports

Pls let them know that. Remember some in Revenue thought we "hijacked" the Perm Fund announcement because it came from us instead of them? I tried diplomatically to explain that to them.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 13:35:06

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: S&P Alaska reports

As a general rule -- good news comes from the governor's office, bad news comes from the commissioners!

Beth

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 1:32 PM

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV)

Subject: Fw: S&P Alaska reports

-----Original Message-----

From: "Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 12:09:44

To: Mike Tibbles <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, Sarah Palin

<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: S&P Alaska reports

Good news from NYC. The state's bond rating has been upgraded by S&P, the first upgrade for the state since 1992. We're preparing a press release from DOR. Let me know if you want it to come from the Governor's Office.

-Pat

**Sent from my hand-held device. Please excuse any shorthand or typos.

Thank You.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 1:38 PM
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fw: **Privileged** Criminal Case

-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 09:37:51

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Terry Clark Criminal Case

Dear Governor Palin,

I spoke with Mr. Svobodny. While it is always true that we could use more prosecutors this case is not being ignored. It is being processed and there is an attorney assigned to it. It is active and Mr. Svobodny confirmed that it is actively being worked on, even before my inquiry this morning. Talis

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 7:29 AM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Fw: **Privileged or F** Criminal Case

Is there anything to be done here? Instead of just sitting on this case?

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Kristan Cole" <kccole@mtaonline.net>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 07:23:06

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Privileged or P Criminal Case

Governor, I am sure this is no surprise to you (see email correspondence below), but pretty frustrating. I guess we have no choice but to just wait. Kristan

From: DeGraaf, Derek J (DPS) [mailto:derek.degraaf@alaska.gov]

Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 9:49 PM

To: kccole@mtaonline.net

Subject: RE: Arctic Alaska Waters Expression of Interest

Will do, I appreciate your patience. The sad thing is this is normal across the state. The DA's are way understaffed, so they take the serious offenses against people before the property crimes. Derek

Sergeant Derek DeGraaf

Alaska State Troopers

Alaska Bureau of Investigation CFCU

Department of Homeland Security

620 E. 10th Ave. Anchorage, AK 99501

From: Kristan Cole [mailto:kccole@mtaonline.net]
Sent: Thu 3/27/2008 4:33 PM
To: DeGraaf, Derek J (DPS)
Subject: RE: Arctic Alaska Waters Expression of Interest

Ok thanks, keep me posted after your meeting. Kristan

From: DeGraaf, Derek J (DPS) [mailto:derek.degraaf@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 4:21 PM
To: kccole@mtaonline.net
Subject: RE: Arctic Alaska Waters Expression of Interest

Not really. They are backed up because there are not enough prosecutors. Calling would likely just tick him off. I plan on scheduling a meeting with him within the next couple of weeks to go over the case, so I hope that will start the process.

If you need to get an update, let them know prosecution is pending... I wish there was more. Derek

Sergeant Derek DeGraaf

Alaska State Troopers

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From: Kristan Cole [mailto:kccole@mtaonline.net]

Sent: Thu 3/27/2008 8:31 AM

To: DeGraaf, Derek J (DPS)

Subject: RE: Arctic Alaska Waters Expression of Interest

Is there anything I can do to get the DA to "DO" something? I need to give an update and would sure like to be able to share something other than the DA still hasn't even read the report. Thanks, Kristan

From: DeGraaf, Derek J (DPS) [mailto:derek.degraaf@alaska.gov]

Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 7:57 AM

To: kccole@mtaonline.net

Subject: RE: Arctic Alaska Waters Expression of Interest

Nothing, sorry. I met with the DA last week and he had not read the report yet. I suggested a meeting soon to discuss where this case is going in an attempt to get him to commit. I will let you know when I know more. Thanks, Derek

Sergeant Derek DeGraaf

Alaska State Troopers

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From: Kristan Cole [mailto:kccole@mtaonline.net]
Sent: Wed 3/26/2008 3:20 PM
To: DeGraaf, Derek J (DPS)
Subject: RE: Arctic Alaska Waters Expression of Interest

Any update on the case? Kristan

From: DeGraaf, Derek J (DPS) [mailto:derek.degraaf@alaska.gov]

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2008 8:38 AM

To: kccole@mtaonline.net

Subject: RE: Arctic Alaska Waters Expression of Interest

Thanks, Derek

Sergeant Derek DeGraaf Alaska State Troopers Alaska Bureau of Investigation Computer and
Financial Crime Unit 620 E. 10th Ave. Anchorage, AK 99501 907-271.3220.d

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-Pat

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 11:27 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Leschper; Beth (GOV); Mills; Andy J (GOV); Fagerstrom; Erika (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Todd; Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: photo proclamation

Ok- we'll do this at the luncheon at the house today with the spouses there- they're the ones who'll have to put up with the skwered summer schedule that affects their families :(

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 11:01:14

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Mills, Andy J (GOV)" <andy.mills@alaska.gov>

Subject: photo proclamation

Governor-

When you sign the special session proclamation today - we should have Andy take a photo for our archives.

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

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(907) 269-7450 Anchorage

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:32 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:57 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Bud Elvin
address: 6709 Matthews Rd Durham NC NC

MESSAGE:

Please, please do whatever you have to do to become the VP candidate.

Bud Elvin
Durham, NC

budelvin@msn.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 2:21 PM
To: Spencer, Kari L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Scouting and Denali High Adventure Scout Base

From: CAROLYN MARKS [mailto:cmarks3@sbcglobal.net]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 2:12 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: Scouting and Denali High Adventure Scout Base

Attached is a letter supporting Scouting and the Denali High Adventure Scout Base.

Thank you for reading my letter for future scouting for my two Alaskan grandsons.

Carolyn Marks in Texas

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:30 AM
To: 'rayc55@ptialaska.net'
Subject: RE: Fish_and_Game

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:31 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fish_and_Game

Web mail from: Mr. Raymond Korb
address: 2648 Livingston Loop Fairbanks AK 99709
907-479-8011

MESSAGE:

Murder, that's what happened in Fort Yukon. All of those "hunters" need to be identified and prosecuted. They hunted and shot a bear, a POLAR BEAR, that went into a "village" to eat a carcass that probably was also illegal and left to lie in a location that could have been bear baiting itself. What is going on in this town? Not only was it a polar bear but it was a sow and on top of this the Polar Bear is endangered. According to the Fairbanks Daily News-Miner this bear wandered into the village age a lynx carcass then left. These "hunters" trailed it 3 miles before they realized that the alcohol was back in town. The bear was leaving town!!! Had it returned then I could have maybe agreed with what had happened. Fish and Game never got notified until after the bear was shot. Makes me wonder what would happen to a out-of-towner who wanders into their village.

rayc55@ptialaska.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:33 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: WICHE Stat Alert

From: Stats [mailto:stats@wiche.edu]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:19 AM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: WICHE Stat Alert

Stat Alert – March 28, 2008

The National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) has released "Trends in Undergraduate Borrowing II: Federal Student Loans in 1995-96, 1999-2000, and 2003-04" (<http://nces.ed.gov/pubs2008/2008179.pdf>). This report documents how borrowing patterns of undergraduates has evolved in recent years. Among its findings are that more students are taking out subsidized and unsubsidized Stafford loans.

The Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) strives to maintain excellent communication with the education policy and research communities. To subscribe or unsubscribe to the Policy Alerts and/or Stat Alerts distribution lists, please email your name, title, and organization to Cheryl Graves at cgraves@wiche.edu. These electronic distribution lists are used only to support WICHE-sponsored programs and to share resources about relevant issues in higher education policy and research. As an additional resource, WICHE maintains a Policy Publication Clearinghouse on the web at <http://wiche.edu/policy/Clearinghouse>, which includes past Policy Alerts and Stat Alerts, as well as other studies, reports, surveys, and policy briefs.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:17 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 5:50 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Kenneth Jr. MacAlister
address: 814 Beech Road Langhorne PA 19053
267-560-5331

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin:

My name is Ken & I'm a Conservative Republican from Langhorne, Pennsylvania. I just finished reading a column in NewsMax regarding your name being mentioned as a consideration for the Vice President slot on the John McCain ticket. After reading your background governor, whether or not you end up on the McCain ticket I will be keeping a sharp eye on your career because I really liked what I read. Along with Governor Jindal of Louisiana I believe you have a great future ahead of you & I hope to see you on a Presidential ticket somewhere down the line, if not this year. Best of luck in your career & God bless!

Respectfully,

Kenneth E. MacAlister Jr.

Langhorne, Pennsylvania

kennyforme@comcast.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:16 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Elections

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 6:00 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Elections

Web mail from: Mr. Jim Burrell
address: 1720 Caro mar Pl. Concord NC 28027

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor,

I have read the rumor of you being considered for the McCain ticket. I wish you were the Republican presidential candidate instead of him.

From what I have read of you I think you are a true conservative that I could support in national politics. Keep up the good fight.

I'm pulling for you.

God bless

Jim Burrell

PS:

I had a good friend from Anchorage that roomed with me on pipeline construction projects in Texas in the late 70's. I had lots of friends who worked on the Alaskan pipeline. I

hope to see your beautiful state someday.

jdburll@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:15 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey; Frye; Ivy J (DOA); Bluhm; Jason R (GOV); Mills; Andy J (GOV)
Subject: Luncheon/press

If it's a slow news day: Does press care about Todd's "spouses luncheon" over at the house today? For legislative spouses. I chuckle as he has to work on the goodie bags and menu items and centerpieces that Erika keeps asking him about. He's a good sport about this duty- it's sort of unique for Alaska if anyone wants to take a pic of him with all the wives. And I think two husbands will attend.

Frank- free lunch if you go over there and play the piano for entertainment of the ladies. Noon.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:13 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Elections

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 7:45 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Elections

Web mail from: Mr. Gary Tobin
address: 4 Merritt Dr. Hudson MA 01749
978 562-6840

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor,

Although I'm from Massachusetts and a supporter of Mitt Romney, after reading about you, I believe you would be the best candidate for Vice President. I know McCain has not asked anyone yet, but please do your best to put yourself in that position.

Thank you, a fan of yours,

Gary

gartob@comcast.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:11 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 8:42 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Michael Dunphy
address: 210 McIntosh Lane Salisbury NC 28147
704-216-2164

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I read an article tonight about your name being mentioned as a possible running mate with John McCain. I was intrigued by this because I was not aware of your position as Governor of Alaska. I decided to do some research to learn as much about you as I could. As a concerned American, I am worried about the state of our Nation. The liberal Democratic party is destroying our Nation. I feel that many people have given up on Government and that has played in the hands of Liberals who are bent on changing this great Country from a democratic society to a socialist society. We are in dire need of a new direction in government. It's crucial that we get back to fair and conservative people to lead our Nation in these most dangerous of times. I want my Country back while we still have a chance to take it back. I want my children and grandchildren to be able to live their life in a free and democratic society as I have been able to do. We as Americans, have a lot of work to do to repair what ills

the nation. Strong conservative leadership is a must if we are going to survive. I respectfully ask you to consider a position of Vice President on the Republican ticket if offered. Please pray about it and see if it is something that would be right for you and your family. We do need a change in this Nation, but not the type of change that Clinton or Obama would bring!

Regards,

Michael Dunphy

Still free at the present time!

alldawg80@carolina.rr.com

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 9:57 AM
To: Frank Bailey; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Ivy personal; K Perry Yahoo
Subject: Re: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

I read the report. It's so funny because it's so official... "Willow Palin was observed sneaking the puppy in... She was observed leaving the building at 1635..." (Which is after hours considering state employees are "off" after 4:30pm) but I don't want anyone to request the official report because according to it, Willow had a flippant response - like "So?". (That's my girl! Nah... but I don't want that part advertised.)

It is an Ear item if Shelia "gets is"... Cowdey telling a kid what's acceptable and what isn't inside these four walls??? Puleeeze. A three-pound puppy vs all the CBC crap that he helped dumped around here? And the security report attaches Capitol Building policies that include no booze, and smoking only far away from this building- both things violated regularly on Cowdery's watch on every other floor besides this third floor.

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-----Original Message-----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 10:46:59

To: "Leighow, Sharon W \ (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, Ivy personal <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>, K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

Ohhh yeah...!!! Exactly what I was thinking.

"Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov> wrote: This would make a great ear item!! Just say the word!

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 8:48 AM

To: Ivy personal; K Perry Yahoo; Frank Bailey; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Subject: Re: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

Funny thing for the day - my office got a Security Report Reprimand (bc of Willow sneaking in Indi)...it came from COWDERY! Cracked me up- a reprimand regarding what's right or wrong action in the Capitol Building coming from him?! Sheeeeeesh. Doesn't pack much punch coming from a CBC leader and knowing what he allows to go on on the 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 5th floor inside these four walls.

I told Willow she has permission to tell Cowdery (if he ever confronted her) that when they committ to stop the boozing in the building, she'll committ to never sneak in her three-pound puppy dog after hours. (Not really- she's bringing it back to Wasilla with her tonight where she and the pup will stay with Todd as they finish out the school semester- since we're not having sp session here until after school lets out.) Funny though.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 09:04:01

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

Amen!Â Your msg is perfect and certainly warranted.Â Leggies screwing w the budget is a very diplomatic way to put it, if you ask me.Â It's unheard of what they're doing to the budgets.Â We will be proactive for you and for the good of our fellow Alaskans!

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I will be on the forefront to let folks know that Harris, Green, Stedman et alÂ do not look out for Alaska; these folks walk around with huge chips on their shoulders and no foresight on how to progress our state.Â To them, it's more important to one up the governor than look out for their constituents via these projects and various budgets.Â And this being an election year, we'll surely let voters know what they're doing.

gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote: Russ- Alaskans get truth out of setting the record straight. That's why we're going to continue to do so.

All - we need to scoot up those final leggies meetings that I just saw are scheduled for next week. The veto of individual projects in the Supplemental have to have time to be put in leggies' capital budget and we can't hold on to the projects so long that we're accused of playing games with the budget and slowing things down just to screw lawmakers. We know that's what Bert and others are doing to us, but I want the Supplemental taken care of way before the April 5 deadline so worthy projects can find supporters to place them in that growing '09 Cap Budget.

Did anyone know Bert released the Cap Budget yesterday afternoon? I did not. I read about it's first hearing in the nsp this morning. They stripped things like our pipeline training center, but plopped in things like more ski slopes around the state. Ridiculous and not in accordance with Alaskan priorities.

Pls scoot those mtgs up, let's conclude this asap, veto most of the Supplemental and encourage them to use all those other "vehicles" that Harris threatens to use anyway to grow the state's budget.

We'll need good strategy on messaging this and we'll need to sit down with reporters and friendly leggies to explain our action.

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From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV) "

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 21:34:08

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV) "

Subject: Re: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

It's called taking the high road once in a while, but that doesn't seem to be good enough...so, we'll fight every "he said/she said" battle, I guess. I'm not sure what the people of Alaska get out of it, but that's for another day.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Todd

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Rowland, Mindy B (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Sent: Thu Mar 27 19:39:30 2008

Subject: Re: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

No, thank YOU for being dogged about this and getting McAllister to understand this. Yes, I'd be happy to be interviewed by him. Too often the leggies who choose to play this "he-said/she-said" game get away with telling untruths... and we're left looking "uncommunicative". Lyda's done it numerous times to us, as have others. McAllister's interest in this allows us to clear this one up, and more importantly illustrates for him what we're up against in this strange political world we're trying to work in. Thank you

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)"

Date: Thu, 27 Mar 2008 19:33:22

To: Sarah Palin , Todd

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" , "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" , "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" , "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" , "Rowland, Mindy B (GOV)" , "Mason, Janice L (GOV)"

Subject: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

Governor-

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I spoke with Bill McAllister a few minutes ago and he agreed to do a follow up story on the Speaker's accusation that he didn't know about the meeting. Russ called Senator Therriault and Representative Coghill and they will both confirm on the record that they spoke to Speaker Harris about the meeting. Since we are basically calling Harris out on his lie, Bill wants the opportunity to interview Harris on the issue. I hope I didn't overstep - but I promised Bill and interview with you tomorrow. Russ said he would be happy to take part and talk about the timeline/paper trail. Thank you.

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Sharon Leighow

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 9:27 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Ivy personal; K Perry Yahoo; Frank Bailey
Subject: Re: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

It was "stopped" just after we were elected, or right before, when Elton's dog was busted on video camera dumping in the hallway. My understanding. And I kinda' doubt the other offices have received their citations- or whatever it is from Cowdery- because at least one of the offices continues to being in mutts. Funny thing is the third floor has been told we do not control activities on any other floor- (that came up in discussions about drinking in this state office building)... separation of powers and we're not to tell them what they can/can't do... but they can tell us no pups allowed on our floor. Flippin funny.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 09:11:19

To: Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

Ouch Ivy!

All kidding aside - I believe the doggy crackdown started during/after the Knowles administration. He brought he dogs in - which led to staffers and leggies bringing their dogs etc etc. Apparently some pooches - of considerable size - were leaving their calling cards around the building. I think it was Murkowski who officially put a stop to it.

From: Ivy Frye [mailto:ivyfrye@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 9:07 AM

To: ExternalEmailgsp; K Perry Yahoo; Frank Bailey; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Subject: Re: Speaker Harris / Channel 2

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So his concern must be that the puppy will "relieve itself" in the building? Kind of the pot calling the kettle black if you remember his staff cleaning up a similar mess last year--and I'm not talking about from an animal either.

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Thanks much. That's a fine sign if Harris has heartburn over this. And we'll remind folks it's the leggies who set precedent w/sp session location last year after their internal "polls" asking for Juneau locale... and their committment to having conference/public hearings on the road system. (Which they didn't do but have said they'll do this time.)
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Sharon and I have made the corrections and we can get that to you first thing this morning.

We touched bases with Coghill, Harris, French, Therriault, and Stoltze. Harris was the only stick-in-the-mud. He wants tax-free per diem if he's going to do any work. I think Bill Mac has a blog entry on that particular statement. Stoltze was disappointed that the whole thing won't be in Southcentral, but he agreed that we are giving folks plenty of notice and that is a good thing for those who have to raise money for their campaigns. Tibbles talked to French and the reaction was reportedly good. Therriault also seemed fine.

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Thanks Kristan- I emailed Talis to ask what can be done. Thanks so much for your dogged determination on this issue.

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Subject: Fw: AK Grown -- State's response to your 3/27 letter re settlement

Governor - good news: the Alaska Grown Logo lawsuit appears to be over. The membership voted to accept the state's proposal. Still need signatures on the agreement but 99% there. We won in court awhile back but there was interest by some to bring this to the Ak supreme court. Steve Ross (LAW), Craig Tillery (LaW), Dick Lefebvre (DNR) and Franci H (DNR) carried the load with great support from others. Major results: the state has full rights to the logo, the Mat Su chapter has a new President that wants to work with us to move AG forward, reasonable costs were shared by the groups, and the Mat Su chapter can again sell Ak Grown materials. We stood up for what was right, won, and still worked out a way forward. I am really pleased. God bless. Tom

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To: Havemeister, Franci A (DNR); Ross, Steven G (LAW); Tillery, Craig J (LAW); Lefebvre, Richard A (DNR); Barry, Elizabeth J (LAW); Warner, Douglas R (DNR)

Sent: Thu Mar 27 20:33:56 2008

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Thanks to everyone

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To: 'Michael Jungreis'

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Steve

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To: Ross, Steven G (LAW)
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Steve - just so you know I've received. I will be attending the Chapter meeting tonight
- if questions arise, is there a number I can reach you at?

From: Ross, Steven G (LAW) [mailto:steven.ross@alaska.gov <mailto:steven.ross@alaska.gov>
]
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2008 1:15 PM
To: Michael Jungreis; Jim C. Wilkson
Cc: Havemeister, Franci A (DNR); Lefebvre, Richard A (DNR); Tillery, Craig J (LAW);
Barry, Elizabeth J (LAW); Warner, Douglas R (DNR); Gordon, Nancy R (LAW)
Subject: AK Grown -- State's response to your 3/27 letter re settlement
Mike,

Enclosed is the State's response to your settlement letter of 3/27. Let me know if you
have any questions.

Let's hope this is it.

Steve Ross

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From: Lauri Pepi [akpepi@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 4:40 PM
To: King; James G (DNR)
Cc: Swanton; Charles O (DFG); Crome; Cora J (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Lloyd; Denby S (DFG); Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Lieutenant Governor Sean Parnell (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Kasilof River Boat Launch

March 28, 2008

Division of Parks and Recreation
James King, Director

Re: Oppose funding Fish and Game proposal #44823, to purchase Trujillo landing for a Lower Kasilof motorized Boat Launch

Mr, King,

Thank you for your response to my letter. It seems, though, that we hear the same phrase from all levels of the state government, that, " sport fishing is an important component of the economy and quality of life on the Kenai peninsula and boating access is an essential...."

There are many sport accesses and haul out landing already available on the Kasilof river. I realize that the primary fishery is a drift boat one, and some of these guides have used Trujillo's landing for a haul out. Other haul outs are just upstream and just downstream, both of them owned privately. If the state funds and operates another haul out or launch it would be in competition with already established launches. Have you asked them how they would feel about the added competition?

As for more boating access to the river: the state fish and game regulations have been the same for many many years. " **Sport fishing from a motorized boat is not allowed Jan1- July 31**". But in the appropriation request for this project it states that " boating use will be split between both power and non-motorized craft". This does not seem logical to me to push access for boats that cannot legally fish there??

Our neighborhood is very concerned about the possibility of a public boat launch in the midst of our 35 quiet homes and streets. Further we and many others are very concerned about the negative impact that a new sports fishing user group would have on a river that has not had 2 stroke engines accessing it before. We are concerned about pollution, a huge increase in noise levels for the wildlife here as well as ourselves, but most of all the very lack of any impact statements done to show what damages may occur. We are concerned for **OUR** quality of life and the quality of the river more than we are for the sportsfishers.

I urge you to consider funding impact statements, of how this will change the Kasilof river to install a new 2 lane boat launch, as well as how this will impact the 35 long established homeowners here in the neighborhood of Trujillo's landing. For now, I strongly oppose the State of Alaska buying the Trujillo property or any other property for a power boat launch without these studies first.

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I appreciate your time, Sincerely, Laurinda Pepi
akpepi@yahoo.com
Po Box 316
Kasilof, Ak.99610

"King, James G (DNR)" <james.king@alaska.gov> wrote:

Dear Kasilof River User:

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Although the proposed Kasilof River boat launch is a Fish and Game project, the Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation has been involved with the issue of river access for a number of years. We recognize that sport fishing is an important component of the economy and quality of life on the Kenai Peninsula and boating access is an essential aspect of providing sport fishing opportunity. It would seem logical that because the state provides a launch facility in the upper river for drift boats that we should provide a place for them to get out of the river downstream. If a public launch is developed downstream the Division of Parks would be the likely agency to manage the facility, but as of now no formal agreement has been made.

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Sport Fish Division
Alaska Department of Fish and Game
1255 W. 8th Street
P.O. Box 115525
Juneau, AK 99811-5526

Or: charles.swanton@alaska.gov

Again, thank you for taking the time to provide us your opinion. We will pass your comments on to Fish and Game.

Sincerely,

James King, Director
Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 3:30 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Update on my song Alaska

From: Ervin Allen [mailto:eallen1@charter.net]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 3:25 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Cc: eallen1@charter.net
Subject: Update on my song Alaska

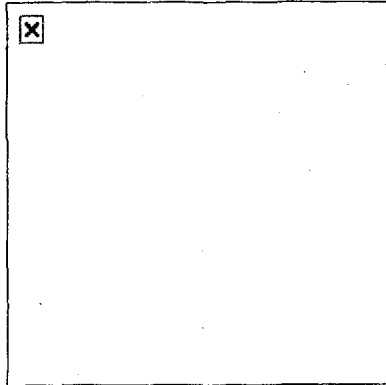
Ervin Allen, Member: ASCAP, ECMA, MSG

Dear Governor Palin,

I wanted to drop you a word of progress on my song Alaska. I am humbled by the response by DJ's worldwide to this song and wanted you to know that I very excited this is my first song on the European Country Music Associations, (ECMA) Chart. Now that the CD is complete I will be sending you a copy so you can enjoy he rest of the songs that I have recorded.

ECMA Survey 177, 12/29/07 Alaska #81
ECMA Survey 178, 01/06/08 Alaska #60
ECMA Survey 179, 01/13/08 Alaska #39
ECMA Survey 180, 01/20/08 Alaska #51
ECMA Survey 181, 01/27/08 Alaska #44

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DJ's Choice, front cover of Alaska CD
Cover art by Vic Carrabott, Marvel Comic book Artist

Sincerely,

Ervin Allen

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From: cindysmi@acsalaska.net
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:11 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Lieutenant Governor Sean Parnell (GOV sponsored); Lloyd; Denby S (DFG); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Crome; Cora J (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Kasilof river Boat launch

From: Gregory Tressler <gtressler@mac.com>
Date: March 27, 2008 8:15:55 PM ADT
To: Charles.Swanton@alaska.gov, James G (DNR) King <james.king@alaska.gov>
Cc: akpepi@yaoo.com
Subject: re:Kasilof river Boat launch Proposal #44823

Dear James G. King (DNR)

Your letter seems to imply that there is only one government provided launch ramp on the Kasilof, when in fact there are two. One is located at the end of Tustumena Road, just down stream from Tustumena Lake and the other one is located downstream at the Sterling highway. There are private boat pull outs located below the Sterling Highway launch. The State proposed launch sites are located below these private enterprises. This would put the State in direct competition, with an unfair advantage of government funding, of these private enterprises. Can the State go into direct competition with private enterprises using tax payer funds? I also wish to once again state my disapproval, as a resident of Coal Creek Subdivision, of a State owned Boat Launch/Campground located at the Trujillo site. I feel the quality of life here will be greatly diminished by this installation.

Sincerely;

Gregory Tressler

PO Box 316 Kasilof, AK
gtressler@mac.com

On Mar 25, 2008, at 3:56 PM, King, James G (DNR) wrote:

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Sincerely,

James King, Director
Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 10:21 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: [ED_REVIEW] ED Review (03/28/08)

From: Honeysett, Adam [mailto:Adam.Honeysett@ED.GOV]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 5:14 AM
To: ED_REVIEW@LISTSERV.ED.GOV
Subject: [ED_REVIEW] ED Review (03/28/08)

ED REVIEW

March 28, 2008

...a bi-weekly update on U.S. Department of Education activities relevant to the Intergovernmental and Corporate community and other stakeholders

NCLB UPDATE

On March 18, in Minnesota, Secretary Spellings announced a pilot program whereby up to 10 states may differentiate between underperforming schools in need of dramatic interventions and those that are closer to meeting the goals of *No Child Left Behind*. The law currently treats all schools in improvement alike. "Differentiated accountability" will allow officials to vary the intensity and type of interventions to match the academic reasons that led to a school's identification. And, in states with a large percentage of schools identified, it will allow officials to target interventions and resources to the schools most in need of reform. However, as the Secretary noted, "This is not one-sided flexibility." Indeed, to be eligible for the pilot, states must meet four eligibility criteria:

- The state's standards and assessment system must be fully approved (as administered in the 2007-08 school year).
- The state must have no significant monitoring findings related to provisions of *No Child Left Behind*. (The agency will also take into consideration major monitoring findings related to the *Individuals with Disabilities Education Act*.)
- The state must have an approved highly qualified teacher plan.
- The state must provide timely and transparent Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) data to the public. (States that have more than one non-approved occurrence of late AYP in the past two years are ineligible.)

Also, the models proposed by states must meet 10 core principles, organized in four categories:

- **Accountability.** The state must maintain its current practice for determining AYP and

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identifying schools as in need of improvement.

- Differentiation. The state must clearly define its process for categorizing and differentiating among schools.
- Interventions. The state must clearly define its system of interventions.
- Restructuring. The state must clearly define the interventions for its lowest-performing schools.

In addition, the agency will give priority to the following:

- states that have at least 20% of their Title I schools identified as in need of improvement in the 2007-08 school year and that demonstrate a challenge in providing intensive, meaningful reform to all sites;
- states that propose to take comprehensive and significant interventions -- such as those used in the restructuring phase -- for the lowest-performing schools earlier in the improvement timeline; and
- states that propose an innovative model of differentiation as well as system of interventions.

States that wish to apply and meet the requirements above must submit their proposals by May 2. The review process will resemble the process used for the growth model pilot program, with proposals that meet the eligibility criteria reviewed by a panel of external experts. The Secretary will approve state models prior to the start of the 2008-09 school year, so that they may be implemented based on results from assessments administered in 2007-08. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://www.ed.gov/news/pressreleases/2008/03/03182008.html>.

Winding down their national tour of states to discuss critical issues in K-12 education, the Secretary also visited Kentucky (3/19) and Virginia (3/26), and Deputy Secretary Ray Simon visited Indiana (3/25) and Maryland (3/26). Between them, they have visited 25 states.

Meanwhile, the Department awarded \$11 million in grants to 39 states to enable them to pay part or all of the fees for Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) tests for low-income students. The program aims to encourage low-income students to take AP or IB tests and obtain college credit, reducing the time and cost required to complete a postsecondary degree. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://www.ed.gov/news/pressreleases/2008/03/03172008a.html>.

NAEP EXPANSION

The National Assessment Governing Board (NAGB), which sets policy for the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP), has tentatively approved plans for 11 states to take part in a new, twelfth-grade version of NAEP in reading and math. (A separate NAEP, the long-term trend, is now given to 17-year-olds, but it only produces a nationwide snapshot of data.) The test would likely be given in 2009. NAGB also approved adding seven big city school districts to the special NAEP for urban school systems. Eleven districts took part in the most recent Trial Urban District Assessment (TUDA). Both of these actions became possible after an \$11 million increase for NAEP and NAGB in last year's budget. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://www.nagb.org/>.

Note: Results from the NAEP writing assessment in eighth- and twelfth-grades will be released on April 3, at 10:00 a.m. ET. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/>.

GOOD START, GROW SMART

The next "Education News Parents Can Use" broadcast (April 15, 8:00-9:00 ET) will highlight how *No Child Left Behind* -- through such targeted initiatives as Early Reading First -- supports the teaching of young children. It will also showcase a number of other strategic administration initiatives -- including "Good Start, Grow Smart" and Head Start -- designed to improve early childhood education and ensure children feel confident and ready to learn the first day they step into a classroom. Research proves that what children learn before coming to school is vital to their long-term success; as most parents can attest, the first five years of a child's life is a time of tremendous physical, emotional, and social growth. When children are exposed to an environment rich in language and literacy interactions and full of opportunities to listen to and use language, they can begin to acquire the building blocks for learning how to read. By contrast, children who enter school without these skills run a significant risk of starting behind and staying behind. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://www.ed.gov/edtv/>. (You can watch archived webcasts at <http://www.connectlive.com/events/ednews/>.)

PRIVACY GUIDANCE

On March 24, the Department proposed new regulations to clarify when colleges and universities may release confidential student information and reassure top officials that they will not face penalties for reporting concerns about mentally ill students to appropriate authorities in an emergency. Key adjustments to the *Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act* (FERPA) include: (1) when there is an "articulable and significant threat" to the health or safety of a student or others, private information may be shared with proper parties, such as the student's parents, and (2) if there is a "rational basis" for the school's decision to share sensitive material from a student's file, the Department will not "substitute its judgment" about the decision. In reality, FERPA has always had an exception for health and safety emergencies, but colleges and universities have been wary of invoking it. Comments on these and other proposed changes to FERPA must be received by May 8. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://www.ed.gov/legislation/FedRegister/proprule/2008-1/032408a.html>.

Note: The Department is committed to assisting colleges and universities in furnishing students a safe environment in which to learn and keeping students, parents, and employees informed about security. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://www.ed.gov/admins/lead/safety/campus.html>.

DIGEST OF EDUCATION STATISTICS

The "Digest of Education Statistics, 2007," from the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), is the 43rd in a series of publications initiated in 1962. Its primary purpose is to provide a compilation of statistical information covering the broad field of American education -- from pre-kindergarten through graduate school -- drawn from government and private sources, but especially from surveys and other activities directed by NCES. The digest contains data on the number of schools, students, and teachers, as well as statistics on educational attainment, finances, libraries, technology, and international comparisons. Details on population trends, education attitudes, labor force characteristics, and federal funding supplies background for evaluating the education data. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://nces.ed.gov/programs/digest/d07/>.

ED PUBS REDESIGN

The Department's Education Publications (ED PUBS) web site has undergone an extensive redesign, seeking to ease the search for publications and present a more visually appealing look. Among other changes, the site now spotlights particularly newsworthy items (such as information about new releases), lists "hot topic" items by current events and initiatives, and separates publications available in Spanish. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://edpubs.ed.gov/>.

QUOTE TO NOTE

"Thanks to *No Child Left Behind*, we have collected a wealth of information about where schools are falling short, where student needs are not being met, and where more rigor is needed. We've built an appetite for change, and we've done a good job of framing the problem. The next step is to use this knowledge to customize our efforts to improve.... Going forward, I will continue to partner with those who embrace accountability. And, in situations where policies favor the needs of adults over the needs of students, I will continue to side with the kids."

-- Secretary of Education Margaret Spellings (3/18/08), announcing a "differentiated accountability" pilot

UPCOMING EVENTS

The Department's Emergency Response and Crisis Management (ERCM) Technical Assistance Center is offering representatives from schools and school districts 1.5 day training sessions on emergency management. Sessions -- April 10-11 in New Orleans and June 4-5 in San Francisco -- will focus on the phases of crisis planning: (1) mitigation/prevention, (2) preparedness, (3) response, and (4) recovery. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://rems.ed.gov/index.cfm?event=trainings>.

New Faith-Based and Community Initiative conferences are scheduled for New Orleans (5/29-30), Washington, D.C. (6/26-27), Sacramento (8/5), and Dallas (8/29). The conferences are free, but pre-registration is required. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO <http://www.fbc.gov/>.

Over the next two weeks, the Department will be exhibiting at the National Association of Elementary School Principals' Annual Convention in Nashville (April 4-8) and the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics Annual Meeting in Salt Lake City (April 9-12). If you are attending either of these events, please stop by the Department's booth.

Please feel free to contact the Office of Communications and Outreach with any questions:
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From: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=AEKREITZER]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 7:47 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Going to arbitration with PSEA

Governor:

You may hear that we are only a half a percent apart with PSEA, and that is why negotiations have stalled. Our last offer to them was 5%, 3%, 3% with service steps plus 3.75% increase for members who receive an Advanced Police Standards Certificate (which can be obtained through education, length on the job or both). We continue to hold out for language which specifies that dishonesty by a State Trooper or Airport Safety Officer will not be tolerated.

When you look at each contract it's not as simple as the cost of living (the 5% or in SU's case 5.5%) it's everything else that is a cost to the State in the contract. Some contracts have "premium pays" like the trooper contract, uniform allowances, etc. while other contracts have a "me, too" clause like SU (whatever a subordinate gets, I get).

We'll have an update on our web page today and I'll make sure Sharon L. knows it's out there. Not sure when they might start to run ads, but we've been thinking about how to address it.

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From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]
Sent: Saturday, March 29, 2008 11:12 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Sent: Sat Mar 29 07:40:54 2008
Subject: Fw: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

Esther Cox let me know last night the bd "unanimously" selected a candidate that was not on my, or anyone else I know, radar screen. I've heard subsequently that it was not unanimous, so not sure why she portrayed it as such. She told me this with Barb Thompson there, and Lynne Smith and Beth standing aside. All of us are shocked - I was especially when I responded to Esther that I did not know the candidate so was not comfortable accepting his name. She said she didn't know what to do next then, except she would talk to their attorney. Then I believe she walked back to their meeting and they gaveled out because they had the evening plane to catch. She wasn't happy.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Sat, 29 Mar 2008 15:33:02
To: "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Barbara Thompson" <barbara.thompson@alaska.gov>, "Lynne Smith" <lynne.smith@alaska.gov>
Subject: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

I was told at least two did not vote for him. When she told me it was unanimous I said I was "surprised" or "shocked", and since I did not know him I was questioning this because the candidate had to fit in the cabinet, represent the new energy, progress, etc that we needed.

She turned to Barb and asked what everyone should do next because they were ready to gavel out and hop on the plane... Barb explained Esther could explain this to the board, then they gavel out, then make plans to reconvene. Esther said they would also contact their attorney. Esther indicated this isn't the way things are normally done, I explained we're not doing things as most Gov's have done... I tried to be light hearted about it but was so caught off guard with the "it was unanimous" comment - and she handed me a handwritten note with his attributes listed, included "feels he can work with the Governor". Feels?

Amyway, we'll go from here.

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From: "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 23:58:25

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Thompson, Barbara A (EED)" <barbara.thompson@alaska.gov>, "Smith, Lynne M (GOV)" <lynne.smith@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Educ Bd

That is what you indicated she said - that it WAS unanimous.

Is it possible to poll this board?

I've never encountered anything like this before.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Thompson, Barbara A (EED); Smith, Lynne M (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV)

Sent: Fri Mar 28 20:41:47 2008

Subject: Educ Bd

Just heard that the vote for John wasn't unanimous- at least two did not vote for him. Didn't Ester just say it was unanimous?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, March 29, 2008 9:31 AM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Kim; Anna C (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Rep Meyer-Scheduling HB 337 Health Care Transparency Act

Russ- I will be talking to him today. Remember, I wanted (and tried) to talk to him last week and was told no, it should not be me making the call(s) to get leggies like Kevin to do the right thing. I should have tracked him down last week and done this, as look at where we are today- no schedule, 11th hour, lost time, etc.

Also though, proponents of repeal can't rely on me to MAKE any leggie do anything. They don't work that way, so proponents need to rally as hard as they can to accomplish this.

Lawmakers are sitting on over 100 bills. They do not want us to succeed, it's a very strange chemistry.

Again, I will be talking to Kevin. And others must talk to him also.

Russ, Karleen, me, everyone else needs to push harder on this. I agree with those who raise their eyebrows and question why the 3rd floor hasnt been able to push harder on this one when we do push harder on the other few priorities I laid out. The quasi-push back is very frustrating.

Anna's right that an evening hearing is fishy, but again the proponents can't blame that on lack of progress. They need to more publicly act on this.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 29 Mar 2008 09:22:24

To: "Kim, Anna C (GOV)" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Rep Meyer-Scheduling HB 337 Health Care Transparency Act

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they got enough pressure (they've done it before), and those in support of a repeal should be motivated enough to pick up the phone after dinner and testify.

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From: Kim, Anna C (GOV)
Sent: Saturday, March 29, 2008 8:53 AM
To: Kelly, Russell T (GOV); ExternalEmailgsp; Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Rep Meyer-Scheduling HB 337 Health Care Transparency Act

Russ,

Thanks for your efforts. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Kim, Anna C (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Sent: Fri Mar 28 21:38:43 2008
Subject: Re: Rep Meyer-Scheduling HB 337 Health Care Transparency Act

Meyer said tonight that he was not opposed to hearing the bill. He said it might need to be an evening hearing to allow more time.

However, he did repeat some of the concerns you've heard already. He's getting a lot of pressure from the committee to avoid the battle. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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His cell is 748-6511.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Kim, Anna C (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Sent: Fri Mar 28 17:44:31 2008
Subject: Re: Rep Meyer-Scheduling HB 337 Health Care Transparency Act

Russ- what did Meyer say on this? I haven't tried calling him again based on you speaking to him- but I will attempt again if he still isn't budging. Others who also want the bill heard must start speaking up, asap, including publicly bringing it to light that Meyer is sitting on it.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kim, Anna C (GOV)" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 16:50:07
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Rep Meyer-Scheduling HB 337 Health Care Transparency Act

Were you able to ask Rep Meyer to get the bill scheduled? Just want to confirm either way. I am hearing from legislators that Meyer will not schedule the bill.

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Anna Clark Kim
Special Staff Assistant
Office of the Governor

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From: Balash, Joseph R (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JRBALASH]
Sent: Saturday, March 29, 2008 7:59 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Balash speech

Thank you, boss.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)

Cc: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Fri Mar 28 20:46:11 2008

Subject: Balash speech

He just did an outstanding job with the foresters - he gave the keynote at the dinner and was great. I learned a lot, everyone did.

He gave you all lots of kudos for working as a great team for all Alaskans.

Thank you Joe!

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, March 29, 2008 7:41 AM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Fw: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

Esther Cox let me know last night the bd "unanimously" selected a candidate that was not on my, or anyone else I know, radar screen. I've heard subsequently that it was not unanimous, so not sure why she portrayed it as such. She told me this with Barb Thompson there, and Lynne Smith and Beth standing aside. All of us are shocked - I was especially when I responded to Esther that I did not know the candidate so was not comfortable accepting his name. She said she didn't know what to do next then, except she would talk to their attorney. Then I believe she walked back to their meeting and they gaveled out because they had the evening plane to catch. She wasn't happy.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Sat, 29 Mar 2008 15:33:02

To: "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Barbara Thompson" <barbara.thompson@alaska.gov>, "Lynne Smith" <lynne.smith@alaska.gov>

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To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Thompson, Barbara A (EED)" <barbara.thompson@alaska.gov>, "Smith, Lynne M (GOV)" <lynne.smith@alaska.gov>

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To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Cc: Leschper; Beth (GOV); Smith; Lynne M (GOV); Thompson; Barbara A (EED)
Subject: Fw: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

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-----Original Message-----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Sun, 30 Mar 2008 18:52:27

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

The student voting piece is accurate per both Pat and Phil.

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Roster:

<http://www.gov.state.ak.us/boards/rosters/board029.html>

Fact sheet pulled from statute that shows composition of the board & function:

<http://gov.state.ak.us/boards/factsheet.php?i=029>

"Description: 7 members appointed by governor: with consideration of recommendations made by recognized educational associations in the state; 1 representing each judicial district; 3 at-large; at least 1 representing regional educational attendance areas. Board designates chair. Members serve at pleasure of the Governor. (Non-voting advisory members include: student representative nominated by the Board of Directors of the Alaska Association of Student Governments and selected by the board; and military representative nominated by the ranking General of the Alaska Command and selected by the board -- 4 AAC 03.025). Student representative serves 1-year term beginning July 1 and expiring June 30.

Function: Regulates public elementary and secondary education in Alaska, and regulates the state library, museums and archives. Appoints the Commissioner of Education & Early Development with the governor's approval. Approves the department's budget. Establishes statewide goals for education and requires each school district governing body to adopt goals. Serves as governing body for Mt. Edgecumbe High School. May adopt bylaws for the management of the department."F

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GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=EFAGERSTROM]
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 5:09 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Monday at the House

Governor,

Just wanted to remind you that since Monday is a holiday there won't be any staff at the House. Please contact me if I need to come in or there's something that needs to be taken care of.

Thanks,

Erika

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 4:44 PM
To: Leschper; Beth (GOV); Thompson; Barbara A (EED); Smith; Lynne M (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

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Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 4:39 PM
To: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Cc: Wetherell; Roger (DOT sponsored); Von Scheben; Leo (DOT); Richards; Frank T (DOT); Winegar; Gregory R (CED); Siroky; Mary P (DOT); Saddler; Sally A (CED)
Subject: Re: Draft Press Release for Possible Use on Monday

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 29 Mar 2008 11:36:11

To: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Wetherell, Roger (DOT sponsored)" <roger.wetherell@alaska.gov>, "Von Scheben, Leo (DOT)" <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov>, "Richards, Frank T (DOT)" <frank.richards@alaska.gov>, "Winegar, Gregory R (CED)" <greg.winegar@alaska.gov>, "Siroky, Mary P (DOT)" <mary.siroky@alaska.gov>, "Saddler, Sally A (CED)" <sally.saddler@alaska.gov>

Subject: Draft Press Release for Possible Use on Monday

Sharon:

A draft press release that could be used on Monday when / if the Governor's CAPSTONE bill passes the House on Monday is attached. Feel free to use or not use or edit as you see fit. (If we decide to issue a release, we will need to watch the vote count on Monday to make sure it passes unanimously on the House side)

Randy

Everyone:

If you have edits, please get them to Sharon Monday morning.

Randy

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 4:18 PM
To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Re: CFAB Board

Don't know him, but sounds fine

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 29 Mar 2008 22:42:02

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: CFAB Board

Governor,

Based on Cora's recommendation below and our research, I'd like to recommend the appointment of **Privileged or Personal Material** to the 2nd Governor's seat on the Commercial Fishing and Agriculture Bank Board of Directors. The current member, Harold Whittlesly, recently completed a full term **Privileged or Personal Material Redacted**. **Privileged or Personal Material Redacted**

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From: Crome, Cora J (GOV)
Sent: Fri 3/28/2008 5:13 PM
To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Subject: CFAB Board

Frank,

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

The person who currently holds this seat, Harold Whittlesy, has applied for
reappointment, Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Privileged or Personal

Thanks for considering this.

Cora

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 4:15 PM
To: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Re: PR 08-2534 - Ferry Matanuska conducts successful docking test in Prince Rupert

Thanks much Randy

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>

Date: Sun, 30 Mar 2008 14:44:53

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: PR 08-2534 - Ferry Matanuska conducts successful docking test in Prince Rupert

Governor:

At 3:00 am last night, AMHS successfully docked the Matanuska at the BC Ferries dock. It appears we can use the BC Ferries dock as an alternate while Prince Rupert tries to repair their dock. (Which we lease). This will work for April as we only have 8 port calls. It becomes more difficult in May when BC Ferries traffic increases and we double our port calls.

DOT and LAW will continue working on all the details with customs, security, passengers, and Mayor Pond to make things go as smoothly as possible and cover all the legal bases. Mayor Pond has promised repairs will be done by the end of May. We are asking the Mayor to give us

weekly updates so we can monitor progress.

Randy

From: Wetherell, Roger (DOT sponsored)

Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 2:17 PM

Subject: PR 08-2534 - Ferry Matanuska conducts successful docking test
in Prince Rupert

Importance: High

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

No. 08-2534

March 30, 2008

FOR

Ferry Matanuska conducts successful docking test in Prince Rupert

(JUNEAU, Alaska) - The crew aboard the Alaska Marine Highway System (AMHS) ferry Matanuska successfully moored at the BC Ferries docking facility at about 3 a.m. today.

AMHS officials tested the facility after learning late Thursday that Prince Rupert city officials closed its dock after an engineers' report deemed it unsafe.

"We're extremely pleased that Matanuska and now the Taku can tie up in Prince Rupert and lessen any potential scheduling conflicts for our passengers," said Dennis Hardy, Deputy Commissioner of Marine Operations. "Certainly, we appreciate the invaluable cooperation exhibited by the BC Ferries leadership and staff."

AMHS management is advising customers to contact its reservations line at 1-800-642-0066 or visit its up-to-date website for last minute schedule changes. The web address is:
<http://dot.alaska.gov/amhs/Changes/index.html> .

"Obviously, there may be some schedule adjustments, but we'll do the best we can to accommodate our very patient passengers," said Hardy.

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From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY]
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 10:31 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: CFAB Board

One other is in Petersburg.. The rest are from Palmer, Kodiak, Homer, Kenai, King Salmon.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Cc: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)
Sent: Sun Mar 30 05:34:29 2008
Subject: Re: CFAB Board

How many SE folks are already on the board?

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Thanks for considering this.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 6:45 PM
To: Frank Bailey; Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Huggins

Huggins unwillingness to work with us on anything and everything makes me very un-enthused about meeting with him last-minute on his priorities.

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-----Original Message-----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Mon, 31 Mar 2008 19:42:01

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, M Nizich <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, Mike Tibbles <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: Russ Kelly <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, Janice Mason <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Huggins

Yes I've spoken with his staffer twice today and told her in the last call that I'd stop by in the morning. Huggins has concerns over Brenda Rebne of Ahtna, the nominee for the Big Game Commercial Services Board. I'm hopping on my flight here but plan to see Huggins personally in the morning. I told Janice that I'd report back if he still needed to see you.

Concern is over Brenda's closeness to Ahtna (which she works for) and whether she'll be able to represent other Large Private Land Owners. Brenda has said she would, but something in the way she answered the question in Friday's confirmation hearing raised the concern from both Huggins and Wagoner (whom I have a call into as well).

FYI also, Brenda comes to town Wednesday and will make rounds to Leg's.

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Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 4:25 PM
To: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Re: Minerals Commission

Sounds very good. Thanks

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 31 Mar 2008 15:10:47

To: "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Minerals Commission

Privileged

is a very knowledgeable guy, great guy in fact all around! I recommend him for the open seat.

Mike

From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 3:07 PM

To: ExternalEmailgsp

Cc: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Minerals Commission

Governor,

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has agreed to throw his name in the hat for the remaining

open public seat on the Minerals Commission.

The function of the Commission is to make recommendations to the Governor and to the Legislature on ways to mitigate the constraints, including governmental constraints, on development of minerals, including coal, in the state.

Speaking with Rich Hughes, the Development Specialist who oversees the Commission, they are specifically in need of experience with a Large Mine. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Of course Tom Irwin strongly recommends him as a top choice for this seat.

Frank Bailey

Director, Boards and Commissions

Office of Governor Sarah Palin

907.465.3934 - Juneau

907.269.7450 - Anchorage

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 1:42 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Subject: Re: Wesley Loy - FYI

Alrighty

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 31 Mar 2008 13:00:28

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Subject: Wesley Loy - FYI

Wesley will be attending the 3:30 budget meeting with Rep. Samuels and Rep Meyer.

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage

(907) 465-4031 Juneau

(907) 240-7943 cell

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 11:58 AM
To: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Subject: Railbelt Energy Funds

We'll need to work with Steve H on the RE Funds, depending on what leggies do as they hand me the eventual adopted budget. We vetoed them last year due to no comprehensive plan to use the funds, we'll need to find out if anything's changed there this year.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 11:00 AM
To: terrenceresources@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Elections

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 9:49 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Elections

Web mail from: Ms. terri ezrine fine
address: 2901 s. ocean blvd.#402 highland beach FL 33487
561- 266-9078

MESSAGE:

Please consider running for the office of Vice President of the United States. I would hope you are on the short list for consideration. The party needs you. The country needs you.

Best Regards,

Terri Fine

terrenceresources@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 10:57 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Todd
Subject: Philadelphia

I really need any and all info on philly that you've got- Bristol will need to coordinate her work and summer school schedule so she can attend, and I'll need to tweak mileage plans for kids tickets. Thanks

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 10:37 AM
To: Brenda.porter@charter.net
Subject: RE: Other

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Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 6:46 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Brenda Porter
address: 300 Hampton Road East Crowley TX 76036

MESSAGE:

If asked to be a vice president running mate for John McCain, would you accept?

Brenda.porter@charter.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 10:21 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 3:56 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Carrie Smoldon
address: 1603 Ermine St. Anchorage AK 99504

MESSAGE:

Gov. Palin,

Your name and a photo along with a quote regarding renewable energy was on a flier for the Chugach elections for Wiggin, Reiser, and Izzo. My husband and I are Chugach members and are wondering if you were aware of this ad and if you are endorsing this slate.

Thank you for your timely response,

Carrie Smoldon
mom to Isaac and Josh,
wife to Todd,
child of God

tsmoldon@aol.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 10:19 AM
To: cstack3@comcast.net
Subject: RE: Environment

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Subject: Environment

Web mail from: Mr. Charles Stack
address: 290 Shadybrook Lane Aurora IL 60504

MESSAGE:

SARA PALIN FOR VICE-PRESIDENT!!!!!! Best of luck with your pregnancy & all the best,
Chuck Stack, MPH, Vice President for 2Ci, www.2Ci.com

cstack3@comcast.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 10:12 AM
To: civileader@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Legal_and_lawsuits

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 11:18 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Legal_and_lawsuits

Web mail from: Ms. Tammie Coffey

address: Po Box 7481 Tempe AZ 85281

6026144097

MESSAGE:

Dear Sara,

Hello. I live in Arizona and have learned that Senator McCain is considering you for a running mate. Perhaps the smartest decision the party has made thus far, in my humble opinion. I am curious to know more about your climb in politics, and wonder if you might tell more about what is really involved in getting a person elected in the first place. This true process, I believe is in part why our system of government is such a circus. Many Americans do not want to understand the "process" they want our politicians on a pedestal but I am of the opinion that this is a very big mistake on our part. I was talking to a woman a few days ago, about organized crime, and she was sure that they have nothing to do with politics in America. Quashing this illusion and bringing to light the actual process I believe is where the real power rests to launch our country into new global markets. Many will need to be educated on how those balls get set into motion, and why people do what they do in

the name of "freedom". We have a long history of walking over people to put people in office in this country, if you were to be honest with the public about the process it is believed that you will be the best possible candidate for McCains ticket and you could turn his campaign around- he needs your face to offset his (just being honest). The only problem we will all have is in getting involved in this bickering going on now about race and discrimination.

I urge you to be the voice of reason regarding that bickering in our Nation, and direct McCain away from the war related issues and put forth a REAL energy solution. IF the two of you can sell us on a REAL energy solution McCain will take the White House, if the

battle over race and minorities continue we are headed for civil war in this country I fear.

Please put a bug in the ear of McCain and Bush to prepare our Nation for the first Black President this should quash all the "hate rhetoric" by default. A welcome speech that celebrates this exciting time to work and rework our inner conflicts in our own backyard is the ONLY sensible ideology to promote and to encourage McCain to promote.

I am sure that politics is a circus- people do terrible things to get people elected- they use people, take ideas, steal writings, whatever it takes- it makes everyone look bad-

In closing tell us all what you are going to do to change the "process" this will make you different in a race that needs a new direction.

Good luck if you are selected- it will improve his campaign 100%

civileader@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 10:09 AM
To: juliusb@comcast.net
Subject: RE: Elections

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Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 10:14 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Elections

Web mail from: Mr. Frank Larson
address: 120 Bay Ave. Prince Frederick MD 20678
410-535-5568

MESSAGE:

Honorable Governor: 30 March 2008

This letter is being sent to all Republican Governors.

We, American Republicans, need your help in electing Senator John McCain our next president.

By not being an active member of McCain's Election Staff, puts you in a unique position of providing much needed help to make his trip to the White House a cake-walk.

Now is the time to start making that cake-walk happen.

The following are just a few of the democratic party's short comings during their 2008

primary race.

As Governor of your state and working with other Republican governors, you are in a position to bring these adverse, misleading issues and errors out in broad daylight for all to see and understand.

Coming from you to the people that put you in office means so much.

You, Republican Governors, are in a position to maintain a Republican President in the White House and America needs you now more than at any other time in our history.

Thank you, and please read this entire email.

The Dean of the Democratic Party: (Howard Dean) that is!

Dean, the democratic leader, is requesting that Hillary and Barack cool their heels and stop picking at each other.

In other words, to stop their bickering back and forth and quit acting like kids.

Dean went on to say "he wasn't worried that his party would implode during this primary". If that statement were true ... Why would he try to clamp his 2 candidates mouths shut???

If Clinton and Obama stop pointing out each other's differences and short comings, how are the people to decide which one to vote for?

Dean realizes that the democrats have not one but several problems facing them during this primary. (All their own undoing)

During an interview with CNN, Dean denied his party's presidential nomination process was "A MESS" ... But ... Senator Bill Nelson of Florida said ... "If nothing else, this democratic primary election has provided further evidence that our system is broken". If it's broken, it's flawed, if it's flawed it's in disarray, if it's in disarray it's a mess; at least that's how I see it!

Before the Florida and Michigan primaries, Dean said both states would not be allowed to seat their delegates. Now he is saying they will be seated at the national convention. This is a reversal of the democratic party rules and policy. (Another part of a bigger mess)

What Dean said was ... "I think the delegates are eventually going to be seated in Florida

and Michigan ... As soon as we get an agreement among the 2 candidates how to do that.

Say What? Is Dean implying that the 2 candidates will be telling the democratic national convention how to pick a candidate? This is what happens when you mess around with election laws ... You create problems where none existed before the change. (Unable to leave well enough alone ... Creating even more of a mess)

You can not punish the people for something the state(S) did, especially taking away their voting rights. We are guaranteed, "One person, One vote".

It is already being circulated by the national media that at this time, if Clinton wins the democratic nomination, 16% of the Obama voters will vote for McCain and the same would happen if Obama wins. (Another costly mess for the democrats)

Let's not forget, the democrat's 2 candidates have severe problems with their mentality ... One (Hillary) has a problem with telling the truth ... While the other one (Obama) adores and still supports a racist. (As covered by the national media this past week.) This is many times worst than a mess!

With all this melancholia, depression like atmosphere within the democratic party and it's leadership, how can this flip-flop party expect to pick a "descent" individual to run for the presidency of the United States? It's impossible!

Honest leadership isn't showing it's face anywhere you look in the democratic party. Like I said before, (it's their own undoing).

(It's my opinion they made a big stinking mess of this whole primary!)

That's the way I see it and May God Bless America.

Frank J. Larson

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 9:25 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Supplemental Capital Budget

And our understanding of no \$200g for miners.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Mon, 31 Mar 2008 17:24:50

To: "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Supplemental Capital Budget

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 31 Mar 2008 08:56:07

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Fw: Supplemental Capital Budget

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Mayor Combs,

Thank you for your kind email. I'll be sure to relay your commitment to Governor Palin.

I have not spoken to Mr. Allen on the supplemental budget. I'm copying Karen Rehfeld, Director of OMB, on this email.

Thank you,
Kris Perry

----- Original Message -----

From: John Combs <jcombs@mtaonline.net>
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: ballen@palmerak.org <ballen@palmerak.org>
Sent: Sat Mar 29 13:34:55 2008
Subject: Supplemental Capital Budget

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Most sincerely,

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Mayor for the City of Palmer

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Thank you.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 8:49 AM
To: Frank Bailey; Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: More Homer Supplemental

Thanks frank- when we hear things like this from the local elected officials we're paying attention to them bc we're still seeing inconsistencies with legislator's priorities and the local communities.

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-----Original Message-----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Mon, 31 Mar 2008 09:38:20

To: karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov, russ.kelly@alaska.gov, mike.tibbles@alaska.gov

Cc: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: Fw: More Homer Supplemental

FYI...perspective from Homer.

Interesting conversation with Mike Heimbuch on the heels of that 2:1 vote against local bonding for Homer projects. He sits on Homer City Council and said that he can't see support for ANY of the capital projects erroneously put into the Sup Budget. In fact only thing he'd like to see funded in the Capital Budget is the request for diagnostic equipment and that's it.

He likens this to a rich relative giving large gifts that diminish the value of another gift. He said these large unnecessary appropriations destroy the community's ability to get behind, actively work for, and seek out the funding that is truly important to them...as they get addicted to easy handouts. He said the recent vote in Homer against bonding was the largest rejection of the "if you build it they will come" entitlement mentality he's seen in a long time.

Mike can't figure out why Gary Stevens and Paul Seaton are gunning for things the community doesn't want.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 8:42 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, March 29, 2008 8:05 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Joseph Crecente
address: 248 Waterside Dr Indian Harbour Beach FL 32937

MESSAGE:

As you can see, I am not one of your constituents, but I am writing because of the possibility of your becoming the VP candidate on the McCain ticket. As noted on the "Draft Palin for VP" blog, someone asked what your position on illegal immigration is. I will quote his words and ask if you plan to issue any statements on this topic.

"We need to know where Governor Palin stands on illegal immigration. Not just slogans or platitudes or token gestures of enforcement like Romney and others are offering, but concrete proposals that will make a big difference now.

Specifically, does she support completion of the fence and other barriers across the full length of the Mexico-US border?

Will she fight for jobsite raids to find and deport illegals and imprison employers who knowingly hire illegals instead of Americans and legal immigrants?

Will she fight to repeal automatic "birthright" citizenship for children who are born on our soil because their parents are here illegally?

Will she increase funding and staffing for the Border Patrol as much as necessary to seal the US-Mexico border?

As President or Vice-President, would she fight to cut off federal funds for cities that give sanctuary to illegal aliens?

And so on. No issue is more important to me than illegal immigration. I'm impressed with Governor Palin's record, but we need to hear from her in detail on this critical issue before deciding whether she should be in the White House. Thanks..."

I would be very interested in seeing your comments.

Joe

joes.mail.biox@excite.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 8:39 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, March 29, 2008 5:57 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Chris Janzen
address: 2735 Seine Street Kenai AK 99611
907-283-0250

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

I want to commend you on the fine job you are doing as our first female governor and thank you for being a great role model to my little daughter and all of Alaska's girls and women. I am glad I voted for you and it is so encouraging to see a strong woman in government leadership who is also conservative and puts an emphasis on family. You are probably the highest profile working mom in Alaska and I wanted to ask you a question. I write a newsletter called SHINE for my church, Kenai New Life Assembly of God, and I often write articles about family, faith, patriotism, fun and inspiring things, etc. I am planning a special issue for Mother's day and wondered if you could find time to email us your thoughts on being a mom; how it has changed you, what you love about it or find difficult and planning for the newest one while working in your busy job! I know this is a lot to ask, but if you could possibly do just a little write up about your experience as a working mom, it would certainly

be most appreciated. I would be happy to send you examples of this publication if you are interested. Your participation would make this year's Mother's Day edition extra special for the moms of our congregation. Thank you so much for considering this request. We are all proud of you here in Kenai!

Sincere congratulations for all your success and blessings!

Chris Janzen

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 8:30 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2008 7:07 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Jason Zielonka
address: 333 Dorset Court Doylestown PA 18901
9178564852

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin:

First congratulaton on the upcoming event for your family. I hope it all proceeds safely and smoothly. Such things should be private, but for a public official, I'm not certain that word exists. In any case, best wishes to you and your family.

I was tempted to list the topic as "elections" but I suspect you want to reserve that for Alaska elections. I'm interested in finding out whether there is anyone on your staff who could be contacted about the interest in you for the Republican VP nomination. I am a registered Republican in PA and frankly, I like your views as stated publicly and think you would make an excellent candidate. I want to know how I can help advance that candidacy and if there is anyone you could refer me to, I'd be most appreciative. I've found the websites and the various blogs, but they are all unofficial and aside from creating a very local interest, they don't really create a national network. So far as I know you don't have a website or an organized committee to explore possibilities, but I'm hoping there is someone, even unofficially, who may have something organized for your behalf.

If you can't refer me to them, could you at least pass my name, email and/or cell phone on to them?

Thanks in advance and best of luck!

Regards,

Jason

Jason Zielonka, MD

Senior Director, Trial Methodology

Ortho-McNeil Janssen Scientific Affairs

Titusville, NJ

a J&J Company

jasonz@alum.mit.edu

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From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 8:29 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

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----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Cc: Leschper, Beth (GOV); Smith, Lynne M (GOV); Thompson, Barbara A (EED)
Sent: Sun Mar 30 17:54:39 2008
Subject: Fw: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

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From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Sun, 30 Mar 2008 18:52:27
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

The student voting piece is accurate per both Pat and Phil.

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Roster:

<http://www.gov.state.ak.us/boards/rosters/board029.html>

Fact sheet pulled from statute that shows composition of the board & function:

<http://gov.state.ak.us/boards/factsheet.php?i=029>

"Description: 7 members appointed by governor: with consideration of recommendations made by recognized educational associations in the state; 1 representing each judicial district; 3 at-large; at least 1 representing regional educational attendance areas. Board designates chair. Members serve at pleasure of the Governor. (Non-voting advisory members include: student representative nominated by the Board of Directors of the Alaska Association of Student Governments and selected by the board; and military representative nominated by the ranking General of the Alaska Command and selected by the board -- 4 AAC 03.025). Student representative serves 1-year term beginning July 1 and expiring June 30.

Function: Regulates public elementary and secondary education in Alaska, and regulates the state library, museums and archives. Appoints the Commissioner of Education & Early Development with the governor's approval. Approves the department's budget. Establishes statewide goals for education and requires each school district governing body to adopt goals. Serves as governing body for Mt. Edgecumbe High School. May adopt bylaws for the management of the department."F

gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote: Now I find out that only four bd members actually wanted John.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Sat, 29 Mar 2008 15:33:02

To: "Beth Leschper" , "Barbara Thompson" , "Lynne Smith"

Subject: Confidential Re: Educ Bd

I was told at least two did not vote for him. When she told me it was unanimous I said I was "surprised" or "shocked", and since I did not know him I was questioning this because the candidate had to fit in the cabinet, represent the new energy, progress, etc that we needed.

She turned to Barb and asked what everyone should do next because they were ready to gavel out and hop on the plane... Barb explained Esther could explain this to the board, then they gavel out, then make plans to reconvene. Esther said they would also contact their attorney. Esther indicated this isn't the way things are normally done, I explained we're not doing things as most Gov's have done... I tried to be light hearted about it but was so caught off guard with the "it was unanimous" comment - and she handed me a handwritten

note with his attributes listed, included "feels he can work with the Governor". Feels?

Anyway, we'll go from here.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leschper, Beth (GOV)"

Date: Fri, 28 Mar 2008 23:58:25

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Thompson, Barbara A (EED)" , "Smith, Lynne M (GOV)"

Subject: Re: Educ Bd

That is what you indicated she said - that it WAS unanimous.

Is it possible to poll this board?

I've never encountered anything like this before.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

To: Thompson, Barbara A (EED); Smith, Lynne M (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV)

Sent: Fri Mar 28 20:41:47 2008

Subject: Educ Bd

Just heard that the vote for John wasn't unanimous- at least two did not vote for him. Didn't Ester just say it was unanimous?

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Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 7:59 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Wed

Pls block out Wed at 4pm I'm having people over to the house.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 6:48 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Bill signing

What is it today with Wilson?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 6:42 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Sched

Pls add Sat's sched: worked in Juneau office 10-7pm, in that time worked on budget with Karen, Joan, etc. Met with Rep Nelson, Sen Hoffman.

Today- pls move 4:30 appt to earlier in the day.

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From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MANIZICH]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 10:23 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Bob Cockrell

I talked to Bob over the weekend about what we are doing with the security detail effective July 1. He expressed an interest in staying on and being the link to Public Safety and assist in doing any advance work you may need in-state as well as any long distance coordination when you travel outside. He indicated that he would be interested in doing this on a minimum of a half time basis. He enjoys the people he works with and for and would like to stay involved in addressing your security needs.

Mike

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Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 5:44 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: Elections

I noticed today that these are not going to Sharon Leighow anymore - did Sharon ask that they not go to her? Thanks, Janice

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To: terrenceresources@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Elections

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Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 11:12 AM
To: Sarah Palin; Todd
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: FW: NGA Annual Meeting July 11-14, 2008 in Philadelphia

Here is the email copy of the draft agenda for NGA – July 11-14. Janice

From: Dotchin, Susan [mailto:SDotchin@NGA.ORG]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 8:39 AM
To: Scheduling Contacts
Subject: NGA Annual Meeting July 11-14, 2008 in Philadelphia

To All Governors' Scheduling Contacts

Attached is a draft program for the National Governors Association (NGA) Centennial Meeting in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on July 11-14, 2008. NGA is planning a day of special events on Saturday, July 12, in Philadelphia's outstanding Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts to honor all current and former governors.

All governors will be seated on a specially designed stage in a tiered-theater style, allowing everyone an opportunity to participate in the discussions and be visible by all meeting attendees and multiple television cameras. Discussions will be moderated by award-winning journalists and both President Bush and Clinton have been invited to be part of the day. The spouses of current and former governors will have opportunities during the day to renew acquaintances and will be seated together in a prominent location during the day's business sessions.

A private luncheon for current and former governors and their spouses will be held between the business sessions. Following the afternoon session, all governors and their spouses are invited to a reception and private tour at the Liberty Bell Pavilion followed by a closing centennial celebration at the National Constitution Center.

We hope this advance information about the meeting program will assist you in your scheduling. To finalize our plans for the day, as well as design the staging and seating layouts, we would like to know as soon as possible if you anticipate your governor attending the annual meeting, and particularly, participating in the activities on July 12. Thanks, in advance, for this information. Additional details will be sent to you as soon as they are available.

In the meantime, let me know if you have any questions.

Susan Dotchin
Director, NGA Conference Management
National Governors Association
(202) 624-5327
email: sdotchin@nga.org

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Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 10:02 AM

To: 'Sarah Palin'

Subject: Lars Larson / Laura Ingraham / KTTH 770 AM

Governor-

Two nationally syndicated shows and a local talk show in Seattle have requested interviews. The Lars Larson and Laura Ingraham folks want to talk about John McCain, your possible VP selection and Alaska issues. KTTH is a talk show hosted by Dave Boze. He would like to talk about the baby news and end of session. Please let me know if you are interested.

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 7:39 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'; Lopez, Thomas M (GOV)
Subject: Re: Security

I'll look at the video footage, we should be able to see who that was. I'm sure Tom will also. So sorry to hear that you had to put up with that!

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)
Cc: Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>; Lopez, Thomas M (GOV)
Sent: Tue Apr 01 07:29:16 2008
Subject: Re: Security

Yes, I've tried many different ways to access it through the icon, through the tv station that used to show it. Also, can Tom or someone look back on security tapes from last night (starting at 1:35am) and Sunday evening to see who kept ringing the door bell?

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From: "Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)" <erika.fagerstrom@alaska.gov>
Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 07:19:32
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Security

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To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)

Cc: Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tue Apr 01 01:51:39 2008
Subject: Fw: Security

Does outside security camera still work? See below:

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Date: Tue, 1 Apr 2008 09:45:39

To: "Tom Lopez" <tom.lopez@alaska.gov>, "Todd" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Cc: "M Nizich" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Subject: Security

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 6:42 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Schedule

Sean's sched for today to meet on budget strategy:

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From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 06:19:19

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Schedule

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Sean

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GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 6:32 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Great ADN headline

A few headlines like today's front page and people will understand we're the fiscal conservatives trying to rein in spending. I like it!

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 11:35 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Examples of Excelencia Call for Nominations

From: Excelencia in Education [mailto:contact@edexcelencia.org]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 11:30 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Examples of Excelencia Call for Nominations

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To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Weekly: Pay to Play on Climate Change

From: membership@uschamber.com [mailto:membership@uschamber.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 11:02 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Weekly: Pay to Play on Climate Change

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FIGHTING FOR YOUR BUSINESS

Pay to Play On Climate Change

By Tom Donohue

Sunday night on "60 Minutes," former Vice President Al Gore said he is launching a three-year, \$300 million campaign aimed at mobilizing Americans to push for aggressive reductions in greenhouse gas emissions. Everyone from Al Gore to Environmental Defense has been very effective in raising the alarm about global climate change and framing a convenient villain (usually some variation of "big American business"). However, they tend to get all fuzzy when it comes to two things.

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Capital Roundup

Here are a few of the exclusive stories appearing on our Web site this week. Visit uschambermagazine.com for the very latest news, updates, and special features.

Chamber, National Geographic Premiere Film on IP

The U.S. Chamber, in partnership with National Geographic, is premiering its first film at red-carpet events tonight, April 1, in Washington D.C. and in New York City next week. The 60-minute film, *Illicit: The Dark Trade*, will air on PBS on April 16 and tells the behind-the-scenes story about the links between intellectual property (IP) theft and other illicit activities, including arms and human trafficking, terrorism, child labor, and drug trade.

The film is based on Dr. Moisés Naim's best-selling book *Illicit* and will be rolled out to local chambers and universities around the country and at 106 American Chambers of Commerce in 94 countries.

Chamber Welcomes Treasury's Regulatory Blueprint

The U.S. Chamber applauded the Department of the Treasury for introducing a "needed, thoughtful and comprehensive plan," aimed at reforming the regulatory structure overseeing financial institutions and lenders.

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"The current [economic] crisis just shows in a very stark way that we need a regulatory structure that is simple, nimble, and modern and does not meet that test."

--David Hirschmann, president of US Chamber of Commerce's Center for Capital Markets Competitiveness quoted by the Associated Press the new Treasury Dept. blueprint

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Chamber's Litigation Center Files Brief in San Francisco Health Care Case

The National Chamber Litigation Center has weighed in on a lawsuit challenging a San Francisco law that mandates how much all businesses with over 20 employees must spend on employee health care.

Paulson Speaks at Chamber Capital Markets Summit

Speaking at the U.S. Chamber this week, Treasury Secretary Henry Paulson stepped out as the first administration official to call for additional Federal Reserve oversight of investment banks.

Opportunity

Ask the Experts

With six months to go in the elections, everyone is focused on the question: How will health care reform impact small and medium businesses?

On April 16th, the Chamber's Council on Small Business will host a live Web cast featuring Humphrey Taylor, chairman of the Harris Poll, and often-quoted expert and author on health care reform. Mr. Taylor will be joined by representatives from each of the three presidential candidates, and together they will provide insight on the health care landscape, proposed changes, and how they might impact your business.

The panelists will be answering questions--and that is where you come in. If you have a question on how the candidates' health care proposals may affect your business, you can send it to us in two ways:

1. Post your question in a comment.
2. E-mail the question or the link to a YouTube video question to webmaster@uschamber.com.

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National Healthcare Decisions Day Set for April 16

The U.S. Chamber, along with other national, state and community organizations, is leading a massive effort to highlight the importance of advance healthcare decision-making. National Healthcare Decisions Day on April 16 is an effort to encourage discussion among families, friends and loved ones about the need for advance directives regarding medical treatments.

The Chamber encourages its members to talk to their employees about making their medical wishes known in advance and take advantage of the resources available on the web to establish advance directives.

[Learn more about the effort online.](#)

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 10:22 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: RE: Misuse of your photo & mistatement of facts to defeat Uwe Kalenka, Rebecca Logan, & Liz Vazquez

No worries, it happens all the time.

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 10:08 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: Misuse of your photo & mistatement of facts to defeat Uwe Kalenka, Rebecca Logan, & Liz Vazquez

Oops!

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 9:59 AM
To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: RE: Misuse of your photo & mistatement of facts to defeat Uwe Kalenka, Rebecca Logan, & Liz Vazquez

Did you mean to email this to the Gov's account?

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 9:40 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: RE: Misuse of your photo & mistatement of facts to defeat Uwe Kalenka, Rebecca Logan, & Liz Vazquez

Thank you for your email concerning the mailer that was recently sent to Chugach customers. Governor Palin has not endorsed any candidate running for the Chugach Electric board. While misleading, the candidates did not do anything illegal by using the Governor's official portrait and a quote from her. I appreciate that you took the time to contact our office.

Regards,

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 9:27 AM

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To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Misuse of your photo & mistatement of facts to defeat Uwe Kalenka, Rebecca Logan, & Liz Vazquez

From: Lee Ann Kreig [mailto:leeann@kreig.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 12:10 AM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: Misuse of your photo & mistatement of facts to defeat Uwe Kalenka, Rebecca Logan, & Liz Vazquez

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I think you know that Uwe, Rebecca, and Liz are certainly not anti-worker nor anti-union – the employees have the right to be represented. But we are opposed to their being on both sides of the bargaining table. We believe that the board should represent the 70,000 members of the cooperative and that the co-op should be run as efficiently as possible. People are really hurting from the high cost of their utilities and so much of it is waste! Uwe, Rebecca, and Liz are trying to add fiscal responsibility to the co-op. They are willing to look at all options for power generation and all options for working with other utilities to lower the cost of doing business and maintain system reliability. They are opposed every step of the way for the good work that they do.

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<http://www.chugachconsumers.org/lib/ibew2cac.htm>

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 12:50 PM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Wasilla Multi-Use Complex

J- would you get Mike's list for LtGov. Mike will know what I'm talking about. I'm getting ready to go into AkAirline mtg.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 10:33:26

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Wasilla Multi-Use Complex

Got it. Thanks. Can I look at the list Mike put together. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Tue Apr 01 10:04:02 2008

Subject: Re: Wasilla Multi-Use Complex

It was last year's capital. It passed through last because it was the only thing Wasilla got and they used matching funds to secure it - but some lawmakers still are using that and Stoltze's (bond approved through Anchorage Parks and Rec) astro-turfed Chugiak field as my "hypocritical" projects.

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From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 09:32:41

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Wasilla Multi-Use Complex

Is that in the supplemental or capital?

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Cc: Kelsey, Mark D (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Tue Apr 01 07:09:45 2008

Subject: Wasilla Multi-Use Complex

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 12:58 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: List of projects

Will do. (On another topic, Mort was walking around the Anch airport this morning, saw me, and was in a slight tizzy about your 2 pm ?? airport meeting. I don't know enough to comment just wanted you to know he thinks Ak Airlines is off base seeking cont "subsidy" from cargo carriers--his words.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Sent: Tue Apr 01 12:49:42 2008
Subject: Re: List of projects

I'm trying to get that together. Pls communicate with Mike on that as I'm heading into airline mtg.

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From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>
Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 11:42:34
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Fw: List of projects

I still like the idea of you sitting around the table with reporters on this today if you can. I see Gene T at 3:30 today. Do you want me to communicate with or ask him anything???

Sean

----- Original Message -----

From: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)

To: ExternalEmailgsp; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tue Apr 01 11:39:49 2008
Subject: RE: List of projects

Governor - I was interviewed by Dave Donaldson, Anne Sutton, Bill McAllister, Stephen M., Kristina?? On the second floor about the capital budget - told them there are significant items missing that are basic health, safety, deferred maintenance projects gave them some examples like water & sewer projects, transportation, etc... told them the big differences really are the number of district projects added under DCCED grants - approximately \$300 million - versus state priorities. Clearly there has to be a responsible budget by the end and that we will continue to work toward that.

They also asked about when you will make a decision on supplemental - told them we still have a few more meetings with legislators - that I didn't think we would be able to do much before Thursday -

Karen

Karen J. Rehfeld, Director
Office of Management & Budget
465-3568

karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com <mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com>]
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Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: List of projects

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Subject: Fw: List of projects

I still like the idea of you sitting around the table with reporters on this today if you can. I see Gene T at 3:30 today. Do you want me to communicate with or ask him anything???

Sean

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Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

From: Brenda Porter [mailto:Brenda.porter@charter.net]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 5:51 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Other

Thanks for the quick response. I will be looking forward to receiving the response from the staff of Governor Palin.

On Mar 31, 2008, at 1:36 PM, Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) wrote:

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, March 30, 2008 6:46 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Brenda Porter
address: 300 Hampton Road East Crowley TX 76036

MESSAGE:

If asked to be a vice president running mate for John McCain, would you accept?

Brenda.porter@charter.net

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Subject: Re: Wasilla Multi-Use Complex

Got it. Thanks. Can I look at the list Mike put together. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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Sent: Tue Apr 01 10:04:02 2008
Subject: Re: Wasilla Multi-Use Complex

It was last year's capital. It passed through last because it was the only thing Wasilla got and they used matching funds to secure it - but some lawmakers still are using that and Stoltze's (bond approved through Anchorage Parks and Rec) astro-turfed Chugiak field as my "hypocritical" projects.

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Subject: FW: Calderón, NAFTA, and Mexico's Campesinos in 2008

From: Council on Hemispheric Affairs [mailto:noreply@coha.org]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 11:22 AM
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Subsidized U.S. Agro-Industry Poses Mortal Threat to Mexicos Poor Farmers

Throughout NAFTA's brief history, Mexico's peasant farmers have arguably suffered the most adverse consequences from the free trade agreement. Despite the massive protests, current Mexican President Felipe Calderon has made it clear that he will not even consider re-negotiating NAFTA. However, he may soon have to face the question as a result of pressure from either Barack Obama or Hillary Clinton, if either one of them wins the presidency.

Regardless, Calderon insists that he can begin to address the campesino cause in his country by implementing policies aimed at alleviating the negative economic impact of having to compete with below-market priced agricultural imports from the U.S. He also plans to eradicate tariffs that apparently will seem to mainly hurt the already struggling subsistence farmers throughout the country, mainly in the south.

Full article..

This analysis was prepared by Research Fellow Martin Jacinto

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I suggested he see if Talis could have you join their meeting outside the capitol. Talis may be calling.

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Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 6:26 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Michelle Mitchell
address: 3015 Seawind Drive Anchorage AK 99516
907 279-0032

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Congratulations on your soon-to-be fifth child. I'm a mother of four in Anchorage and can appreciate how excited you must be.

I'm also a professional blogger and I write a blog called Scribbit about motherhood in Alaska and would enjoy an opportunity to interview you about your experiences as a mother in Alaska and as governor. The blog has 2,000 daily readers from around the world and Alaska. It also won the best blog award from the Anchorage Daily News and UAA in 2007. Given my readers' fascination with Alaska I'm sure they would enjoy hearing your experiences.

If you can arrange an interview, please contact me at (907) 279-0032. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Michelle Mitchell

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 8:34 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Sched

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To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'; Lopez; Thomas M (GOV)
Subject: Re: Security

I'll look at the video footage, we should be able to see who that was. I'm sure Tom will also. So sorry to hear that you had to put up with that!

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)
Cc: Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>; Lopez, Thomas M (GOV)
Sent: Tue Apr 01 07:29:16 2008
Subject: Re: Security

Yes, I've tried many different ways to access it through the icon, through the tv station that used to show it. Also, can Tom or someone look back on security tapes from last night (starting at 1:35am) and Sunday evening to see who kept ringing the door bell?

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Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 07:19:32
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Security

Yes, they all should be working. To view them you should be able to access them through the icon on your computer (Pelco). I will follow up as soon as I get to work.

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To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)

Cc: Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tue Apr 01 01:51:39 2008
Subject: Fw: Security

Does outside security camera still work? See below:

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Tue, 1 Apr 2008 09:45:39

To: "Tom Lopez" <tom.lopez@alaska.gov>, "Todd" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Cc: "M Nizich" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Subject: Security

Tom- did the Security alarm ever get re-set after you explained to Todd last week that something was wrong with it? And the security camera doesn't show on the tv or home computers anymore. I ask because it's 1:40am and someone's ringing the doorbell again and I can't see who it is without going down there (same thing happened Sunday). All is fine, but haven't heard if something happened with security camera outdoors.

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 6:28 PM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: information

I heard from DOA on it. Thanks

-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 16:25:20

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: information

Confidential

Dear Governor Palin,

I am sometimes not sure what you already know, in the event you might not be aware, the head of the Office of Public Advocacy Privileged or Pers Friday. Right now it is fairly discreet. It has the potential to be newsworthy. If you are already aware then there is no need to say more at this time. If not, let me know and I can give a more informative heads up. Talis

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Subject: Re: Senate and capital budget

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Sent: Tue Apr 01 17:01:59 2008
Subject: Senate and capital budget

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To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)
Sent: Tue Apr 01 17:01:59 2008
Subject: Senate and capital budget

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 3:05 PM
To: 'develop@eagleriverchristianschool.org'
Subject: RE: Education

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 4:09 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Education

Web mail from: Ms. Michelle Caldwell
address: 10336 E Eagle River Rd EAGLE RIVER AK 99577
907-694-4602

MESSAGE:

We have a small class of graduating Seniors on May 17th at 3 pm and their speaker is not able to make their commencement. She is a past teacher that can not make it for personal reasons. The class was brainstorming and your name, Mrs. Palin, came up over and over again. They did not think it was polite to ask on such a short notice to such a busy woman, especially with baby on the way, but I thought I would ask on the side/sly. That way they will not have to know one way or another.

If you are not busy, we would love for you to come give a quick speech, you are such an inspiration.

Be blessed in all you do,

Michelle Caldwell

Eagle River Christian School

Development Director

907-694-4602

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To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Percent- List of projects

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To: ExternalEmailgsp; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tue Apr 01 13:23:39 2008
Subject: RE: Percent- List of projects

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Karen J. Rehfeld, Director
Office of Management & Budget
465-3568

karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 11:45 AM
To: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Percent- List of projects

What percent of our budget was cut by bert and replaced with his own?

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 11:39:49

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: List of projects

Governor - I was interviewed by Dave Donaldson, Anne Sutton, Bill McAllister, Stephen M., Kristina?? On the second floor about the capital budget - told them there are significant items missing that are basic health, safety, deferred maintenance projects gave them some examples like water & sewer projects, transportation, etc... told them the big differences really are the number of district projects added under DCCED grants - approximately \$300 million - versus state priorities. Clearly there has to be a responsible budget by the end and that we will continue to work toward that.

They also asked about when you will make a decision on supplemental - told them we still have a few more meetings with legislators - that I didn't think we would be able to do much before Thursday -

Karen

Karen J. Rehfeld, Director
Office of Management & Budget
465-3568

karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 11:18 AM

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)

Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Re: List of projects

We need to do it sooner. Senate just had their press avail and we can't let their issues go unanswered for another two days. Mike and I are working on it.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 10:28:22

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)"

<sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: List of projects

Governor-

I would like to pitch the idea of a press availability on Thursday. We could cover budget items as well as CON.

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To: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth
(GOV)

Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV
sponsored)

Subject: List of projects

Great work last night that resulted in that very, very valuable list
that Mike compiled re: important priorities that Stedman and leadership
screwed over and replaced with much less important earmarks. I am ready
to talk to reporters about this- it's absolutely unacceptable and
outrageous and Alaskans NEED to know what's going on here so they can
pressure their elected officials to do the right thing for our state.

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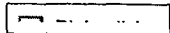
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From: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=EFAGERSTROM]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 2:07 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: FW: Kaitlin

I just received an email saying that my message/response that I sent an hour ago was "undeliverable"... Hope this time it works!

K has volleyball, but Brent could get her to the capitol by 4:30pm. to pick up Piper. If you want Pip to walk home before that Tom & I could monitor her walking via the sec. cameras and she could hang out at the House until K gets here.

Erika Fagerstrom
Executive Residence Manager
Governor's House
State of Alaska, Office of the Governor
716 Calhoun Avenue, Juneau, Alaska 99801
Phone: 907-465-3500; Fax: 907-465-2031

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From: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 12:57 PM
To: ExternalEmailgsp
Subject: RE: Kaitlin

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To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)

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Is Kaitkin available to meet Pip at bus stop today, or to grab her from capitol at 4:00?

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 3:00 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 3:20 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Robert Wallace
address: P.O. Box 3878 Soldotna AK 99669
907-260-4992

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Just a quick note to thank you for being all that you are and even more than you promised to be back at election time! You have restored a sweet, gentle spirit of integrity to our State Government and have worked tirelessly to keep your "up beat" message of leadership flowing through our State.

Quite frankly, I don't have a clue where you find the energy, but keep up the good work!! As a business person in Soldotna, I am delighted by the decisions you have made and I just want to send a note to let you know you are appreciated!!

I read in the ADN that you are "sharpening your axe" to deal with budget issues -- Thank You For Being There!! You have made excellent decisions and I know you will continue to do so! Hang In There and Thank You!!

thistlezot@acsalaska.net

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To: Sarah Palin; Todd
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A very nice email... Janice

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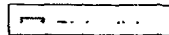
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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 3:10 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Provost; Kathryn T (GOV); Wilken; Jessica M (GOV)
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

Thanks and I will not be responding as the conversation continues with other state entities and the Governor has just been cc'd in the several emails.

Anna Clark Kim
Special Staff Assistant
Office of the Governor

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 3:08 PM
To: Kim, Anna C (GOV)
Cc: Provost, Kathryn T (GOV); Wilken, Jessica M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Property Tax Exemption

Ladies,
We have rec'd several of these today, most of which I sent to Anna, I did send one to Kate and Jessica. I just wanted to let you know.
Donna

From: Craig Duncan [mailto:Craig_Duncan@ci.juneau.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 1:59 PM
To: james@roughridersak.org
Cc: Sara Chambers; Merrill Sanford; Rod_Swope@ci.juneau.ak.us; Robin Potter; Palin, Sarah H (GOV); marcos@roughridersak.org; jbradley@roughridersak.org
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

James,
Sorry for the confusion. You are correct I left out the word "not". It makes a little bit of a difference.

Regarding the section of the state law you referenced, most of our property tax levy is for education. We are required to contribute 4 mills of the full and true value, but we also contribute up to the amount allowed by State law. My reference to 4 mills was in a different context. Our total levy is just over 10 mills and approximately 8 mills is for education.

Right now I am swamped with the budget. I will spend sometime early next week reviewing the State laws to see if I think there is any flex that would allow for an exemption.
Craig

From: James Tipps [mailto:james@roughridersak.org]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 12:19 PM
To: Craig Duncan
Cc: Sara Chambers; Merrill Sanford; Rod Swope; Robin Potter; sarah.palin@alaska.gov; marcos@roughridersak.org; jbradley@roughridersak.org
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

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Craig,

Did you mean to say you CANT advise on the ANCSA?

Let me give you the rundown on where we are at with Goldbelt, and how we got there...

BEFORE the push to close Echo Cove, Rough Riders AK, Inc. approached city, state and federal agencies to try to find a solution to the overcrowding at Echo Cove and the resource damage caused by over use. We asked for a dedicated access point, signage and permission to do trail maintenance. After about a year, Docks & Harbors "Found" an old ordinance, in effect since the 70's but NEVER enforced or even known of by CBJ officials. At this point we approached Goldbelt, Inc about using their land "Legally". We received an Adamant NO! We countered with options for user fees, area maintenance, Landowner Liability insurance, etc... Still No.

Several months later we received a call from Bob Martin at Goldbelt. Now there was some interest in a possible agreement. The requirements were as follows:

- Rough Riders AK, Inc. will provide Landowner Liability Insurance that would cover all users of the land - We can do this but to be covered the person MUST be a member of the Club.
- Rough Riders AK, Inc. will provide ALL enforcement on site
- Goldbelt will require a user fee of some sort. The actual fee, or method is yet to be determined, but some sort of permit was discussed.
 - o This fee will cause the land to revert to Taxable Status for the duration of permit or lease, based on ANCSA. Goldbelt, Inc is aware of this. Rough Riders AK, Inc. MUST ensure that Goldbelt, Inc not incur ANY tax liability. The Attorney for Goldbelt stated that an exemption from CBJ was the only option they could see that would work for them. An option would be for Rough Riders AK, Inc. to agree to pay any Tax liability as a result of our use but the property taxes on such a large parcel would be far more than we could cover.

I have been pouring over State Tax Law and found the following:

*(m) A municipality may by ordinance partially or totally exempt all or some types of economic development property from taxation for up to five years. The municipality may provide for renewal of the exemption under conditions established in the ordinance. **However, under a renewal, a municipality that is a school district may only exempt all or a portion of the amount of taxes that exceeds the amount levied on other property for the school district.** A municipality may by ordinance permit deferral of payment of taxes on all or some types of economic development property for up to five years. The municipality may provide for renewal of the deferral under conditions established in the ordinance. A municipality may adopt an ordinance under this subsection only if, before it is adopted, copies of the proposed ordinance made available at a public hearing on it contain written notice that the ordinance, if adopted, may be repealed by the voters through referendum. An ordinance adopted under this subsection must include specific eligibility requirements and require a written application for each exemption or deferral. In this subsection "economic development property" means real or personal property, including developed property conveyed under 43 U.S.C. 1601 et seq. (Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act), that*

(1) has not previously been taxed as real or personal property by the municipality;

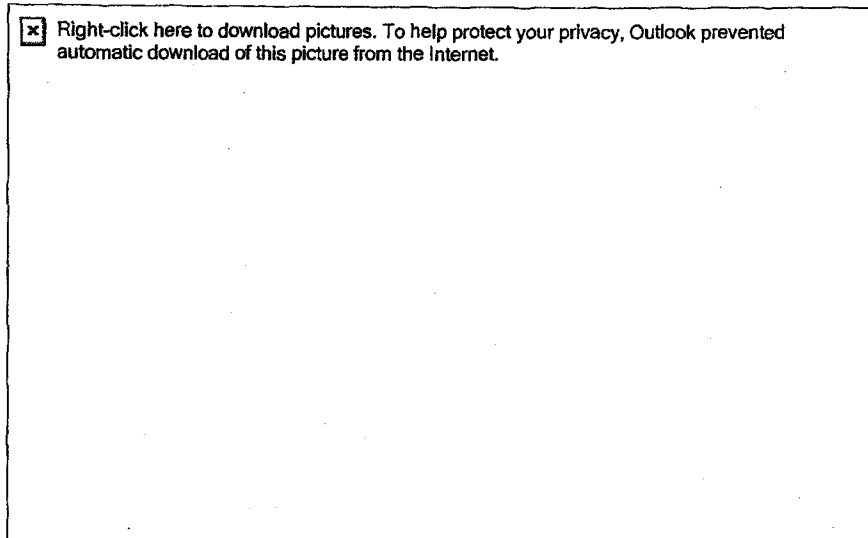
Does the highlighted sentence refer to the 4% you were talking about? If not, is this something we can qualify under? My understanding from reading this, which could very well be wrong, is that the limit on the exemption is only on a RENEWAL. Would this allow for an initial 5 year period? I am clueless when it comes to tax issues.

Really what it comes down to is this... Goldbelt is willing to allow this use if they can make money, have no tax or

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injury liabilities, and have to put ABSOLUTELY NO EFFORT into the process.

Let me know if you have any ideas, or if you know of someone I should talk to.



NOHVCC Associate State Representative - Alaska
www.nohvcc.org

From: Craig Duncan [mailto:Craig_Duncan@ci.juneau.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 4:56 PM
To: james@roughridersak.org
Cc: Sara Chambers; Merrill Sanford; Rod Swope; sarah.palin@alaska.gov
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

James,
I can really advise you on ANCSA. What were you planning as an arrangement with Goldbelt. Sounds like you were going to enter into a lease. I can understand from Goldbelt that they would not want to assume the liability. Maybe you can work some arrangement with Goldbelt to use the property without entering in to any lessee positions. However, I realize that it is a lot of work to build the trails and you may not want such uncertainty.

Again, I would be happy to give some thought to any ideas you may have.
Craig

From: James Tipps [mailto:james@roughridersak.org]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 3:56 PM
To: Craig Duncan
Cc: Sara Chambers; Merrill Sanford; Rod Swope; sarah.palin@alaska.gov
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

Craig,

Thanks for the input.

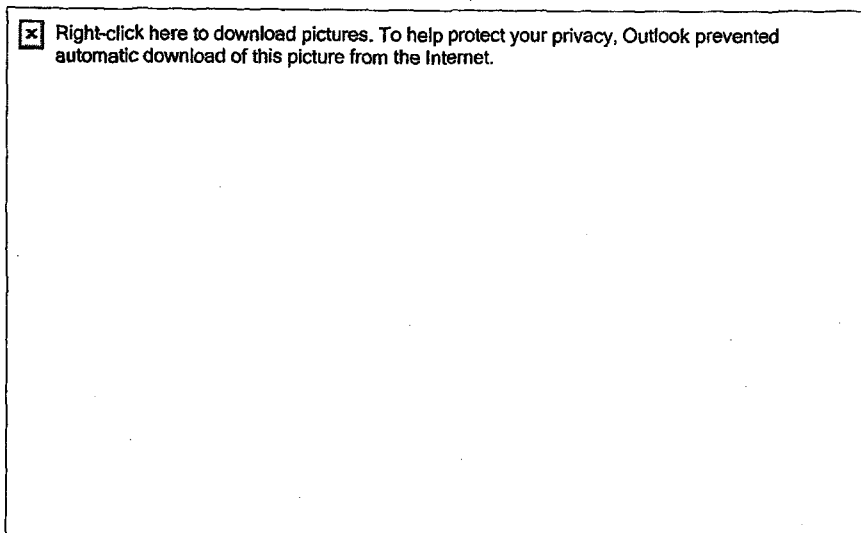
Things are not looking good for OHV users in the Juneau area. It seems like the more we try, the more we lose! I know there were issues at Echo Cove but the push for enforcement of a ordinance that hadn't been enforced in 35 years came after we, Rough Riders AK, Inc., approached CBJ & State offices to attempt to make the area safer for all.

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It has me afraid to ask questions!

Who is the regulating body for the ANCSA, or who would I contact for more information?

Any input you can provide would be appreciated.



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From: Craig Duncan [mailto:Craig_Duncan@ci.juneau.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 3:42 PM
To: james@roughridersak.org
Cc: Sara Chambers; Merrill Sanford; Rod Swope; sarah.palin@alaska.gov
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

James,
I understand you concerns. However, in Alaska a local government's ability to tax (or in this case not to tax) is governed by the State. The State's interest is in getting their share. Under the State's funding formula for education local governments are required to contribute 4% of all property they could tax. The State then withholds the equivalent of the 4% in State support to the school districts. If we optionally exempt property, we are still required to contribute the 4%. This means we go backwards by 4 mills when we provide optional exemptions.

In this case, you have an unusual situation of dealing with ANCSA where the business purpose is a nominal amount. The taxation of the property stays with owner unless the owner is exempt. If the owner is exempt then the taxation of the property falls to a lessee if that lessee is determined to be taxable. We can likely deal with the taxable status of the OHV group. This could be a community purpose exemption if you have a 501(c) (3) or (4) designation. However, the taxable status to the owner creates a problem that likely has no tax relief solution. The real tax issue in this case is to somehow be allowed to use the property without jeopardizing the ANCSA required exemption or being able to provide Goldbelt with an optional exemption or transferring the property to an exempt organization.

On your question about lessening the burden, it is not as simple as stated. If the property is assessable, then it must be assessed at full value unless it is personal property that can be flat taxed (note an airplane is personal property) or optionally exempted and the mill levy must be consistent across the area levied. Mr. Van Sant's comment may refer to flat taxing aircraft or reducing the mill levy within the area. Both of which do not help the OHV Park situation.

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If you have any thoughts on this, I would be happy to discuss them with you. I have both a dirt bike and 4 wheeler and having a place to ride would be great.
Craig

From: James Tipps [mailto:james@roughridersak.org]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 2:54 PM
To: Craig Duncan; Sara Chambers; Merrill Sanford; Rod Swope; sarah.palin@alaska.gov
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

After more research it turns out that the exemption made by the Assembly for Executive Flight was illegal. I have attached the responses from the State as well as CBJ law dept.

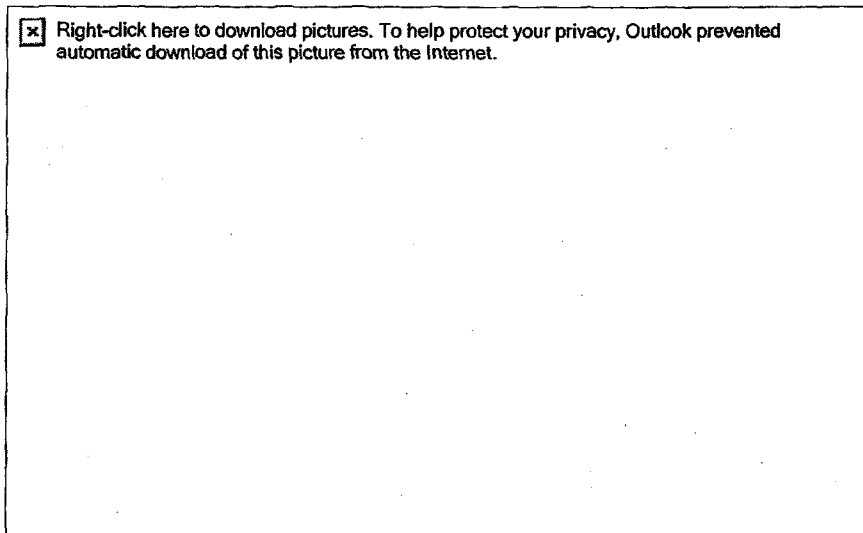
Page 2 , Paragraph one of the State Assessor memo states that "There are alternatives available to the Assembly to lessen the taxation burden..." Can anyone tell me what these are and how much the potential" Lessening" of the tax burden would/could be?

This is an issue that CBJ has shown support for, and it seems there should be a way to remedy the tax issue. So I guess my question is, how much support does the OHV community have from the CBJ? The North Douglas OHV Park has turned into a situation that is destined to fail. Even if the permits are approved by the Planning Commission (which I highly doubt), the opponents have made it clear that they will continue to do EVERYTHING in their power to get it closed down.

This opportunity with Goldbelt would essentially solve the OHV problem in Juneau. I find it hard to believe that there are no options to remove the tax burden.

Rough Riders AK, Inc. cannot afford to pay the property taxes that Goldbelt would incur from our use of the property. This would provide both a short, and long term solution. As it is, where is the OHV community supposed to recreate this summer?

So, two years later, I am asking the same question... Is there anything that anyone can do, or is willing to do, to help find a short term solution to the Juneau OHV issue?



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From: Craig Duncan [mailto:Craig_Duncan@ci.juneau.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 2:05 PM
To: james@roughridersak.org
Cc: Sara Chambers; Merrill Sanford; Rod Swope; Robin Potter
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

James,

The Assembly can only grant exemptions within the structure of the State Statutes. To be exempt you/we would need to find a category within the State Statutes that would qualify the property for optional exemption purposes. State real property assessments breakdown into 3 categories; taxable, optionally exempt (29.45.050) and required to be exempt. If the property becomes taxable to Goldbelt, then it would be Goldbelt that would need to meet one of the State's optional exemptions.

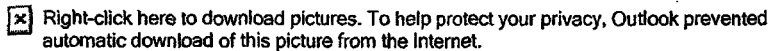
Craig Duncan

From: James Tipps [mailto:james@roughridersak.org]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 12:37 PM
To: Craig Duncan
Cc: Sara Chambers; Merrill Sanford; Rod Swope
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

Craig,

Just to clarify...

Based on the ANCSA, Goldbelt will no longer be exempt on the land if we lease it. Once we are no longer using the land it will revert back to non taxed status. They understand and accept this. The issue is what can be done by CBJ to exempt the land used from taxes during the lease period. The Assembly has, in the past, granted exemption in a similar situation.

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From: Craig Duncan [mailto:Craig_Duncan@ci.juneau.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 12:12 PM
To: Robin Potter
Cc: Martha Torres; Rod Swope; Jane Sebens; Barbara Ritchie; james@roughridersak.org

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Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

Ok, thanks.

From: Robin Potter
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 12:02 PM
To: Craig Duncan
Cc: Martha Torres; Rod Swope; Jane Sebens; Barbara Ritchie; 'james@roughridersak.org'
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

Craig,

I have had several conversations and email exchanges with Mr. Tripp in this regard over the past month. I forwarded his questions to the Law Dept, and have spoken with both Barbara Ritchie and Jane Sebens on several occasions in regard to this matter. Jane researched the legalities of the situation, contacted both myself and Mr. Tripp directly last week, then followed up with me on the situation afterward. My understanding of the situation is;

Roughriders AK Inc. has a 501(c) 3 status with the IRS, but the community purpose exemption application will only apply to property that they own, not lease.

Goldbelt offered to allow Roughriders AK Inc. land to use for the OHV park, on the condition that it not cost Goldbelt any time, money or effort on their part and it not change their exemption status. ANSCA regulations specifically state the exemption is lost on any property that is leased to another entity on that portion that is involved, so Goldbelt would become taxable. Roughriders is requesting approximately 400 acres to my understanding. Jane explained to Mr. Tripp that the options could be, if Roughrider would pay the taxes on the property that Goldbelt would lose their exemption on, then it is possible Goldbelt would be amenable to the proposition.

Possessory interest would apply to a private entity such as Roughriders AK Inc, leasing publicly owned land, however the tax liability is attributable to the private entity.

Robin

Robin Potter

Assessor

Finance Department

City and Borough of Juneau

Tel: 907.586.0330

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Email: Robin_Potter@ci.juneau.ak.us

Web Page: <http://www.juneau.org/finance>

"If you hear that someone is speaking ill of you, instead of trying to defend yourself you should say: "He obviously does not know me very well, since there are so many other faults he could have mentioned"" ~ Epictetus

From: Craig Duncan
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 10:51 AM
To: Robin Potter
Cc: Martha Torres
Subject: FW: Property Tax Exemption

Robin,

Below is a request from Assembly member Chambers. If I missed anything, would you make sure the correct information gets on to Mr. Tripp. I did respond to Ms. Chambers and Mr. Tripp with the following –

Sara,

The Assessor's Office makes determinations on property exemptions. State Statutes govern what is taxable or exempt. Under the statutes, I can see a couple of potential taxation exemption possibilities. First, to have a possessory interest in the property for taxation purposes, the lessee must have certain rights to the property for a specific time. The fewer rights and the shorter the period, the smaller the assessed value. We also have a Community Purpose exemption available if the use of the property meets certain restrictions. An exemption can be granted if the organization leasing the property has an IRS designation of 501(c) (3) or (4) and the property is open to the public for community purposes without material fees or individual access restrictions. There is a form to request a Community Purpose exemption available in the Assessor's Office or on our web site – <http://www.juneau.org/finance/documents/2008NonProfitExemptAppl.pdf>

The original email did include Martha Torres, who is an Appraiser in our Assessing Office. But just incase, I will forward this information on to our Assessor, Robin Potter, for review and response.

Thanks, Craig

From: Sara Chambers
Sent: Monday, March 31, 2008 9:54 AM
To: James Tipps; Craig Duncan
Cc: Rod Swope
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

Craig:

Could you forward this to the appropriate staff and let me know how this might progress? There should be two attachments.

Thank you,

Sara Chambers
Assemblymember
City and Borough of Juneau

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From: James Tipps [mailto:james@roughridersak.org]
Sent: Sat 3/29/2008 9:14 PM
To: Sara Chambers
Subject: Fw: Property Tax Exemption

Sara,

The land is out on the uphill side of Echo Cove. Could be as much as 500 acres available.

We need to find out if we can get an exemption on any property taxes they would incur from our "Paid" use of the land. Currently it is exempt land under ANCSA.

I was able to find where the Assembly voted in favor of an exemption in a similar situation. I have attached the minutes from the assembly meetings where the proposal was discussed and again when the exemption was granted. Look for "Executive Flight".

Executive Flight was a company who leased a plane for Medical Transport, to a non-profit, and so they requested an exemption on that plane only. The situation is similar in the fact that Goldbelt is a For-Profit corporation, who would be leasing to a non-Profit (Rough Riders AK, Inc. - 501(c)(3) Public Charity).

The biggest difference I see is the fact that Executive Flight was currently paying tax on the plane (I think it says \$32,000 a year) so by granting that exemption CBJ was missing out on money, whereas the land in question is NOT currently taxed, but would become taxable while we were paying to use it, so there would be no loss to the CBJ.

Let me know what you think, and if you know where I should start the process. (I have already contacted the CBJ assessors office and was informed that under current ordinances we do not qualify for any of the optional or required exemptions since we do not own the land.

James Tipps
NOHVCC Associate State Representative - Alaska
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Rough Riders AK, Inc. - President
www.roughridersak.org
james@roughridersak.org

----- Original Message -----

From: "Sara Chambers" <Sara_Chambers@ci.juneau.ak.us>
To: <james@roughridersak.org>
Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2008 9:30 AM
Subject: RE: Property Tax Exemption

> Hi, James. How is the PRAC going?
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> Where is the Goldbelt land you are working on? If you have any info let
> me know so I can stay on top of this.
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> Thanks,
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> Sara Chambers
> Assemblymember
> City and Borough of Juneau
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> _____
> From: James Tipps [<mailto:james@roughridersak.org>]
> Sent: Thu 3/13/2008 1:02 PM
> To: Martha Torres
> Cc: Sara Chambers; Merrill Sanford; Rod Swope
> Subject: Property Tax Exemption
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> My name is James Tipps, President of Rough Riders AK, Inc., a 501(c)(3)
> non-profit corporation. Currently we are working with Goldbelt
> corporation to provide an area open to motorized recreation. We have one
> remaining problem that we need to find out how to solve.
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> Currently, the land in question, is under non-Taxed status, as it was
> transferred through the ANCSA. Goldbelt will require a fee from us to use
> the area. The area would be open to club members only. Membership is
> open to the public. Who do we need to speak to to find out about a
> property Tax exemption? The standard forms only seem to apply if we were
> the owners of the land in question. Is this something that we can request
> on behalf of Goldbelt Inc? Goldbelt has made it clear that use of the
> land will be allowed under the following conditions ONLY:
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> * The land MUST remain in non-taxed status or be qualified for a
> property tax exemption AND must revert back to Non-Taxed status if our
> agreement with Goldbelt is terminated.
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> * Rough Riders AK, Inc. MUST do all the footwork. While the
> landowner is willing to work with us they are not willing to put time,
> effort or money into it.
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> There are other conditions that we have already addresses, such as
> insurance and enforcement.
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> Can you please direct me to the person I would need to speak to about
> this? Is this something that will need to go before the Assembly? As our
> proposal for the Fish Creek OHV Park has run into so many delays and so
> much opposition, even if the planning commission rules in our favor, the
> park will not become a reality until late summer 2009 or early summer
> 2010. This leaves no place for summer OHV use for the next year or two.
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> Any help you can provide would be greatly appreciated.
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> James Tipps
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> NOHVCC Associate State Representative - Alaska
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> HYPERLINK "<http://www.nohvcc.org/>"www.nohvcc.org
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From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 12:31 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Percent- List of projects

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 11:45 AM
To: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Percent- List of projects

What percent of our budget was cut by bert and replaced with his own?

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From: "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>
Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 11:39:49
To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>
Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>
Subject: RE: List of projects

Governor - I was interviewed by Dave Donaldson, Anne Sutton, Bill McAllister, Stephen M., Kristina?? On the second floor about the capital budget - told them there are significant items missing that are basic health, safety, deferred maintenance projects gave them some examples like water & sewer projects, transportation, etc... told them the big

differences really are the number of district projects added under DCCED grants - approximately \$300 million - versus state priorities. Clearly there has to be a responsible budget by the end and that we will continue to work toward that.

They also asked about when you will make a decision on supplemental - told them we still have a few more meetings with legislators - that I didn't think we would be able to do much before Thursday -

Karen

Karen J. Rehfeld, Director
Office of Management & Budget
465-3568

karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 11:18 AM
To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: List of projects

We need to do it sooner. Senate just had their press avail and we can't let their issues go unanswered for another two days. Mike and I are working on it.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 10:28:22

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)"
<karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell
T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)"
<sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: List of projects

Governor-

I would like to pitch the idea of a press availability on Thursday. We
could cover budget items as well as CON.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 10:08 AM

To: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth
(GOV)

Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV
sponsored)

Subject: List of projects

Great work last night that resulted in that very, very valuable list
that Mike compiled re: important priorities that Stedman and leadership
screwed over and replaced with much less important earmarks. I am ready
to talk to reporters about this- it's absolutely unacceptable and
outrageous and Alaskans NEED to know what's going on here so they can
pressure their elected officials to do the right thing for our state.

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From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 4:25 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: information

Confidential

Dear Governor Palin,

I am sometimes not sure what you already know, in the event you might not be aware, the head of the Office of Public Advocacy Privileged or PFriday. Right now it is fairly discreet. It has the potential to be newsworthy. If you are already aware then there is no need to say more at this time. If not, let me know and I can give a more informative heads up. Talis

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From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 2:20 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Yocom; Lauren J (GOV)
Cc: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: Huggins

Just got off the phone with Huggins office once again, and he can't fit me in til 5pm but I'm locked in to go see him then regarding Big Game Commercial Services and Brenda Rebne.

Additionally Brenda comes to town tomorrow (along with Ken Johns) and will be making rounds to members of Senate Resources.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 3:00 PM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 3:54 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: William (Bill) Farling
address: 250 W canterbury Dr Wasilla AK 99654
(907) 373-5572 Home

MESSAGE:

I know that you are very busy; but I would like to let you know that I think you are doing a great job leading our Great State. I like the fact that you are trying to keep a handle on spending and saving funds for hard times.

I have sent emails to other elected representatives letting them know that I disagree with their attitudes and their wanting to spend like there is no tomorrow.

Thank you.

Bill Farling
President of Chapter # 891 Vietnam Veterans of America.

farling@mtaonline.net

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From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 10:21 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Don Tanner MEA

What's the deal with Don Tanner in a tv commercial (ch 2 news at 10) riding a snowmachine in the Mat-Su warning people about staying away from powerlines and saying they keep trying to get the state to fix its powerlines (lines sagging). What is he talking about with respect to the state not fixing the lines???

Unknown

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 9:43 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Piper just arrived from the bus

The delay on your email today has not been good - even the Lt Gov said he was getting delays to your account.

Sent using BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Sent: Tue Apr 01 20:59:36 2008
Subject: Re: Piper just arrived from the bus

I just received this- at 9pm. Hmmm
Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 16:02:41
To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: Piper just arrived from the bus

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From: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=EFAGERSTROM]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 8:06 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Kaitlin

Thanks for taking her home! She really enjoys it. :)

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)
Sent: Tue Apr 01 19:41:57 2008
Subject: Re: Kaitlin

Just dropped her off at home- thanks for letting her babysit
Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)" <erika.fagerstrom@alaska.gov>
Date: Tue, 01 Apr 2008 14:07:25
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: FW: Kaitlin

I just received an email saying that my message/response that I sent an hour ago was "undeliverable"... Hope this time it works!

K has volleyball, but Brent could get her to the capitol by 4:30pm. to pick up Piper. If you want Pip to walk home before that Tom & I could monitor her walking via the sec. cameras and she could hang out at the House until K gets here.

Erika Fagerstrom
Executive Residence Manager
Governor's House
State of Alaska, Office of the Governor
716 Calhoun Avenue, Juneau, Alaska 99801
Phone: 907-465-3500; Fax: 907-465-2031

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Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 12:57 PM
To: ExternalEmailgsp
Subject: RE: Kaitlin

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 12:23 PM
To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)
Subject: Kaitlin

Is Kaitkin available to meet Pip at bus stop today, or to grab her from

capitol at 4:00?

Unknown

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 1:09 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: FW: musc

This is the justification from Marty Metiva that Mark has worked w/him on. There are still missing pieces that they're trying to get answers from the City on. The letter to editor will also talk more about the supplemental process and misplaced priorities.

-----Original Message-----

From: Kelsey, Mark D (GOV)
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 1:00 PM
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: musc

Kris:

Attached and pasted in below you'll find the final version. I'll follow this e-mail with a forward from Colleen, on the off chance it might help with the missing business about federal help.

Mark

Ensuring public health and safety are responsibilities the state should take seriously. Last year's appropriation for a new kitchen for the Wasilla Multi-Use Sports Complex was an opportunity to support a community that took the lead in looking out for its residents.

This was not an appropriation to build a recreation facility. The MUSC had been serving the needs of Mat-Su student-athletes and their families for three years prior to the appropriation, which came with the full support of Mat-Su legislators.

When the facility was conceived, city leaders had the vision to plan for it to serve as an evacuation shelter in the event of a natural disaster. To this end, cots, blankets and other necessary shelter items have been acquired and pre-positioned for ready use. Additionally, response-readiness exercises have been conducted. With the addition of the industrial-type kitchen, the facility can be turned into a fully-functioning emergency shelter following a disaster.

The funding request was publicly vetted and was well-supported as a priority for the

community by residents and their elected officials locally and in Juneau.

Mark D. Kelsey

Special Assistant to the Governor

Office of Gov. Sarah Palin

907.269.7450, Anchorage

907.352.2585, Mat-Su

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 11:53 AM
To: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: Darfur - Perm Fund Divest

Governor-

Save Darfur Anchorage was thrilled to learn that you support SB 227. They would like to use a quote in upcoming news releases and publications. May I suggest the following?

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From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 10:08 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: FW: Compass Piece submitted today

Janice, could you please print out the attached for the Governor?

I found this letter in archived emails. It is from Mayor Keller from last year. I have Mark working with Marty on another more detailed justification that will be formatted for a letter to editor. I've impressed again the importance of ASAP.

From: Mayor Keller [mailto:mayor@ci.wasilla.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, July 05, 2007 2:38 PM
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Palin, Sarah H (GOV); Bitney, John W (GOV)
Subject: Compass Piece submitted today

Kris,
I wanted to let you know that I submitted the attached Compass Piece to the ADN today. I hope that print it as it is not only a rebuttal it will also help to educate our residents in the Mat-Su about the shelter and its capabilities.

Thanks,

Dianne M. Keller

Mayor, City of Wasilla

907-373-9055 Phone

907-373-9096 Fax

mayor@ci.wasilla.ak.us

"In matters of style, swim with the current; In matters of principle, stand like a rock." - Thomas Jefferson

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From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 10:17 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); **Privileged or Person**
Subject: RE: work?

Hi Britta! I'll follow-up with you directly - via email - on details the Governor and I have discussed on an opening in the Anchorage office.

Hope you're enjoying Spain!

Kris

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 10:13 AM
To: '**Privileged or Personal Mail**'; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: work?

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----- Original Message -----

From: britta hanson <**Privileged or Personal Mail**>
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wed Apr 02 09:02:14 2008
Subject: work?

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Love,

Britta

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Thanks, and back at ya! I spoke w/Nizich and gave him a heads up that we'll be hiring Britta for scheduling and administrative support in Anchorage. No problem. They'll likely need to hire someone once Hannah leaves for back-up staff support to Sunny & Janice. Which is fine...maybe part-time would even work.

Am praying for everything this week...

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 10:22 AM
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fw: work?

You're the best Kris. Thank you. Now I'm off to more meetings with more of our best friends.

Also- DON'T come into the office when your brother is here visiting, ok??? Please. I may visit schools on Friday instead of working in Anchorage office- so all the more reason you not come in. "Work" from home and email, don't put in for time off even.

----- Original Message -----

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); 'Privileged or Personal Mail' <Privileged or Personal Mail>
Sent: Wed Apr 02 10:17:12 2008
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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 9:21 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Request for Meeting

I just received a call from Kathy at Legislative Consultants. Governor Sheffield would like to fly into JNU this coming Monday, Tuesday for a meeting with the Governor on the Anchorage Port.

I explained to Kathy that due to this being the last week of session that the Governor's schedule was pretty much booked and that I would check if this could even be a possibility before end of session.

Thanks, Janice

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 2:18 PM
To: Spencer, Kari L (GOV)
Subject: FW: University of Alaska Capital Budget

From: Jeannie D Phillips [mailto:snjdp@alaska.edu]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 1:15 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: FW: University of Alaska Capital Budget

From: Jeannie D Phillips [mailto:snjdp@alaska.edu]
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THIS EMAIL IS FROM UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA BOARD OF REGENTS' CHAIR MARY K. HUGHES. Her direct email is: mkhughes@acsalaska.net

Dear Members of the Alaska Legislature:

I have reviewed the capital budget CS put out by the Senate Finance Committee today. As chair of the Board of Regents, I feel it necessary to communicate my concerns regarding the major renewal and replacement funding -- UA's highest capital priority.

The amount for major R&R (i.e. deferred maintenance) included in the CS (\$20 million) is seriously deficient when compared to the problem. Year after year the legislature has chosen not to fund major maintenance for the university system, resulting in a backlog of \$750 million across the state. And, if the \$20 million appropriation is not increased, the backlog will grow to \$785 million next year alone.

With over 6 million square feet of facilities and nearly 400 buildings spread throughout Alaska, the university requires about \$50 million for maintenance each year just to stay current. As Senator Steadman pointed out in his press conference today, the Board of Regents doesn't make the appropriations, the Legislature does. However, the Board is charged with governing the university and a big part of that assignment is managing the public facilities in an efficient and responsible manner. We need the assistance of the legislature to accomplish this task. Since 2000, an average of \$13 million has been funded annually for R&R against a \$50 million annual need.

The university is not alone in its maintenance challenges, which are shared by many state agencies as well. If the legislature continues to choose not to fund major maintenance, it may create a problem rivaling that of PERS/TRS.

I would encourage you to increase the capital budget funding to at least equal the governor's request of \$40 million. I would also encourage you to make an additional appropriation to reduce some of the

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The facilities of the University of Alaska are owned by the people of Alaska. Please honor their reasonable expectation that these facilities will be maintained.

Thank you.

Mary K. Hughes
Chair, UA Board of Regents

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From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 9:02 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: FW: Schedule

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-----Original Message-----

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 8:45 AM
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: Schedule

Governor - Senator Huggins office just called and would like to have the 1:00 p.m. meeting today. We had taken it off due to being to late in the afternoon. They stated that if the 1:00 p.m. time slot did not work that they would then cancel all together. They have no other openings as they will be on the floor. Janice

-----Original Message-----

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Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 8:02 AM
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ltgov: I did get your emails.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 8:12 AM
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Schedule

If Marty can get u that justification asap, that'd be great. Today's going to be hellish.
Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Wed, 2 Apr 2008 16:01:42

To: "Janice Mason" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>, "Sean Parnell" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 8:29 AM
To: efuglestad@acsalaska.net
Subject: RE: Budget

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 7:08 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Eric Fuglestad
address: 3500 Crittenden Homer AK 99603
235-1911

MESSAGE:

Regarding the current budget process,

STICK TO YOUR GUNS!!

The supplemental budget is NOT the place for PORK BARREL EARMARKS.

Keep up the good work.

Thanks

Eric Fuglestad

efuglestad@acsalaska.net

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 8:02 AM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: yesterday's email

Got it

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-----Original Message-----

From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 02 Apr 2008 06:52:01

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: yesterday's email

Like, Janice, I can't tell which of my emails bounced back yesterday so I wanted to be sure you got my note yesterday morning about Nelson Cohen, US Attorney, wanting to pay a courtesy call on you while he is in Juneau this week. (He was on yesterday's flight) It was about how he's here for a Coast Guard exercise, some Forest Service business and he says he was stopping in to see Talis about the US Attorneys opening an office in Juneau. Did you get that email??

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 6:28 PM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: information

Thank you

-----Original Message-----

From: Talis Colberg
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Apr 2, 2008 6:26 PM
Subject: Re: information

Dear governor palin. A reminder there is a staged terrorist attack planned for JUNEAU tomorrow. Talis.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 6:21 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Re: bill signings tomorrow

We just discussed- no advisory, we'll just sign and then release final document, then we'll be available if reporters want to ask questions.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 02 Apr 2008 18:05:42

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

Subject: bill signings tomorrow

Governor -

Would you like us to invite the press to the bill signings tomorrow? I'm not sure how big you would like this. We could invite reporters and lawmakers to your office - or have something a bit bigger in the conference room. If the bills are signed in the morning with press, I should probably send an advisory out tonight. Please let me know - thanks.

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
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To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Pls don't pass on

Thanks. Amazing what they're putting us through though.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 02 Apr 2008 16:33:10

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Pls don't pass on

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I saw Gene earlier but am not able to watch now.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed Apr 02 16:26:06 2008

Subject: Re: Bristol

I know. Sick.

Are you watching Therriault? Awesome effort he's making! Ineffective, but awesome effort!

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From: Sean Personal

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Sent: Apr 2, 2008 12:28 PM

Subject: Bristol

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Subject: Fw: House and Senate Resolution

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Wed, 2 Apr 2008 21:19:56

To: "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Subject: Re: House and Senate Resolution

We need the response asap. Sharon/Beth, we need the response asap.

Funny the leggies didn't communicate this to us before going to the media...

And remember the ads I was in two yrs ago for All-Alaska and was roundly criticized by these same folks when I got elected for being "biased" towards? Hmmmmmm

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-----Original Message-----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Wed, 2 Apr 2008 14:16:03

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: House and Senate Resolution

Yes...and they waited for a POLL to push 'em to do it. If response is presented right will make them look extremely weak and reactionary.

gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote: Yeah- like we weren't going to address in-state anyway in the sp session??? That's the point in the sp session that we'll be trying to make. They're

selling out the state in the budget re: infrastructure and AGIA needs, but they'll expand the call to TELL us what to do on addressing in-state use of our gas?

And in-state use IS part of AGIA... again, that's the point.

Our commissioners are going to blast them for doing this on the same day they cut AGIA neccessities today.

And where was their "communication" on this before they went right to the media without working with us on it- as they constanstly criticize us for doing so.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye

Date: Wed, 2 Apr 2008 14:06:02

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Todd , K Perry Yahoo , Frank Bailey

Subject: Re: House and Senate Resolution

I think Huggins is about to drop a bomb shell in this press conf.

gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote: Thanks ivy. This is valuable to know.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye

Date: Wed, 2 Apr 2008 12:18:25

To: Sarah Palin , Todd Palin , Kris Perry , Frank Bailey

Subject: House and Senate Resolution

Wanted to give you guys a heads up from Don. He was in the ANGDA office and saw a resolution that the House and Senate are going to support. The resolution calls for amending the special session agenda to include in-state gasline proposals to be considered. Don asked for a copy of the resolution, but they wouldn't give him one.

Not sure if and when this is going to happen, but wanted to pass along. I just looked at the House and Senate floor calendar and I don't see it on there, nevertheless it could come up.

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Date: Wed, 02 Apr 2008 13:23:37

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Darfur - Perm Fund Divest

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Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 12:15 PM

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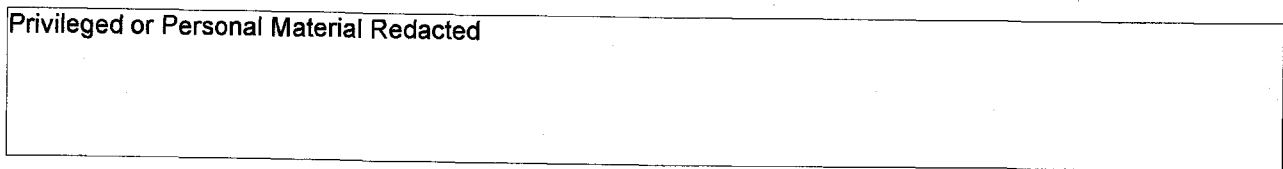
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Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 1:42 PM
To: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Anders; Bruce F (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Gibson; Kurtis K (DNR)
Subject: Fw: House and Senate Resolution

Thanks- Heyworth and Heinze.

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From: Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>

Date: Wed, 2 Apr 2008 14:33:45

To: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>, gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>, K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>

Subject: Re: House and Senate Resolution

And Scott Heyworth too. Let him know he serves at the pleasure of the governor. He insinuated to Don to "be prepared for something to happen"--Don didn't know what it meant at the time. We all know now.

frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com> wrote: Pretty sure that falls under B & C.

I'm on it.

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Sounds good.

Now get ramped up to slam the actions of leggies on budget and AGIA expanded call- they just ended their presser with: there's no leadership on the gasline, that's what we need or Alaskans are screwed out of benefits of use of OUR gas.

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Subject: Fw: House and Senate Resolution

Don't take offense-

We do need to respond asap and I'm asking Frank to pass along any emails/messages necessary to communicate the huge concerns I have over the outcome of this and the fact that too many believe we've ignored the public's demand for AK's NEEDS to be met FIRST before huge Canadian project. I asked Frank to communicate this.

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Date: Wed, 2 Apr 2008 21:17:19

To: "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>, "Ivy personal" <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>, "K Perry Yahoo" <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, "Todd" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Subject: Re: House and Senate Resolution

Yes- I don't know if they've been HEARING me on this... Please relay it AGAIN.

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To: Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>, gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>, K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>

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To: Frank Bailey
Subject: Re: House and Senate Resolution

We need the response asap. Sharon/Beth, we need the response asap.

Funny the leggies didn't communicate this to us before going to the media...

And remember the ads I was in two yrs ago for All-Alaska and was roundly criticized by these same folks when I got elected for being "biased" towards? Hrrrrrrrrrr

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From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Wed, 2 Apr 2008 14:16:03

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: House and Senate Resolution

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To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Subject: Budget

What the Senate is doing on the floor is a JOKE. I'm speechless watching the public safety and infrastructure projects get eliminated by all but Therriault's minority Republican group... while Lyda and Stedman's group packs in frivolous earmarks for their own gain. If Alaskans knew what was going on in this building they'd be outraged.

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Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Therriault

He rocks. He and his crew are doing an awesome job trying to get infrastructure and public safety projects back in the budget. They are Alaskan heroes today.

Albeit ineffective, but heroic nonetheless.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 12:08 PM
To: Fagerstrom; Erika (GOV)
Cc: Todd
Subject: Re: Diane

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From: "Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)" <erika.fagerstrom@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 02 Apr 2008 12:02:05

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Diane

We'll be ready!

To follow up on cameras:

They're working on getting the sec. camera to work on the family room
t.v.; but your computer camera is working.

Thanks,

E

Erika Fagerstrom

Executive Residence Manager

Governor's House

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Phone: 907-465-3500; Fax: 907-465-2031

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 11:42 AM
To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV); Todd
Subject: Re: Diane

Thanks! And Todd may have a couple of commissioners come over to meet there also.

-----Original Message-----

From: Erika Fagerstrom
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Apr 2, 2008 11:15 AM
Subject: RE: Diane

Yes, she did. They'll have cookies and tea in the Conservatory. :)

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Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 10:20 AM
To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)
Cc: Todd
Subject: Diane

Did Pip tell Diane that she thinks two of her friends will show up for

Tea Party this afternoon?

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 12:03 PM
To: 'trav_n_tab@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 12:55 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Ms. Tabitha Seefeldt
address: 5957 Smith Lane Elmendorf AFB AK 99506
920-246-8143

MESSAGE:

Gov. Sarah Palin,

I did not know who to contact but felt I needed to get this situation on paper so that others were aware of such situations regarding our service men. My husband, Travis Seefeldt was deployed January 3rd of 2008. It was to be a six month deployment and he is to return July. Around the third week of March my husband was rushed for an emergency surgery to the Baghdad hospital. He had infected lymph nodes and his appendix removed. I did not receive a call until two days after from one of the supervisors to let me know what was going on. The gentleman proceeded to tell me that he would not be able to work as he was before the surgery, but because of the economic issue they could not send him home. I found this irritating how they could keep someone when he could not even wear his safety gear without the risk of hurting himself even more. Then the first shirt proceeded to tell me he would try and find something for him to do so basically saying that they had nothing. My husband fe

It useless to say the least and still has issues even walking without pain. Worse they put him on Oxycontin and let him walk around with delusions. I may not know much but this seems so unsafe to me. I am pregnant with all the added stress we almost lost our child. His sister recently came forward to tell everyone her step-dad of eleven years was molesting her. With all this I became seriously ill as did he. Travis told them he was depressed and worried about the well being of his family, they said fine you can go home but we will dishonorably discharge you take away your GI Bill and so on. When he joined the air force, and to this day, they preach about safety and family, I ask myself is this

their idea of being safe and being family oriented? The shirt told Travis that the only other way he could come home would be for me to claim insanity. The general told him that 50,000 other people have the same issues and that he is not special. I feel like they have failed him and us

as a family that is protecting this coun!

try. I truly believe he would be more useful at home, and worry his safety is being neglected but at this point just want to speak up. There is so much more to say, but I hope through this you get the generals. Who else do I contact to go over this issue with?

Thank you,

Tabitha Seefeldt

Anchorage Alaska

trav_n_tab@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 10:06 AM
To: Rintala; Jessalynn F (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Re: PR 08-047 Alaska Receives Rating Upgrade to AA+ 040208

Thank you

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Date: Wed, 02 Apr 2008 09:42:25

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

No. 08-047

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ACES, AGIA and Budget Reserves credited

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upgraded was on August 5, 1992 when Standard & Poor's shifted from AA- to AA.

"Our fiscal prudence is being recognized by the financial markets. It affirms our efforts to control government spending and live within our means," Governor Palin said. "We have been working hard advocating for Alaska, both within the state and outside, and I am pleased to see it paying off."

Standard and Poor's is viewed as the authoritative source for state bond ratings. As part of its analysis of Alaska, Standard and Poor's referenced the State's substantial and growing reserves, a budget surplus due to high oil prices and the implementation of the new ACES petroleum profits resource valuation, combined with prospects for a natural gas pipeline. Specifically, the Constitutional Budget Reserve Fund was mentioned as essential to the rating increase.

"This rating increase indicates that we're on the right track," Governor Palin said. "We will continue to work toward future upgrades by being responsible about how much we spend and how we prioritize spending, and by ensuring that we save as much as possible to prepare for the future."

The credit upgrade may result in one quarter of one percent lower cost of capital to the State which will save tens of millions of dollars over the life of proposed bonds.

"By effectively demonstrating the strength and stability of the State of Alaska's finances, the public will benefit with reduced costs for infrastructure and other publicly financed projects," Revenue Commissioner Pat Galvin said.

Contact: Deven Mitchell, Debt Manager (907) 465-3750.

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Cc: Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Schedule

Shoot- I don't have any openings either. I'll be working on the budget, and the Leg. mtgs are wrapped up now.

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From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 02 Apr 2008 08:45:18

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>, "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

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Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 10:22 AM
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fw: work?

You're the best Kris. Thank you. Now I'm off to more meetings with more of our best friends.

Also- DON'T come into the office when your brother is here visiting, ok??? Please. I may visit schools on Friday instead of working in Anchorage office- so all the more reason you not come in. "Work" from home and email, don't put in for time off even.

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From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); 'Privileged or Personal Ma' <Privileged or Personal Ma>
Sent: Wed Apr 02 10:17:12 2008
Subject: RE: work?

Hi Britta! I'll follow-up with you directly - via email - on details the Governor and I have discussed on an opening in the Anchorage office.

Hope you're enjoying Spain!

Kris

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From: britta hanson <Privileged or Personal Mail>

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed Apr 02 09:02:14 2008

Subject: work?

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Love,

Britta

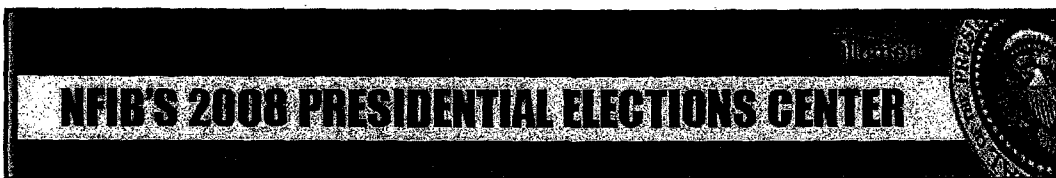
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Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 8:45 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Visit NFIB's 2008 Presidential Election Center

From: NFIB Campaign & Election News [mailto:NFIBCommunications@nfib.org]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 7:51 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Visit NFIB's 2008 Presidential Election Center

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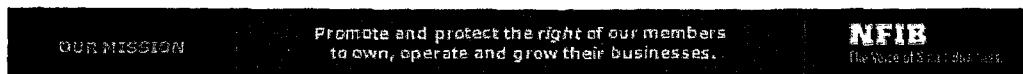
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Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 10:08 AM
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Subject: Re: Schedule

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Date: Wed, 02 Apr 2008 09:02:03

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: Schedule

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Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 5:46 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; fek9wnr@yahoo.com; 'Frank Bailey'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: FW: response

From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 5:46 PM
To: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)
Subject: response

Commissioner,

I was taken aback by your response to my op-ed. The governor is truly doing a good thing here crafting an appropriate budget, trying to work with legislators, sponsoring legitimate legislation that will benefit Alaskans. I will defend her to the death in these efforts. And, it is not as you've told me "hero worship."

I'm surprised too, that you're not more fired up—15 of 16 of your DOA projects were cut by the Senate and your response is to "not throw more gas on the fire." As the governor directed her commissioners and advisors earlier today, it's time to unite and defend priority projects and legislation. I support her 100% and will do my small part by conveying to Alaskans what I observe in Juneau.

What's most frustrating is my message would sound much stronger coming from someone like you—a true leader and a commissioner serving in Gov Palin's cabinet. I'm disappointed you aren't bolder with legislators.

In my humble opinion, at the very least you should be willing to defend your budget and your governor, let alone me. Although you and I don't agree, I will continue to fight for Alaska's best interest with my governor and let Alaskans know this governor will not stand for the status quo. I will also continue to work civilly and respectfully with you, but I won't be afraid to share my opinion, and defend and support my governor every day, whether I work in this administration or not.

With respect,

Ivy

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From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 10:20 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: 'Sarah Palin'; 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'; 'krisandclark@yahoo.com'; 'ivyfrye@yahoo.com'
Subject: FW: Homer's response to Stedman

From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 10:18 AM
To: 'mike heimbuch'
Subject: RE: Homer's response to Stedman

Mike,

This is fantastic...just read it. Please get this out. ADN Compass, Clarion, Trib,

This is awesome...absolutely awesome. I'm going to share this with the Gov & Sharon Leighow. Especially love the 2nd to last paragraph.

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From: mike heimbuch [mailto:musicman@xyz.net]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 7:30 AM
To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Homer's response to Stedman

----- Original Message -----

From: [mike heimbuch](#)
To: [Bailey, Frank T \(GOV\)](#)
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 9:14 AM
Subject: Fw: Homer's response to Stedman

Frank,
Homer may have a response to Stedman's words in the ADN

"I can defend and justify every project in that district" Stedman said. "You'll see there is no fluffy stuff."

Stedman's words reflect part of a problem with public spending. Legislators are the focal point for projects originated by municipalities and other interest groups. Certainly these groups don't see their projects as 'fluffy stuff' nor do we expect them to. These projects often make it onto CIP wish lists of a city or borough. But that may not be sufficient proof of public need or community support. In Homer this last month, by a 2-1 margin, voters rejected an 8 million dollar bond for a new city hall and town center. This project had support of the Legislature, University, city government, and several interest groups, stretching back many years.

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The Homer vote can be instructive for us. Often times the very people who bring projects forward for public funding have not measured the will of the people. The fact that an interest group or local government has a decent purpose in mind is not adequate reason to hold the public treasury hostage or badger people into spending it.

It may be difficult to see why a governor might personally agree with and support the public purpose of a project - and yet find reason to disapprove spending public money on it. It is simply because the governor is not elected to impose their personal preferences upon the public or hand out some yearly allowance to well behaved children. People expect the governor to apply a consistent and defensible approach for measuring public need prior to spending public money.

To the extent that election of a governor reflects the will of the people - so then must the people's will be reflected in the veto pen of the governor.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:27 AM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 9:21 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Peter Kamilos
address: HC35 Box 5355 ZX Wasilla AK 99654
907.373.6256

MESSAGE:

I think the representation in Juneau is mostly corrupt and/or ineffective.

Stick it to them on the budget.

We don't need the petty park projects like we need the State infrastructure projects you proposed.

Don't let the legislature win here.

At the same time, I am a little miffed at the arial wolf hunting fiasco. The voters of Alaska don't want it right now. There are other ways to control wolf population than to use methods that give Alaska bad press. My mother keeps calling about how barbaric we are on the issue! I'm dying here... please no arial wolf hunting.

--Peter--

peter.kamilos@gmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 11:57 AM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 10:42 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Ms. LuAnn Reynolds
address: 37240 Cannery Rd. KENAI AK 99611
907 283-5062

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

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LuAnn Reynolds

akreynolds1@acsalaska.net

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 11:46 AM
To: govpalin@alaska.gov
Subject: FW: FYI - Budget Email

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 11:31 AM
To: Spencer, Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

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Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 12:18 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Dave Johnson

address: 3901 Eastwood Loop Anchorage AK 99504

MESSAGE:

I support your use of the veto pen! I have no special ax to grind or benefit to gain, just a concerned Alaskan who has lived in Alaska for 30 years, raised 3 daughters and plans to stick around a bit longer.

Thanks,

Dave Johnson

dave_99504@yahoo.com

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 11:42 AM
To: 'Sarah Palin'; Bailey; Frank T (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frye; Ivy J (GOV); 'Todd'
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From: McBride, Rhonda (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RMFAUBION]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 1:41 PM
To: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: Legislature

If you look at the waves that roll in on a beach, they're created by a number of forces --winds, tides, underwater currents and unknowable factors. I've heard that the Native kayakers took this into account, as they planned how to navigate the ocean.

In this case, we have:

- frustration over the shortened session
- baggage from the last session over capitol projects
- the leadership dynamic in the Senate
- lawmaker anxiety about the corruption scandals (...which makes the legislature as a whole look bad)
- election year politics (Corruption scandal fall-out makes this worse. Lawmakers have a bigger need for legislative trophies to show their constituents.)

Lots of stuff to make for rough waves. On this last visit to Juneau, the level of rudeness caught me by surprise. It's ahird not to take it personally. It seemed to me that there's more involved than just anger with the Governor.

Let me know what I can do to help communicate with Rural lawmakers.

Rhonda

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Subject: KWHL

Governor-

I have tried calling KWHL – it keeps ringing and ringing. I will keep trying!

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From: John Priestley [priestley.john@gmail.com]
 Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 2:27 AM
 To: anchoragefbi@ak.net; Palin; Sarah H (GOV); stephen_wright@alaska.gov
 Subject: More Alaska Corruption, Labor, AFSCME, Murkowski, etc

Steven Wright is the ADF&G liaison for federal funding I know, and he is also the Southeast Alaska AFSCME shop steward for ADF&G. He has ignored my complaints about treaty violations. He has ignored my complaint about hostile work environment. He has ignored ethics violations. He has ignored my complaints of abuse of Federal funds. He has ignored my complaint about Collective Bargaining Agreement violations. He has ignored perjury by state employees in the ADF&G.

Maybe you are right, and perhaps Steven Wright really has no clue as to what is going on. He is then only one of many with questionable competence, but I think there are some ill motives involved. Maybe his interest in the shop steward position is to subvert the contract or law.

I hear the state is replacing the \$7 million federal cut themselves, but the ADF&G is also loosing out on some Pacific Salmon Commission funding. I call that a start.

Best thing is that some fingers get pointed at his inaction now that the ADF&G is loosing some large chunks of Federal Funding. I had suggested to the commissioner that I have set this as a goal that the Federal Government not support invidious discrimination and thuggery.

Some DOI EEO people were the first to suggest cutting funds, but they could not take action complaints other than to suggest to their supervisors cutting budgets. Gale Norton did send out a memo suggesting DOI funded programs comply with EEOC guidelines about the same time I was contacting them.

In one of my "disciplinary meetings" or "investigatory meetings" I read some things from a book *FIGHTING FAIR* (formerly titled *FIGHTING WITH GHANDI* -not sure of the author) which listed several principles. Kim M extracted "Don't avoid Conflict" as something she could use to paint me as some conflicting combative person who she had an excuse to not represent. She made all sorts of conjectural statements about how I had "Laid awake thinking about this." What BS. She did not take note of the "strive for a win-win situations," and now there are becoming some BIG losers.

So much for the win-win for Kim Metcafe. Maybe she should spend about the same amount of time in Prison for fraud as I have in the Federal Courts trying to get her and SOA investigated. I think there is some mail fraud there. I think there is a lot of fraud, including Jim Duncan ignoring his Conflict of Interest stipulation. And his pretending to be able to represent the contract. All the AFSCME folks need to spend some time in prison. I like seeing that Jim Clark has agreed to work with DOJ, and they suggest state prosecutions in his agreement. Wouldn't it be perfect if they went to a state prison system in AZ instead of a FCI golf camp?

Her (Kim M's) conjecture is about all she put on a grievance, no sign of the words hostile work environment, work not done as a result, unequal distribution of hours, Layoff issues, illegal hire, quid-pro-quo, ethics violation, treaty violation issues, Lacey Act federal felony, retaliation, etc, nothing at all. A balk.

Steven could have showed up as a rep but did not. I did not even know he was in the building as Management would desire. But he knows his role as is everyone in Labor Management and Union- Lie, Deny, Fraud and Defraud and subvert the law or contract.

I am pretty sure some of the feds (DOI auditors) I talked with have checked his work, as I pointed them towards him. He might as well be painted in with the same brush as Jim, Kim, Dick and Art.

Who knows about the former commissioners that are beholden to industry at all cost or expense of sane salmon management.

The SOP says to make sure to hear what people have to say before any discipline. There was a "casual link" on the first letter which acknowledged "reverse discrimination." EEOC was told there was no "casual link" but the link is actually quite clear in the letter. Someone lied to the EEOC officers (perjury) and it was by mail, so I think that adds another mail fraud. It might have been someone from the Alaska Human Rights Commission where Hayes' wife (convicted/

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plead guilty of corruption) worked.

The tapes I have recorded sound more like extortion and threats than discipline, and I have begun to circulate them to the Federal agencies (DOJ, FBI). I have More to transfer to CD which I am not sure if I can do on this computer, but they pretty much sound like threats to drop complaints, rather than discipline. I am surprised KimM took no action upon hearing them. I guess if she was smart she would have destroyed them.

By the way, what do you know about D&O 157? My understanding is that it established a group of CEA employees that would conspire and retaliate and scheme and update schemes and all the while not violate worker rights. Art had a lot to do with it, Lynn Ate appeared, Dianne Corso had some to do with it, all people who I have been sent round and round to ad nauseum. Art seems sensitive about the mention of it, and a letter of proffer and cooperative witness among them would probably result in some conspiracy convictions.

Art says D&O 157 was a good thing (par Arthur) though it was shot down at the Superior court level, and not taken to the Supreme Court by the Knowles AG. I have no doubt they carried out their management plans discussed here regardless of respecting what any court said. I have seen it.

<http://www.labor.state.ak.us/laborr/do/157.htm>

Confidential Employees Association vs. State of Alaska, Decision & Order No. 157 (04/07/1993). Superior Court REVERSED Agency decision and order AND REMANDED for a new Agency hearing in case number 1JU-93-0656CI on September 1, 1994. On October 12, 1994, the Superior Court issued an ORDER OF CLARIFICATION IN 1JU-93-0656CI.

Funny how you cannot find this case or set of litigants in the court website.

Arthur seems a bit apprehensive about what he was doing with this case, and when it is brought up on the weblog it touches a nerve I can tell. Art seems sensitive about the mention of 157. A letter of proffer to the least culpable of them with an offer to be a cooperative witness among them would probably result in some conspiracy convictions.

Art has now said publicly that Jim Duncan's conflict of interest complaint and stipulation was a public document, and the fact I could not get it by asking was an obstructionist tactic. Now that he knows I have seen a copy of it he claims it is confidential and that I stole it. I believe Art is a true sociopath and whichever story fits at the time is what he uses, without any concept of truth or lies, just what ever works at the time.

And typical of corruption, Art had his quid-pro-quo political campaign donations for his Murkowski appointment (2x \$500 is the maximum, I believe). As well his revolving door job to represent the ACOA which violated the two year conflict of interest policy of the state Executive Branch Ethics Act.

<https://webapp.state.ak.us/apoc/individ.jsp?year=&equalto=&lessthan=&greaterthan=&contributor=chance&filer=&sort=NAME>

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I talked with a Local Agent last month and the discussion inevitably he moved away from the Lacey Act and treaty violations which were DOI and NOAA OLE, and towards Labor Relations and Arthur Chance. I accurately described Art as the "Robert Sorich" of the Murkowski Administration and showed the Agent a record of the promotion of the person I recorded admitting retaliation (James 'Brit' Lobdell). Brit was promoted with a transfer, and the Sitka ADF&G should have been suspicious of this Admin. appointment. Someone there knows more about it for sure.

http://www.bettergov.org/pdfs/sorich_complaint.pdf

Brit was promoted during seasonal leave which was unheard of. He was promoted within a week of giving his name to Art in Downtown Juneau in Early 2005. I described the tape to Art and suggested this was direct evidence of retaliation, and would not be a good thing for his case. Art was in charge of reward and punishment and Merit meant nothing in his retaliatory schemes, even though Merit Principle is in the contract.

These actions (Executive and Admin Orders) of the Murkowski Administration were not about seeing ethics or collective bargaining or EEOC missions were fulfilled, but of moving and reorganizing it to political control, and his cheats.. They were about setting up an illegal patronage scheme where people like Scott Ogan or Robin Taylor would be political shoe-in's regardless of the extreme lack of qualifications. Maybe Jim Clark's cooperation will be of help with investigation of this direction of Murkowski's corruption in hiring practices.

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<http://www.gov.state.ak.us/admin-orders/201.html>

<http://www.legis.state.ak.us/basis/folio.asp>

Maybe more on the Attorney General's corrupt bastards later. And that one standing master who thought she would get the judge appointment by conspiracy and fraud with her AG contacts. Eric Stone at the Fairbanks office should look for the phone links between 465-4137 and the Fairbanks courts. It appears the AG assistants ghostwrite findings for the former standing master up there.

John,
Was this in response to something Stephen wrote to you? I knew Stephen when he worked at DOE and I tried to get him involved in the union but seemed to be aloof. Funny how he did get involved after working a stint at the Office of the Governor, Tony Knowles. Stephen is a nerd, so I imagine he doesn't really understand what you are saying...

----- Original Message -----

From: John Priestley <priestley.john@gmail.com>
To: stephen_wright@alaska.gov
Cc: JimD@afscmelocal52.org; "Johnson Miller, Amanda X (OES)" <JohnsonMillerAX@state.gov>; Mark Bowen <vidaeumrjo@yahoo.com>; "Cantillon, Dave" <david.cantillon@noaa.gov>; renata_riffe@alaska.gov; anchoragefbi@ak.net
Sent: Tuesday, April 1, 2008 11:38:26 PM
Subject: AFSCME Local 52 Racketeering and Federal Funding

Hi Stephen-

I hear the state is replacing \$7 million that the Federal Government has removed from the budget. Why the federal budget cuts anyway? Maybe having Jim Duncan and his cronys take over a employee union was something too late to reconsider now. But it will all work out in the end I AM SURE. Not to worry, I will file Jim Duncan's Conflict of interest stipulations under seal, as it appears to be an illegal contract. Or was it a public document as Art Chance said? This will be to be in front of a Federal Judge who may be concerned about Alaska's treaty violations. Have you talked to Jim about your role yet, and how you will defend yourself? I remember giving you some information that you would have been required to act on by state statute, but I guess you were familiar with the do-nothing plan.

I sent the tapes I recorded of Britt Lobdell admitting to conspiracy and retaliation to the DOJ just shortly before he was demoted and resigned. Is the state trying to make the witnesses like Britt disappear now? Where is Brit Lobdell anyway? He was appaering to take the role to be Bill Milks' star witness. Are you familiar with Bill Milks' work? And his use of federal money funded schemes? How about Hayward as his criminal client?

Have you investigated his (Hayward's) incursiuons into sleeping girls' cabins? There was some plant manager concerned about his daughter waking up in the middle of the night with him touching on her. How about the girl he attacked, have you talked with her yet? Maybe it is time if it is not too late. I know there is a no-investigation policy, but now other agencies have stepped in. Maybe you should at least pretend to not be a corrupt bastard. Maybe there are higher authorities doing what you should have done. But Do you ever wonder why or where the state of Alaska comes under such intense Federal Scrutiny? Do you think it will end soon?

I have finally found a copy of Jim Duncan's file on his conflict of interest complaint and stipulation, which he violated. It explains everything. I will make sure to mention your name to the Federal Judges, as you obviously are a willing and knowing participant as a do-nothing AFSCME shop steward. I am quite excited about testing the power of the courts as I can see that people do hear the complaints I file. And I have learned alot about finess, and of course, I asked for your support so long ago. Perhaps there is no longer a way to heed the things I asked to be considered, and no way to recall our previous communications.

How does it feel to be a member of a corrupt organization (AFSCME Local 52) now that the Federal DOJ is taking notice of your fraud, waste and abuse of federal coffer?

I figure six years for you, about the same time I have spent in pursuit of my statutory and contractual grievance. I think there will be others that know you, that testify once it comes down to fraud charges. Not to worry, Jim Duncan, Kevin Brooks, Kim Metcalfe, Hal Geiger, Art Chance, Dianne Corso, Lyn Ate, Adrienne Snow, and perhaps fourty others from labor relations and personnel will be there to keep you company for those five or ten years. I am arranging this plan for your future with the agents and prosecutors.

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Hope you had a happy April Fool's day! Lord knows we all need to laugh about something. Sorry I'm laughing about your current predicament.

Sincerely,
John Priestley Jr.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 7:57 AM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Leschper; Beth (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Subject: Re: Prs/trs Re: Muni Rev Shares

Ok- and I knew they were our bills but wondered who ushered them through for us.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 07:54:52

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Prs/trs Re: Muni Rev Shares

PERS/TRS was your bill and Rev Sharing was Senate C&RA, but certainly we can invite any legislators to the signing.

Both bills can be signed any time between now and next Tuesday. So, we have time if we need it. Mike was going to talk to you about these bills today and the options for signing them, but, the nice thing is we don't have to pile on for today if you don't want to. It's an option.

RK

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 3:15 AM

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Leschper, Beth (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)

Subject: Prs/trs Re: Muni Rev Shares

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 11:10:12

To: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles"

<mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Subject: Muni Rev Shares

Who sponsored that bill, the \$60million budget item? And when is that bill signing due?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 7:54 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Ivy personal; Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo; Todd
Subject: Re: Expanded call

Sharon_ kwhl is calling this morning- I don't have time to call them until close to 9, they'll want to hear the message below - can you or someone find someone to call them while I finish up here and then I'll try to squeeze in their call before they're off the air.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 15:36:06

To: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Ivy personal" <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>, "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>, "K Perry Yahoo" <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, "Todd" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Subject: Fw: Expanded call

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 15:33:54

To: "Marty Rutherford" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Subject: Expanded call

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 7:56 AM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Kim; Anna C (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Subject: Re: CON commitment

Holy geez. What a leader he is. He's pulling this even though we're humbling ourselves and going forth with some of his capital projects that we have the power to kill. Amazing. God help us today.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 07:49:53

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Kim, Anna C (GOV)" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>, "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: CON commitment

Will do.

FYI that Bert reacted to Tuesday's press conference (yours) by putting a hold on all gov's bills. He even had one pulled off the schedule for the next day. Very original...and mature, of course. He's going to either change his tune or answer to such behavior. We can talk about the next step, as it relates to other issues, today.

RK

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 3:56 AM

To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Cc: Kim, Anna C (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV);
PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)
Subject: CON committment

Mike/Russ: remember to hold Meyer accountable for fulfilling his
committment to holding the hearing on CON today. You were there when he
told me he would do this today. We have compromised on things to assist
him with this budget and other things, to the detriment of my
fulfillment of some strong committments and convictions - leading to
some inconsistencies on my (and our admin's) part. He must fulfill his
committment now on this - it's the right thing to do for Alaska, and for
him to break his word now will unfortunately prove Meyer is not
trustworthy. That would lead me to not trusting him on the budget that
is in the works today. So, make sure he's following through on today's
CON hearing before giving green light to his budget wishes. Thanks

Also, Russ - pls make sure Bert feels pressure to hustle with my Tire
Tax and Business License bills, and that he acts on them. especially
before I'm asked to make amends with any Senator in his caucus re: their
annoyance over my statements concerning the special session call and
budget shenanigans.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 7:12 AM
To: Leschper; Beth (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Awards

Thank you

-----Original Message-----

From: "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 06:43:47

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Awards

they were - I'll get the list to you.

Beth

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Leschper, Beth (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Sent: Thu Apr 03 04:35:47 2008
Subject: Awards

Does anyone know if commendations for Press Awards were ever written and sent? Is there a list of recipients who were congratulated?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 3:15 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Leschper; Beth (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
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To: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Subject: Muni Rev Shares

Who sponsored that bill, the \$60million budget item? And when is that bill signing due?

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 3:06 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: 2nd annual Soap Box Derby in Kenai, Alaska

From: Greg Solomon [mailto:mailservice@clubrunner.ca]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 11:15 AM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: 2nd annual Soap Box Derby in Kenai, Alaska

To: Sarah Palin, Juneau

The Rotary Club of Kenai is sponsoring the 2nd annual Soap Box Derby here in Kenai. We have scheduled the "Tech & Tune" which is a practice day for May 11th which is the day after the District Conference. We planned this time so any Rotarians that wanted to see cars, racers, track, etc. would have a chance.
See the attached flyer for more information and photos!

Thanks, Dave Derry, Kenai Rotary Club President

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:20 AM

To: Shirley Aleckson

Subject: RE: Thanks and keep it going...

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

From: Shirley Aleckson [mailto:shirley@alaska.net]

Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 11:22 PM

To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)

Subject: Thanks and keep it going...

Dear Gov. Palin,

Our newspaper printed a list of some of the budget items requested by the legislature and the reasons for your veto. The item "not a function of government" appeared quite often. You were absolutely correct. I don't write very many letters but I can truly tell you that you have the earned confidence of a whole bunch of people here on the peninsula. Politicians don't usually impress anybody around here and these last years have been dreary. But you bring us a little hope that maybe there are some good people that gravitate to government. Stay strong and honest and if you need some help feel free to call (or just drop in for supper). Continue to watch over our interests and try to keep government as small and unobtrusive as it can be and you will never need to worry about your job. Thank you.

Darrell Aleckson

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From: Myrna Brown [mbrown@cchita.org]

Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:07 AM

To: Myrna Brown; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com; Ella Bennett; Thea Brown; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com; angel.culp@goldbelt.com; norman.flood@goldbelt.com; Kathy Miller; peter@kootznoowoo.com; amalia.monreal@searhc.org; Andrew Ebona; Alfred McKinley, Sr.; Donnelly; Bernice M (EED); bobloescher@gci.net; Brad Fleutsch; bethel@gci.net; Connie Munro; Chris McNeil; carolee.martin@searhc.org; dcadiante@gci.net; Brown; Darrell (HAL); Don Bremner; Corpuz; Elena (DOA); Ethel Lund; Gomez; Shelly (HSS); gasteau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us; Ishmael Hope; jfjl; Judy Mason; Kolvig; Keitha J (ACS); Maureen Brown; Michele Metz; Miller; Mary E (DOL); makookesh@hotmail.com; memartin@gci.net; marietta.hopkins@sealaska.com; Norman Sarabia; Percy Martin; pexendine@gci.net; Jackson; Patsy A; Ronald Williams; Ruaro; Randall P (GOV); Renee Culp; Sue Ann Lindoff; Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Vicki Soboleff; Diane Carrier

Subject: Beginning today...

Our Alaska Native Sisterhood Camp 2 sisters have been extremely busy organizing a Southeast Alaska Native Women's Conference that begins today; \$25 registration – there are limited scholarships! I am forwarding you a copy of the wonderful program for the next three days featuring speakers such as Florence Sheakley, Laird Jones, Ruth Demmert and panel: Alberta Aspen, Corrine Ragu and Micalyn Kunz McGhee, Iva Graywolf, Healing Ceremony, and a number of others. Iva will be speaking about suicide prevention. Hopefully our local Native organizations will allow interested staff to participate in this conference and support our local ANS Camp 2.

The theme for the conference speaks for itself, "Making a Difference: Knowledge of Our Mothers keeping our Culture alive". The conference pays tribute in many different and creative ways; something you don't want to miss out on! Please see the various forms that come with the packet.

If you know of any person who would be interested in attending this conference please share the news; we need community support. There is a welcome dinner planned this evening; we are going to cook: Grilled King Salmon, Roast Pork, rice, buttered corn, salad and a dinner roll. Dessert too! Come and visit; bring those special people in your life; grandmother, mom; tell your family! Let's make a difference together.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 6:34 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Ivy personal; Frank Bailey; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Todd
Subject: Re: Therriault

Russ: pls share that with Gene and Nancy, score pts with Nancy before the veto message tomorrow.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 02 Apr 2008 13:12:46

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, Ivy personal <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>, "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Therriault

On a morning radio show today, the hosts talked about who the most honest and ethical leaders are in state government. First it was hands down Gov Palin, followed by both Nancy Dahlstrom and Gene Therriault. This talk came on the heels of last night's muni election and how people desire change and ethical leadership.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 12:27 PM

To: Ivy personal; Frank Bailey; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV)

Subject: Therriault

He rocks. He and his crew are doing an awesome job trying to get infrastructure and public safety projects back in the budget. They are Alaskan heroes today.

Albeit ineffective, but heroic nonetheless.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 3:03 PM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: April: Gearing Up For The Elections

From: membership@uschamber.com [mailto:membership@uschamber.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 12:43 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: April: Gearing Up For The Elections

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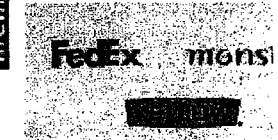
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have merit, but they are things you should always do--in good times or bad. Read more.

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With the second session of the 110th Congress in full swing and an economic stimulus bill recently passed, it seems that tax day has crept up on us once again. Whether you are waiting anxiously for your refund check or bemoaning the fact that you are writing a check, it's a good time to look at some tax facts and see who really pays what taxes. Read more.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:43 AM
To: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: More Alaska Corruption, Labor, AFSCME, Murkowski, etc

From: John Priestley [mailto:priestley.john@gmail.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 2:27 AM
To: anchoragefbi@ak.net; Palin, Sarah H (GOV); stephen_wright@alaska.gov
Subject: More Alaska Corruption, Labor, AFSCME, Murkowski, etc

Steven Wright is the ADF&G liaison for federal funding I know, and he is also the Southeast Alaska AFSCME shop steward for ADF&G. He has ignored my complaints about treaty violations . He has ignored my complaint about hostile work environment. He has ignored ethics violations. He has ignored my complaints of abuse of Federal funds. He has ignored my complaint about Collective Bargaining Agreement violations. He has ignored perjury by state employees in the ADF&G.

Maybe you are right, and perhaps Steven Wright really has no clue as to what is going on. He is then only one of many with questionable competence, but I think there are some ill motives involved. Maybe his interest in the shop steward position is to subvert the contract or law.

I hear the state is replacing the \$7 million federal cut themselves, but the ADF&G is also loosing out on some Pacific Salmon Commission funding. I call that a start.

Best thing is that some fingers get pointed at his inaction now that the ADF&G is loosing some large chunks of Federal Funding. I had suggested to the commissioner that I have set this as a goal that the Federal Government not support invidious discrimination and thuggery.

Some DOI EEO people were the first to suggest cutting funds, but they could not take action complaints other than to suggest to their supervisors cutting budgets. Gale Norton did send out a memo suggesting DOI funded programs comply with EEOC guidelines about the same time I was contacting them.

In one of my "disciplinary meetings" or "investigatory meetings" I read some things from a book *FIGHTING FAIR* (formerly titled *FIGHTING WITH GHANDI* -not sure of the author) which listed several principles. Kim M extracted "Don't avoid Conflict" as something she could use to paint me as some conflicting combative person who she had an excuse to not represent. She made all sorts of conjectural statements about how I had "Laid awake thinking about this." What BS. She did not take note of the "strive for a win-win situations," and now there are becoming some BIG losers.

So much for the win-win for Kim Metcafe. Maybe she should spend about the same amount of time in Prison for fraud as I have in the Federal Courts trying to get her and SOA investigated. I think there is some mail fraud there. I think there is a lot of fraud, including Jim Duncan ignoring his Conflict of Interest stipulation. And his pretending to be able to represent the contract. All the AFSCME folks need to spend some time in prison. I like seeing that Jim Clark has agreed to work with DOJ, and they suggest state prosecutions in his agreement. Wouldn't it be perfect if they went to a state prison system in AZ instead of a FCI golf camp?

Her (Kim M's) conjecture is about all she put on a grievance , no sign of the words hostile work environment, work not done as a result, unequal distribution of hours, Layoff issues, illegal hire, quid-pro-quo, ethics violation, treaty violation issues, Lacey Act federal felony, retaliation, etc, nothing at all. A balk.

Steven could have showed up as a rep but did not. I did not even know he was in the building as Management would desire. But he knows his role as is everyone in Labor Management and Union- Lie, Deny, Fraud and Defraud and subvert the law or contract.

I am pretty sure some of the feds (DOI auditors) I talked with have checked his work, as I pointed them towards him. He might as well be painted in with the same brush as Jim, Kim, Dick and Art.

Who knows about the former commissioners that are beholden to industry at all cost or expense

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of sane salmon management.

The SOP says to make sure to hear what people have to say before any discipline. There was a "casual link" on the first letter which acknowledged "reverse discrimination." EEOC was told there was no "casual link" but the link is actually quite clear in the letter. Someone lied to the EEOC officers (perjury) and it was by mail, so I think that adds another mail fraud. It might have been someone from the Alaska Human Rights Commission where Hayes' wife (convicted/ plead guilty of corruption) worked.

The tapes I have recorded sound more like extortion and threats than discipline, and I have begun to circulate them to the Federal agencies (DOJ, FBI). I have more to transfer to CD which I am not sure if I can do on this computer, but they pretty much sound like threats to drop complaints, rather than discipline. I am surprised KimM took no action upon hearing them. I guess if she was smart she would have destroyed them.

By the way, what do you know about D&O 157? My understanding is that it established a group of CEA employees that would conspire and retaliate and scheme and update schemes and all the while not violate worker rights. Art had a lot to do with it, Lynn Ate appeared, Dianne Corso had some to do with it, all people who I have been sent round and round to ad nauseum. Art seems sensitive about the mention of it, and a letter of proffer and cooperative witness among them would probably result in some conspiracy convictions.

Art says D&O 157 was a good thing (par Arthur) though it was shot down at the Superior court level, and not taken to the Supreme Court by the Knowles AG. I have no doubt they carried out their management plans discussed here regardless of respecting what any court said. I have seen it.

<http://www.labor.state.ak.us/laborr/do/157.htm>

Confidential Employees Association vs. State of Alaska, Decision & Order No. 157 (04/07/1993). Superior Court REVERSED Agency decision and order AND REMANDED for a new Agency hearing in case number 1JU-93-0656CI on September 1, 1994. On October 12, 1994, the Superior Court issued an ORDER OF CLARIFICATION IN 1JU-93-0656CI.

Funny how you cannot find this case or set of litigants in the court website.

Arthur seems a bit apprehensive about what he was doing with this case, and when it is brought up on the weblog it touches a nerve I can tell. Art seems sensitive about the mention of 157. A letter of proffer to the least culpable of them with an offer to be a cooperative witness among them would probably result in some conspiracy convictions.

Art has now said publicly that Jim Duncan's conflict of interest complaint and stipulation was a public document, and the fact I could not get it by asking was an obstructionist tactic. Now that he knows I have seen a copy of it he claims it is confidential and that I stole it. I believe Art is a true sociopath and whichever story fits at the time is what he uses, without any concept of truth or lies, just what ever works at the time.

And typical of corruption, Art had his quid-pro-quo political campaign donations for his Murkowski appointment (2x \$500 is the maximum, I believe). As well his revolving door job to represent the ACOA which violated the two year conflict of interest policy of the state Executive Branch Ethics Act.

<https://webapp.state.ak.us/apoc/individ.jsp?year=&equalto=&lessthan=&greaterthan=&contributor=chance&filer=&sort=NAME>

http://google.state.ak.us/search?q=cache:a03k6-dtwYcJ:www.law.state.ak.us/pdf/newsetters/2006-08-MR.pdf+ACOA+Art+Chance+Bill+Milks&access=p&output=xml_no_dtd&ie=UTF-8&client=StateWide&site=StateWide&proxystylesheet=StateWide&oe=UTF-8

http://google.state.ak.us/search?q=cache:kuck3EpKzXoJ:www.law.state.ak.us/pdf/newsetters/2007-03-MR.pdf+ACOA+Art+Chance+Bill+Milks&access=p&output=xml_no_dtd&ie=UTF-8&client=StateWide&site=StateWide&proxystylesheet=StateWide&oe=UTF-8

http://google.state.ak.us/search?q=cache:7nPeNO44OicJ:www.labor.state.ak.us/laborr/do/283.pdf+ACOA+Art+Chance+Bill+Milks&access=p&output=xml_no_dtd&ie=UTF-8&client=StateWide&site=StateWide&proxystylesheet=StateWide&oe=UTF-8

I talked with a Local Agent last month and the discussion inevitably he moved away from the Lacey Act and treaty violations which were DOI and NOAA OLE, and towards Labor Relations and Arthur Chance. I accurately described Art as the "Robert Sorich" of the Murkowski Administration and showed the Agent a record of the promotion of the person I recorded admitting retaliation (James 'Brit' Lobdell). Brit was promoted with a transfer, and the Sitka ADF&G should have been suspicious of this Admin. appointment. Someone there knows more about it for sure.

http://www.bettergov.org/pdfs/sorich_complaint.pdf

Brit was promoted during seasonal leave which was unheard of. He was promoted within a week of giving his name to Art in Downtown Juneau in Early 2005. I described the tape to Art and suggested this was direct evidence of retaliation, and would not be a good thing for his case. Art was in charge of reward and punishment and Merit meant nothing in his retaliatory schemes, even though Merit Principle is in the contract.

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These actions (Executive and Admin Orders) of the Murkowski Administration were not about seeing ethics or collective bargaining or EEOC missions were fulfilled, but of moving and reorganizing it to political control, and his cheats. They were about setting up an illegal patronage scheme where people like Scott Ogan or Robin Taylor would be political shoe-in's regardless of the extreme lack of qualifications. Maybe Jim Clark's cooperation will be of help with investigation of this direction of Murkowski's corruption in hiring practices.

<http://www.gov.state.ak.us/admin-orders/201.html>

<http://www.legis.state.ak.us/basis/folio.asp>

Maybe more on the Attorney General's corrupt bastards later. And that one standing master who thought she would get the judge appointment by conspiracy and fraud with her AG contacts. Eric Stone at the Fairbanks office should look for the phone links between 465-4137 and the Fairbanks courts. It appears the AG assistants ghostwrite findings for the former standing master up there.

John,

Was this in response to something Stephen wrote to you? I knew Stephen when he worked at DOE and I tried to get him involved in the union but seemed to be aloof. Funny how he did get involved after working a stint at the Office of the Governor, Tony Knowles. Stephen is a nerd, so I imagine he doesn't really understand what you are saying...

----- Original Message -----

From: John Priestley <priestley.john@gmail.com>

To: stephen_wright@alaska.gov

Cc: JimD@afscmelocal52.org; "Johnson Miller, Amanda X (OES)" <JohnsonMillerAX@state.gov>; Mark Bowen <vidaeumrio@yahoo.com>; "Cantillon, Dave" <david.cantillon@noaa.gov>; renata_riffe@alaska.gov; anchoragefbi@ak.net

Sent: Tuesday, April 1, 2008 11:38:26 PM

Subject: AFSCME Local 52 Racketeering and Federal Funding

Hi Stephen-

I hear the state is replacing \$7 million that the Federal Government has removed from the budget. Why the federal budget cuts anyway? Maybe having Jim Duncan and his cronies take over a employee union was something too late to reconsider now. But it will all work out in the end I AM SURE. Not to worry, I will file Jim Duncan's Conflict of interest stipulations under seal, as it appears to be an illegal contract. Or was it a public document as Art Chance said? This will be to be in front of a Federal Judge who may be concerned about Alaska's treaty violations. Have you talked to Jim about your role yet, and how you will defend yourself? I remember giving you some information that you would have been required to act on by state statute, but I guess you were familiar with the do-nothing plan.

I sent the tapes I recorded of Britt Lobdell admitting to conspiracy and retaliation to the DOJ just shortly before he was demoted and resigned. Is the state trying to make the witnesses like Britt disappear now? Where is Brit Lobdell anyway? He was appearing to take the role to be Bill Milks' star witness. Are you familiar with Bill Milks' work? And his use of federal money funded schemes? How about Hayward as his criminal client?

Have you investigated his (Hayward's) incursions into sleeping girls' cabins? There was some plant manager concerned about his daughter waking up in the middle of the night with him touching on her. How about the girl he attacked, have you talked with her yet? Maybe it is time if it is not too late. I know there is a no-investigation policy, but now other agencies have stepped in. Maybe you should at least pretend to not be a corrupt bastard. Maybe there are higher authorities doing what you should have done. But Do you ever wonder why or where the state of Alaska comes under such intense Federal Scrutiny? Do you think it will end soon?

I have finally found a copy of Jim Duncan's file on his conflict of interest complaint and stipulation, which he violated. It explains everything. I will make sure to mention your name to the Federal Judges, as you obviously are a willing and knowing participant as a do-nothing AFSCME shop steward. I am quite excited about testing the power of the courts as I can see that people do hear the complaints I file. And I have learned alot about fines, and of course, I asked for your support so long ago. Perhaps there is no longer a way to heed the things I asked to be considered, and no way to recall our previous communications.

How does it feel to be a member of a corrupt organization (AFSCME Local 52) now that the Federal DOJ is taking notice of your fraud, waste and abuse of federal coffer?

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I figure six years for you, about the same time I have spent in pursuit of my statutory and contractual grievance. I think there will be others that know you, that testify once it comes down to fraud charges. Not to worry, Jim Duncan, Kevin Brooks, Kim Metcalfe, Hal Geiger, Art Chance, Dianne Corso, Lyn Ate, Adrienne Snow, and perhaps fourty others from labor relations and personnel will be there to keep you company for those five ot ten years. I am arranging this plan for your future with the agents and prosecutors.

Hope you had a happy April Fool's day! Lord knows we all need to laugh about something. Sorry I'm laughing about your current predicament.

Sincerely,
John Priestley Jr.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 6:58 PM
To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Haagenson; Steven H (AIDEA)
Subject: Fw: Press tomorrow

-----Original Message-----

From: Rhonda (GOV) McBride
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Apr 3, 2008 5:54 PM
Subject: RE: Press tomorrow

I'll make sure I'm there.

Suggestion: Steve Haagenson has a fabulous power point presentation.
Some of the graphics might be good to have to distribute to the media.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 5:51 PM
To: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)
Cc: Haagenson, Steven H (AIDEA); McBride, Rhonda (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Press tomorrow

Does it sound good to go with press avail tomorrow after 1pm in Anchorage - Steve, Rhonda, whomever else re: energy needs and in-state use of gas, and other resources to address (especially in rural) the urgent needs. Also tying in AGIA mission? I'm good to go on it.

We'll let Sharon know as soon as you let me know. Thanks
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 5:38 PM
To: Kreitzer; Annette E (DOA)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Subject: Re: IBU CONTRACT

Great, thank you.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)" <annette.kreitzer@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 17:07:23

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: IBU CONTRACT

Two maritimes and PSEA left to go. This one was for 3, 3, 3.

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From: Sheehan, Katherine E (DOA)
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 4:59 PM
To: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)
Cc: Sutch, Nancy A (DOA)
Subject: IBU

Commissioner, Nancy got a contract with IBU. She had to run out to take her daughter to ballet but thought you would want to know. We'll get you the monetary terms ASAP. -Kate

Kate Sheehan

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 5:05 PM
To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Cc: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Subject: TC and Re: Press
Importance: High

What's up with TC refusing to go on camera - not even willing to answer questions of leggings if KTUU's camera was present - darn it, that's a top story now and was reported by Ramras. We need to respond by the 6pm news.

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From: "Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 16:48:50

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Press

Good idea. We'll get ahold of Rhonda.

Marty

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Haagenson, Steven H (AIDEA)

Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Irwin, Tom E (DNR)

Sent: Thu Apr 03 16:30:52 2008

Subject: Press

If we do press avail tomorrow in Anchorage, then Rhonda should join us to speak of impacts in rural and how committed we are to helping with energy needs.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 4:31 PM
To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Haagenson; Steven H (AIDEA)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR)
Subject: Press

If we do press avail tomorrow in Anchorage, then Rhonda should join us to speak of impacts in rural and how committed we are to helping with energy needs.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 4:29 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Bert. : Expanded call

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From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 08:48:40

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Bert. : Expanded call

Governor -

If Bill McAllister and Steve Quinn decide to do a story on Stedman holding bills - you wouldn't mind commenting - correct?

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:15 AM

To: Ivy personal; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo; Todd

Subject: Bert. : Expanded call

Sharon and ivy: it must not have occurred to Russ how important is was for me to be told that Bert has now put a stop to all the Governor's bills, thus screwing Alaskans, as a result of our presser yesterday. This is what I meant in the pc yest when I said: if Alaskans knew what was going on in this building, they'd be outraged. So- since Alaskans won't hear the message of what's going on here any other way, you two need to let the press know. To tell reporters what's going on - Russ and Mike may not want to "annoy" lawmakers any further by sharing what's really going on with Alaskans, but I totally disagree with that tactic. Yes, it may make their jobs easier (to not annoy lawmakers), but we are serving Alaskans, we're not serving Bert, Lyda, Harris... and through the press Alaskans need to know what's up.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 08:56:35

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Sharon Leighow <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>, K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Subject: Re: Fw: Expanded call

We're with you 100%--anything we can do to help in this efforts to convey YOUR consistent msg, we're with ya.

Todd made a good pt this morning that Charlie et al have flip flopped on this issue. In fact, I'm trying to track down some newsletters I wrote for Lyda saying she only supported Murks plan--an in-state line was too expensive and couldn't be built. Her lap dog said the same thing.

I'm glad she has finally seen the light on what you've been saying all these years, but these folks should be called on the carpet for their inconsistencies. I truly believe they aren't 100% on board with an all Alaska route--they are simply trying to throw a wrench in AGIA.

gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote: This is confidential because it can't be leaked and construed as "there's discontent among AGIA team"... But so you know and can help- it's my take on what went wrong the past few weeks esp with AGIA messaging from gasline team:

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 15:33:54

To: "Marty Rutherford"

Cc: "Tom Irwin"

Subject: Expanded call

When you get a chance I'll need to hear more about gasline update. Mixed messages are all over the building as I promise that in-state use of our gas is top priority, and promise to not have abandoned my first committment from my campaign days until now: that of course an Alaskan project is considered. The message received by too many, though, is that we're saying AGIA doesn't have anything to do with a smaller AK project.

I had feared it would take the legislature "taking over" this issue and telling us what we must do and must concentrate on - that's exactly what happened yesterday because I don't believe we've communicated well at all that we've been working on this all along. Obviously a loud and ugly bell was rung yesterday, one that can't be unring until others on the gasline team share the same message I've been trying to: it's Alaska's gas, top priority is getting it connected to Alaskans so we benefit with its usage and the jobs associated. We understand the need for new energy

for AK - that's why I'm here.

Someone in our press conf yesterday said we wouldn't expand the call (I said it didn't look necessary bc the call was already general), but I did not say we would diss the legislature and NOT expand it/address in-state. (That's already being erroneously reported.)

Very difficult now that lawmakers have demanded that we answer what they finally understand 80 percent of Alaskans want - and I've been first in line demanding the same thing (from the ads with Hammond and Hickle, throughout my first year in office, and it continues today)... but with them hijacking this since they keep hearing AGIA is exclusively about a Canadian project, we're in a tough spot.

I still have the bumper sticker: Canada my ass, it's Alaska's gas... and I'm still not convinced I was wrong then and the 80 percent of Alaskans are wrong who want that result too. Granted it took our critics and the legislature a year to embrace that same bumper sticker slogan, but they're there now, finally.

So the message can NOT be "AGIA doesn't have anything to do with this" (as I keep hearing!), the message and sincere and true goal has to be: "this is what AGIA's all about and it's what Tom, Marty, et al have been working for since day one". I know you know this and we're on the same page, but the message is not consistent with others and has been received erroneously by Alaskans and lawmakers. We must address this or we've lost any handle on AGIA that we had.

You rock. That's why Blockbuster's offering you one month of Blockbuster Total Access
<http://us.rd.yahoo.com/evt=47523/*http://tc.deals.yahoo.com/tc/blockbuster/text5.com> ,
No Cost.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 4:29 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (DOA); Todd; Frank Bailey; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: A meeting for the bill hb 337 has been scheduled

Anna and others can get the word out that it's time to testify. Pls let her know

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 16:20:31

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, fek9wnr@yahoo.com, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: A meeting for the bill hb 337 has been scheduled

It's official. CON repeal has been scheduled.

From: BTMF@legis.state.ak.us [mailto:BTMF@legis.state.ak.us]

Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 4:09 PM

To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)

Subject: A meeting for the bill hb 337 has been scheduled

The bill hb 337: Health Care: Plan/commission/facilities has been scheduled for a meeting

House Finance ~ Apr 5 2008 12:00pm

To see the bill go to hb 337

if your browser does not support html links cut and paste the following URL Address

http://www.legis.state.ak.us/basis/get_bill.asp?session=25&bill=hb+337

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 4:15 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Todd
Subject: Rhonda

Do u know if she'll be in Anchorage tomorrow? Just curious, don't need to set up anything with her but wondered if she's around in case Steve does his press avail re: energy needs in AK.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 3:53 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Anders; Bruce F (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Haagenson; Steven H (AIDEA)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Press with Steve

With Steve Haagenson - tomorrow while I'm in the Anchorage office in the afternoon- plan is to speak with any interested media re: in-state use of our energy sources. Marty will be contacting Bruce on this, I wanted to let Sharon know also just fyi, as Marty will also be touching base with her on it.

We need a better, clearer, more confident response to where we're going on answering the public and legislature's call for committment to addressing energy needs and in-state natural gas use.

We can accomplish this tomorrow by allowing Steve (and I'll be with him) to speak to the issue. We need to assure Alaskans that AGIA facilitates, enables, encourages, etc in-state use of gas... and Steve can elaborate on that plus other potential energy sources.

I'm spending the day in Anchorage tomorrow before returning to Juneau tomorrow night.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 2:44 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Yocom; Lauren J (GOV)
Subject: FW: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 3:24 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. Ron Siebels
address: 1945 N. Salem Dr. Anchorage AK 99508

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin;

Today the full House voted unanimously in support of the Purple Heart Trail bill (SB216-HB283). Earlier the Senate also voted unanimously in support of the bill. I thank you for your support on this legislation and to my knowledge not a single person ever voted against it, not even during the various committee hearings. My two key supporters were Representative Berta Gardner and Senator Johnny Ellis, they both willingly stepped forward to get this issue through the legislative process, and now we have it, I am so very pleased with the results. We of course had many co-sponsors as well.

My question now revolves around the date that you will be able to sign the bill. Much will also depend on Berta Gardner and Johnny Ellis, I would certainly like for them to be present when you sign the bill. I am flexible and I will do whatever is needed to support your schedules. It is not mandatory that I be present, I would like to be but all will depend on your schedule and that of Rep, Gardner and Sen, Ellis. They have represented me extremely well and they can do so at any signing. They keep giving me the credit for my work but I am absolutely convinced that this P/H Trail legislation would not have been accomplished without their dedicated involvement.

As you know we have invited you and your husband to our annual Department Convention banquet that will take place on the evening of May 3rd here in Anchorage. That would work for us but I anticipate a lot of interest from various veterans groups who may want to attend, but the location is probably not large enough to support the anticipated attendees. Maybe we could do it a different time that day (9am or so?) at the Anchorage

Veterans memorial, that would hold any size crowd that may attend. 4 or 5 pm might also work that day because I think our convention will be over by around that time and everyone could simply head down to the Park Strip.

A second option may be on April 26th in Wasilla at "THE GATHERING" that will take place at 1 PM at the Wasilla Airport. One of the key event organizers (Ric Davidge) as well as myself hope to see you at that major veterans event if you can work it into your busy schedule.

We have no special favorites as to time or location and I am open to your schedule, I am even willing to jump on a flight to Juneau if I need to do so. I am just trying to find a date that will work for you and for us. We are simply anxious to see you sign this important and worthy deceased and wounded veterans legislation.

I anxiously await your reply and Thank You so very kindly;

I am, Yours in Patriotism;

Ron Siebels

MOPH, Alaska

ronakph@gci.net

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 1:35 PM
To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Cc: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Ramras

Marty- that was an excellent response letter to Ramras. You'd think it would go a long way in explaining our committment to in-state use. And the assurance that not only does AGIA not compete with in-state line(s), but it encourages and facilitates it via the 500 mcf no-compete provision.

If Ramras chooses to NOT receive that message, then he's just pulling a Ramras on us.

Thanks for the good letter to him.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 1:21 PM
To: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Leadership

House and Senate meeting right now together in Speaker's Chamber - gotta make sure they're not changing anything out from under us in their deal-making today.

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From: Steve Lantz [srlantz@psea.net]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 12:35 PM
To: Lieutenant Governor Sean Parnell (GOV sponsored); Troopers
Cc: Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Kreitzer; Annette E (DOA)
Subject: Re: Constituent: Steve Lantz

Lt. Gov Parnell,

Your office and that of the Governor are the very ones that MUST weigh-in and ensure that the safety of the Alaska Citizens are provided for. Sir, your office and that of Gov. Palin must direct the Dept. Of Administration to meet the needs of the Dept. of Public Safety. Contact Comm. Kreitzer immediately and direct her to meet the needs of the Dept. of Public Safety and make them competitive in the work place so that the citizens of Alaska may obtain the BEST law enforcement officers available.

As for "a positive outcome to negotiations", your administration has already shown that will not occur. The DOA has stood fast on their substandard and insulting offers to our association. YOUR administration has attempted to take away rights and benefits YOUR State Troopers DESERVE forcing these negotiations to the drawn out arbitration phase. YOUR State Troopers and the safety of Alaska's Citizens will continue to suffer even longer because YOUR administration has failed to obtain a "positive outcome to negotiations."

Lt. Gov. I'm saddened by your response and the lack of action by your office and that of Gov. Palin. You are a true politician. All talk and zero action. I think Don Young is one of the most arrogant individuals I've ever met. And I met him, in D.C., in his office. But he says what he means and does what he says. A few weeks ago I welcomed the opportunity to vote him out. But I'd rather have an individual say what he thinks rather than post on his web site how important safety is to the citizens of Alaska but not follow through with it. As I write this letter Lt. Gov the very co-worker, who sits next to me, is leaving State Service due to poor wages, benefits, and public perception of the Alaska

State Troopers. Just another body we have to try and replace and spend countless dollars to train.

I think Don Young would find your position and the crisis DPS faces very interesting as the race for HIS seat heats up. I wish I could stand on your "corner" carrying your "sign."

Best Wishes,

Steve Lantz

Father, Husband, Peacekeeper

Lieutenant Governor Sean Parnell (GOV sponsored) wrote:

> Dear Mr. Lantz,

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> Thank you for your recent emails to our office regarding State
> contract

> negotiations and related issues. I am very concerned with these
> issues

> and appreciate your input into the matter. However, due to the
> ongoing

> negotiations with the PSEA, I am not able to weigh-in at this time.

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> I appreciate all your hard work and dedication to your job in
> providing

> safety to our citizens. Ultimately, my hope is that will be
> demonstrated

> in many ways, including a positive outcome to negotiations.

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> Sean Parnell

> Lieutenant Governor of Alaska

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Steve Lantz [mailto:srlantz@psea.net]

> Sent: Friday, March 14, 2008 12:42 PM

> To: Parnell, Sean R (GOV)
> Cc: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA); Palin, Sarah H (GOV); Troopers
> Subject: [Fwd: Note to Lt. Governor]
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> Honorable Lt. Gov. Parnell,
> I read with great interest the Anchorage Daily News which reports you
> will challenge Don Young. Congratulations.
> Lt. Gov. I still await a response to my email dated nearly three weeks
> ago. I await response on your commitment to the safety of Alaska
> Citizens.
> Your response is of even more importance to me now that I will be
> faced
> with voting or not voting for you yet again as a representative of
> Alaska at the national level.
> I question what the Palin Parnell leadership has done for the
> individual
>
> citizen of Alaska and what you can offer us at the national level.
> Cost
>
> of living continues to sky rocket while Comm. Kreitzer is quoted in
> the
> paper saying that a "4-3-3 is a significant increase" for the
> supervisors union. Frankly it is a joke and insult. I'm ashamed they
> ratified the contract.
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> Lt. Gov. your commissioner continually fails to negotiate in good
> faith
> with the Public Safety Employees Association. Your Dept. of Public
> Safety needed wage and benefit increases comparable to the 27% the
> VPSO
> program is getting yet has returned to the table time and time again
> with a reduction in their original request. The Public Safety
> Employees
>
> Association was originally asking for double digit increases in pay
> and
> benefits. The Association has now returned to the table with an offer

> of 6.5% this year yet your administration under the guidance of Comm.
> Kreitzer stand fast at 5%, unwilling to budge on 1.5%, after we have
> budgeted to the tune of double digits.

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> Please tell me your safety, that of your families, and that of every
> Alaskan are worth 1.5%. Incidentally Gov., Lt. Gov, and Commissioner
> Kreitzer 6.5% as requested by PSEA does nothing to make up for the
> years

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> of falling behind state employees endured. It fails to bring us even
> close to that of our competition for recruitment and retention yet we
> have negotiated, compromised, and sacrificed only to find ourselves
> faced with arbitration.

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> Time is running out for Alaska Citizens. Their safety is at stake and
> this administration continues to do nothing.

> I look forward to a response from each of you on this matter,

> Sincerely,

> Steve Lantz

> Alaska Citizen

> Registered Republican Voter

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Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 12:07 PM
To: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)
Subject: Re: Commissioners Assistance Needed

That is a good idea... perhaps we can do that
Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)" <annette.kreitzer@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 12:03:08
To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: RE: Commissioners Assistance Needed

Governor:

Please don't shoot the messenger... Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Privileged I know it's difficult, but just wanted to at least bring up the idea (and at present, I'm out of reach of a smack to the head). I'll wait to hear from Mike about what he'd like me to do.
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Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 9:55 AM
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From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=IJFRYE]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 11:46 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Bailey; Frank T (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Mark Calvecchio is HAMMERING STEDMAN

Woo hoo! Nice job, Leighow.

----- Original Message -----

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Bailey, Frank T (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Frye, Ivy J (DOA); Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thu Apr 03 11:41:41 2008
Subject: Mark Calvecchio is HAMMERING STEDMAN

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage

(907) 465-4031 Juneau

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 11:32 AM
To: Wilken; Jessica M (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Oil&Gas

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 12:10 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Oil&Gas

Web mail from: Jonne Slemons
address: PO Box 671806 Chugiak AK 99567
907-688-6260

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I want to thank you for the time and effort you took to personalize and provide a photograph, upon my departure from State service.

It has been my honor and pleasure to lead the Petroleum Systems Integrity Office (PSIO) in its formative year. I know we agree that the PSIO is critically important to the continuing, responsible development of our oil and gas resources.

If I can ever be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Jonne Slemons

slemons@mtaonline.net

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 10:44 AM
To: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Re: Commissioners Assistance Needed

Thank you

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 10:39:51

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Commissioners Assistance Needed

Governor -

On the crime legislation we introduced, we have started working with Sen. McGuire to try and roll provisions into a bill she has in House Finance.

DOT is also working with Rep. Meyers office to explain the need for lots of capital items.

We'll stay at it.

Randy

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 11:10 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Commissioners Assistance Needed

Pls forward to steve hagenson I must not have correct spelling or email - it bounces back
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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 17:54:54

To: "Click Bishop" <clark.bishop@alaska.gov>, "Craig Campbell" <craig.campbell2@us.army.mil>, "Talis Colberg" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>, "Pat Galvin" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>, "Larry Hartig" <larry.hartig@alaska.gov>, "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Karleen Jackson" <karleen.jackson@alaska.gov>, "Annette Kreitzer" <annette.kreitzer@alaska.gov>, "Denby Lloyd" <denby.lloyd@alaska.gov>, "Walt Monegan" <walt.monegan@alaska.gov>, "Emil Notti" <emil.notti@alaska.gov>, "Joe Schmidt" <joseph.schmidt@alaska.gov>, "Barbara Thompson" <barbara.thompson@alaska.gov>, "Leo Von Scheben" <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "M Nizich" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Mark Kelsey" <mark.kelsey@alaska.gov>, "Rhonda (GOV) McBride" <rhonda.mcbride@alaska.gov>, "Joe Balash" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Janice Mason" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, "Sunny Cayce" <sunny.cayce@alaska.gov>, "Cora Crome" <cora.crome@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Anna Kim" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>, "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>, "Mindy Rowland" <mindy.rowland@alaska.gov>, "Randy Ruaro" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>, "Lynne Smith" <lynne.smith@alaska.gov>, "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>

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Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Ivy personal; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: Gov's bills

Mike- pls forward the list of Gov's bills that Stedman has put a stop to to all Commissioners - they are all affected by his action (and the budget action) - you need to call on them to chime in now, loudly, at this time. We can't carry this all ourselves - many Commissioners may not understand these going's on and may assume we have not pushed hard enough on these bills and on the budget items that they need to run their depts. Ivy has the list of bills, you have the list of budget cuts. Please email Commissioners and seek their assistance.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:53 AM
To: Ivy personal; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo; Todd
Subject: Re: Bert. : Expanded call

Murky increased it, what, 200-plus percent? The state doesn't need that money from small business. I asked Bert about it the other day- he smiles and says he's "taking good care of it" in his committee. Tire tax also - wherever that one is.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 09:49:46

To: "Leighow, Sharon W \ (GOV\)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>, K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Bert. : Expanded call

Steve is on it. He's on his way to talk to Stedman. I gave him a list of gov bills sitting in (S) FIN. He said he's going to start the conversation with 'why has the business licence fee reduction bill been in finance since May, 2007? You should like that bill, you're a small business owner."

"Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov> wrote: I agree - we can get the word out.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:15 AM

To: Ivy personal; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo; Todd

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disagree with that tactic. Yes, it may make their jobs easier (to not annoy lawmakers), but we are serving Alaskans, we're not serving Bert, Lyda, Harris... and through the press Alaskans need to know what's up.

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From: Ivy Frye

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 08:56:35

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Sharon Leighow , Frank Bailey , K Perry Yahoo , Todd

Subject: Re: Fw: Expanded call

We're with you 100%--anything we can do to help in this efforts to convey YOUR consistent msg, we're with ya.

Todd made a good pt this morning that Charlie et al have flip flopped on this issue. In fact, I'm trying to track down some newsletters I wrote for Lyda saying she only supported Murks plan--an in-state line was too expensive and couldn't be built. Her lap dog said the same thing.

I'm glad she has finally seen the light on what you've been saying all these years, but these folks should be called on the carpet for their inconsistencies. I truly believe they aren't 100% on board with an all Alaska route--they are simply trying to throw a wrench in AGIA.

gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote: This is confidential because it can't be leaked and construed as "there's discontent among AGIA team"... But so you know and can help- it's my take on what went wrong the past few weeks esp with AGIA messaging from gasline team:

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 15:33:54

To: "Marty Rutherford"

Cc: "Tom Irwin"

Subject: Expanded call

When you get a chance I'll need to hear more about gasline update. Mixed messages are all over the building as I promise that in-state use of our gas is top priority, and promise

to not have abandoned my first commitment from my campaign days until now: that of course an Alaskan project is considered. The message received by too many, though, is that we're saying AGIA doesn't have anything to do with a smaller AK project.

I had feared it would take the legislature "taking over" this issue and telling us what we must do and must concentrate on - that's exactly what happened yesterday because I don't believe we've communicated well at all that we've been working on this all along. Obviously a loud and ugly bell was rung yesterday, one that can't be unringed until others on the gasline team share the same message I've been trying to: it's Alaska's gas, top priority is getting it connected to Alaskans so we benefit with its usage and the jobs associated. We understand the need for new energy

for AK - that's why I'm here.

Someone in our press conf yesterday said we wouldn't expand the call (I said it didn't look necessary bc the call was already general), but I did not say we would diss the legislature and NOT expand it/address in-state. (That's already being erroneously reported.)

Very difficult now that lawmakers have demanded that we answer what they finally understand 80 percent of Alaskans want - and I've been first in line demanding the same thing (from the ads with Hammond and Hickle, throughout my first year in office, and it continues today)... but with them hijacking this since they keep hearing AGIA is exclusively about a Canadian project, we're in a tough spot.

I still have the bumper sticker: Canada my ass, it's Alaska's gas... and I'm still not convinced I was wrong then and the 80 percent of Alaskans are wrong who want that result too. Granted it took our critics and the legislature a year to embrace that same bumper sticker slogan, but they're there now, finally.

So the message can NOT be "AGIA doesn't have anything to do with this" (as I keep hearing!), the message and sincere and true goal has to be: "this is what AGIA's all about and it's what Tom, Marty, et al have been working for since day one". I know you know this and we're on the same page, but the message is not consistent with others and has been received erroneously by Alaskans and lawmakers. We must address this or we've lost any handle on AGIA that we had.

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<http://us.rd.yahoo.com/evt=47523/*http://tc.deals.yahoo.com/tc/blockbuster/text5.com> ,
No Cost.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:43 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Bert. : Expanded call

Thanks so much

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From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 08:38:05

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, Ivy personal <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>, K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

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To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Sharon Leighow <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>, K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:49 AM
To: Ivy personal; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); K Perry Yahoo; Frank Bailey; Todd
Subject: Re: Fwd: Stedman

ivy- great job thank you very much.

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From: Ivy Frye <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 3 Apr 2008 09:45:48

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, sharon.leighow@alaska.gov, Kris Perry <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>, Todd Palin <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

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I agree 100% governor!

Note: forwarded message attached.

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Subject: Re: CON commitment

Alaskans must be told of this tactic of Senate leadership. This is what I meant yesterday when I said Alaskans would be outraged if they need what was going on in this building. Again, we're not going to take our outrage over Bert, Lyda, Harris, et al's actions out on the people they represent by killing all their district's projects (tho we could), but he's going to screw the people of Alaska bc he's annoyed with me? Alaskans need to know this.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 07:49:53

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Kim, Anna C (GOV)" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>, "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: CON commitment

Will do.

FYI that Bert reacted to Tuesday's press conference (yours) by putting a hold on all gov's bills. He even had one pulled off the schedule for the next day. Very original...and mature, of course. He's going to either change his tune or answer to such behavior. We can talk about the next step, as it relates to other issues, today.

RK

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Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 3:56 AM

To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Cc: Kim, Anna C (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV);

PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)

Subject: CON committment

Mike/Russ: remember to hold Meyer accountable for fulfilling his committment to holding the hearing on CON today. You were there when he told me he would do this today. We have compromised on things to assist him with this budget and other things, to the detriment of my fulfillment of some strong committments and convictions - leading to some inconsistencies on my (and our admin's) part. He must fulfill his committment now on this - it's the right thing to do for Alaska, and for him to break his word now will unfortunately prove Meyer is not trustworthy. That would lead me to not trusting him on the budget that is in the works today. So, make sure he's following through on today's CON hearing before giving green light to his budget wishes. Thanks

Also, Russ - pls make sure Bert feels pressure to hustle with my Tire Tax and Business License bills, and that he acts on them. especially before I'm asked to make amends with any Senator in his caucus re: their annoyance over my statements concerning the special session call and budget shenanigans.

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To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Friday, 4/4, 5.30-9.00 pm -- VIC FISCHER ART
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**WHAT – art reception featuring - believe it or not -
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SEE – ad page 9 of THE PRESS for a hint of one of VF paintings

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Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:15 AM
To: Ivy personal; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo; Todd
Subject: Bert. : Expanded call

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:22 AM
To: Fabrello; Michelle A (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, April 02, 2008 11:58 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Steve Barge
address: 924 E 37th Spokane WA 99203
509-230-3355

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

Good Vandal greetings from Spokane, Washington.

No doubt you get a tremendous volume of emails, so I'll keep this as short as possible.

I know Idaho alumni everywhere are so very proud of you. Although we've never met, I am in that company.

I graduated from Idaho in 1973 with a Journalism degree. However, as some of my longtime newspaper friends put it, I went to the darkside and jumped into advertising....and that was nearly 35 years ago.

On April 26th, the Spokane County Vandal Boosters will sponsor the third annual VandalFest for Eastern Washington. It's a dinner and auction, with proceeds this year benefiting both the Idaho Alumni Association and Vandal Scholarship Fund.

Each of the last two years, we've been able to come up with some very special auction

items. They haven't necessarily been large items of great value, but rather things that are significant for other reasons.

It struck me today, that an item donated by you, with Alaska significance, would be very popular at our auction.

I'm certain you get regular requests such as this, however I hope you can find time to consider this one.

I thank you in advance.

Regards,

Steve Barge - University of Idaho Class of 1973

924 E. 37th

Spokane, Washington 99203

509-230-3355

509-456-7218

barge21@msn.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:18 PM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Education

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 1:57 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Education

Web mail from: Mr. Les Kramer
address: 985 KSD Way Chevak AK 99563
1-907-858-6195

MESSAGE:

Warm Greetings Gov. Palin :-)

I pray all is well with you and your family and congratulations on your new arrival. My wife and family are happy for you.

I'm typing this note with an olive branch in my hand because I suspect you are hearing from some awfully vocal whiners having to do with funding proposals. My heart goes out to you. I know. I've been there many times.

I am the superintendent of Kashunamiut School District in Chevak Alaska. Unlike many rural bush villages, we are a growing community with more children than we can squeeze into our present school building. We are hoping to add an additional wing to accommodate the overflow. The wing will need to be added sooner or later. As you well know sooner is less expensive than later.

On behalf of the Chevak community, you have a standing invitation to visit us anytime. We would love to have you.

Best wishes on the difficult decisions you need to make.

Sincerely

Les Kramer, Supt.

Kashunamiut School District

lkramer@vak.gcisa.net

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From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=IJFRYE]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:53 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Todd; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey
Subject: FW: follow up

You're definitely going to hear about this so I just want to apologize now. Truly though, I only apologize because you have to hear the complaints from your own team about me stepping on their toes.

I have to have a meeting with Russ and Annette today per his request.

-----Original Message-----

From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:39 PM
To: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)
Subject: RE: HB 106 Studded Tire Repeal

Russ:

Additionally, if this conversation is regarding me blind copying the governor on an email that's fine-I truly am willing to talk about it any time. I would have been happy to simply copy her had the email only been going to you and Mindy. Since it was going to Jerry also I blind copied her so I wouldn't be giving out her personal email address.

Also, I know the studded tire tax, business license fee, and CON repeal bills are priorities of hers. She has made this abundantly clear to all of us, Russ. I didn't mean to step on your toes by expediting the process of getting a governor's priority bill scheduled. I do apologize for that.

We're all on the same team here--advocating for the same person. Like I've told Annette, I will continue to help Governor Palin any way I can, in any capacity I can. Two of three bills are now scheduled.

Ivy

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Cc: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)
Subject: Re: HB 106 Studded Tire Repeal

Ivy,
You and I need to talk, soon.
Russ

----- Original Message -----

From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)
To: Burnett, Jerry D (DOR)
Cc: Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Rowland, Mindy B (GOV)
Sent: Fri Apr 04 12:54:51 2008
Subject: HB 106 Studded Tire Repeal

Jerry,

Can you submit a formal hearing request to Suzanne in Rep Meyer's office to hear HB 106? I recognize that the bill has already been scheduled; however, House Finance has requested a hearing request and back-up information. I had language drafted from February when we weren't sure if Admin was going to submit a fiscal note or not. Obviously, Revenue is carrying the ball on this one now; however, I have pasted language into this email that you can copy into a hearing request to get to Rep Meyer today.

Ivy

April 4, 2008

The Honorable Kevin Meyer

Co- Chairman, House Finance Committee

State Capitol, Room 515

Juneau, AK 99801

Dear Representative Meyer:

I am writing to request you schedule House Bill 106, An Act repealing fees imposed on the sale of new tires, the sale of certain studded tires, and the installation of certain metal studs on tires; and providing for an effective date at your earliest convenience. House Bill 106 would repeal fees imposed on the sale of new tires, the sale of certain studded tires, and the installation of certain metal studs on tires.

Current law imposes a fee of \$2.50 a tire on the retail sale of new tires for motor vehicles designed for use on a highway. Current law also imposes an additional fee of \$5.00 a tire on the retail sale of new tires that are studded with metal studs weighing more than 1.1 grams each on the installation of such metal studs on tires. Families in Alaska should not be financially penalized by purchasing safer tires for their vehicles.

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 4:35 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Schedule

Governor –

Mike forwarded me the meeting request from Talis and I have this set up for Monday, 04.07.08 at 9:30 a.m. on your schedule.

The AK Women in Documentary folks (2) are still planning to arrive in Juneau on Tuesday, 04.08.08 and Wednesday, 04.09.08 for an interview, shadowing at the office, and shadowing with the family. I realize that this will be a hectic week as it's the last week of session and hopefully they will understand if they have to just be on call some of the time.

Thanks, Janice

8/24/2009

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:04 AM
To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Anders; Bruce F (DNR); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: RE: Time of Press Conference?

May I suggest 1 or 1:30? I imagine the availability will last at least 45 minutes. Having it earlier is better for the tv stations. Thoughts?

Sharon Leighow
Deputy Press Secretary
Deputy Communications Director

465-4031 Juneau
269-7450 Anchorage
240-7943 cell

-----Original Message-----

From: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 8:45 AM
To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Time of Press Conference?

Sharon,
What time is the Governor's Press Conf/Press Availability with Steve Haagenson?
Marty

Unknown

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 1:26 PM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: kaltag appeal

Dear Governor Palin,

If possible I would like to meet with you for 15 – 20 minutes on Monday to review the Kaltag case. It is a Native "inherent authority" appeal that will be noticed in Native circles. I need to approve or deny an appeal and I want you to understand our plan and have an opportunity to approve or stop it as you will be likely asked about it.

Just let me know if I can come over anytime Monday. Talis

8/26/2009

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Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 5:19 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Todd
Subject: FW: Yakutat Thank You

FYI – Thank you from Mayor Stone. Janice

From: David Stone [mailto:situkrock1@hotmail.com]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 5:17 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Yakutat

Governor Palin,

I want to thank you for the funding you approved for Yakutat. Also, allowing some of our funding to be put 2009 budget, is appreciated.

Thank you again,

Dave Stone, Mayor

Going green? [See the top 12 foods to eat organic.](#)

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From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 1:00 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: FW: We are #1!!!!

Dear Governor Palin, Look at this. Best department in the best state!!! Talis

From: Steinberg, Stacy K (LAW)
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 12:29 PM
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Subject: We are #1!!!!

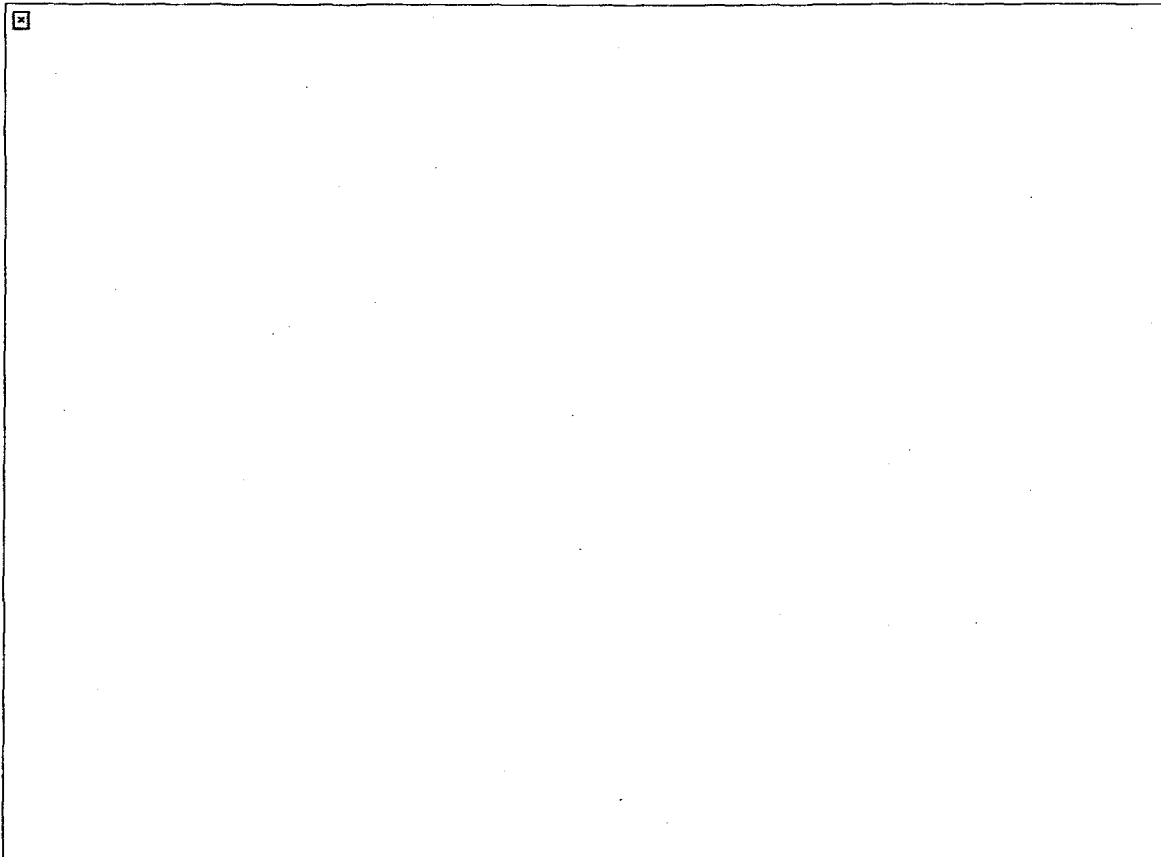
Talis:

I was just checking our stats this morning to make sure we were still ahead of Minnesota. The Presidential Challenge website revised the state ranking to reflect participation levels instead of the raw numbers. Alaska is number 1 in participation!!!!!! Can you believe it? The governor should be proud of us.

Also, after my e-mail yesterday, more employees signed up. We now have a 31% participation rate in the Department of Law (174 people). That is fantastic.

I will send an e-mail to the entire office, but I couldn't wait to tell you the good news!

Stacy



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To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; 'Frank Bailey'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Subject: FW: Thanks

I returned Suzanne's (Rep Meyer's cos) phone call yesterday re: the op-ed. Below is her response.

His office is saying they haven't heard from the 3rd floor re: a hearing request for this bill. I work on hearing requests all the time. I'm more than happy to draft the language and send to Russ to expedite the process—it will take 10 minutes tops, I know the bill backwards and forwards. I could even send it to Kris to send to Russ as to not step on toes.

From: Suzanne Cunningham [mailto:Suzanne_Cunningham@legis.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:12 AM
To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)
Subject: Thanks

Ivy,
Thanks for the phone call yesterday. We appreciate it. The funny thing is, I went back and looked at hearing requests that I have received, and we haven't even received a hearing request from the administration for HB 106.

Suzanne

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To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); 'Frank Bailey'; fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Subject: FW: Thanks

Studded tire tax is scheduled for Sunday!

I'll get Russ a hearing request—hopefully he has the back-up that Suzanne is requesting.

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We do need the back up information for it. He threw it on Sunday's calendar and that is when we realized that we didn't even have a hearing request for it. Anything you all can get us would be good!

Thanks!
Suzanne

From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA) [mailto:ivy.frye@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:51 AM
To: Suzanne Cunningham
Subject: RE: Thanks

Suzanne,

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Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Kim; Anna C (GOV); Hill; Sherry (HSS)
Subject: Re: CON

Sounds like they did find it finally in Meyer's office. Thanks!

-----Original Message-----

From: Karleen Jackson
To: Governor Sarah Palin
To: Russ Kelly
Cc: Mike Tibbles
Cc: Anna Kim
Cc: Hill, Sherry (HSS)
Sent: Apr 4, 2008 10:14 AM
Subject: RE: CON

Sherry can give you the copy of the request that she hand-carried over the day after the bill passed out of House HES.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 10:09 AM
To: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Kim, Anna C (GOV); Jackson, Karleen K (HSS)
Subject: CON

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 4:22 PM
To: 'tveal@xyz.net'
Subject: RE: Budget

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 5:26 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Ted Veal
address: 539 Elderberry Homer AK 99603

MESSAGE:

I appreciate your efforts to contain this spending spree the legislators are on. The state is repeating the past history of unrestrained spending and government expansion, only to worry about how to support it at a later date. The state retirement program is a good example. Thank You, Thank You for working at keeping the state spending under control.

tveal@xyz.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 3:58 PM
To: 'nuliaq@alaska.net'
Subject: RE: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 5:02 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Phyllis Tate
address: P. O. Box 71027 Fairbanks AK 99707

MESSAGE:

Thank you for recognizing my grandmother's (Alaska Linck) contributions to the state as a pioneer and territorial legislator. Like you, this state and its people were always her first concern. Lowering the flag in her honor is a privilege she especially would appreciate.

Phyllis Tate

nuliaq@alaska.net

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 3:44 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (DOA); Todd; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey
Subject: Re: follow up

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 04 Apr 2008 14:52:53

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: follow up

You're definitely going to hear about this so I just want to apologize now. Truly though, I only apologize because you have to hear the complaints from your own team about me stepping on their toes.

I have to have a meeting with Russ and Annette today per his request.

-----Original Message-----

From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:39 PM

To: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Cc: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)

Subject: RE: HB 106 Studded Tire Repeal

Russ:

Additionally, if this conversation is regarding me blind copying the governor on an email that's fine-I truly am willing to talk about it any time. I would have been happy to simply copy her had the email only

been going to you and Mindy. Since it was going to Jerry also I blind copied her so I wouldn't be giving out her personal email address.

Also, I know the studded tire tax, business license fee, and CON repeal bills are priorities of hers. She has made this abundantly clear to all of us, Russ. I didn't mean to step on your toes by expediting the process of getting a governor's priority bill scheduled. I do apologize for that.

We're all on the same team here--advocating for the same person. Like I've told Annette, I will continue to help Governor Palin any way I can, in any capacity I can. Two of three bills are now scheduled.

Ivy

-----Original Message-----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 1:55 PM
To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)
Cc: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)
Subject: Re: HB 106 Studded Tire Repeal

Ivy,

You and I need to talk, soon.

Russ

----- Original Message -----

From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)
To: Burnett, Jerry D (DOR)
Cc: Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Rowland, Mindy B (GOV)
Sent: Fri Apr 04 12:54:51 2008
Subject: HB 106 Studded Tire Repeal

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 3:09 PM
To: Burns; Robin M (DOL)
Subject: RE: Other

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Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 3:50 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Robin Burns
address: 3325 Jerde Circle Anchorage AK 99504
907-269-4966

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin; I just want to let you know that you, your family and your staff are in our prayers! Please continue to look out for this state with the best intentions in your heart!

God bless & Keep you!

Robin Burns

robin.burns@alaska.gov

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:13 PM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Legal_and_lawsuits

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:40 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Legal_and_lawsuits

Web mail from: Mike Lane
address: P.O. Box 70 McGrath AK 99627
907 524-3001

MESSAGE:

Hello Governor,

I became a father at 44, it was my fourth child, she wasn't planned but she's a teenager now and a doll and I love her. No doubt baby-to-come Palin will energize you when you might otherwise start "old-aging out." Make sure to bring her (or him) up a good Republican!

I write to encourage you to sign CCS SB59, which would allow Radio Stations to advertise fund raising events. If you don't,

I certainly hope you'll compensate by not being so abysmally cheap when it comes to funding Public Radio next year (through an appropriation to the Alaska Public Broadcasting Commission) next year. Rural Public Radio is literally starving while managing to remain a vital and very important communications link connecting the people that are in fact the essence of what Alaska is. We are the "Big Wild Alaska", and we don't need a P.R. firm to tout the fact. But we do need some portion of the State's earnings to support us. Loosening advertising restrictions on fund raising events is needed. Signing CCS SB59 will give us a bit more opportunity (to meet our needs).

The best with your new child,

Mike Lane

KSKO

McGrath

ksko@mcgrathalaska.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:10 PM
To: 'andy6320@hotmail.com'
Subject: RE: Economic_Development

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Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 3:10 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Economic_Development

Web mail from: Mr. Andronik Kashevarof -Jr.
address: 11313 Tulin Parkloop Anchorage AK 99516

MESSAGE:

Retired out of St. George Island but concerned about the people living there. I like the way you doing the budget and capital projects because now we have an energy issue of fuel. Lets solve that problem first but with alternative energy also then it makes sense to due Capital projects.Continue the good work for rural Alaska. Thanks!

andy6320@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:09 PM
To: 'kennedy@kennedycpas.com'
Subject: RE: Budget

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Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 3:11 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Dan Kennedy
address: 4701 E. Shoreline Cir. Wasilla AK 99654
357-8510

MESSAGE:

Dear Honorable Governor Palin:

We are happy that the \$400,000 Palmer playhouse grant was vetoed. Good job. We wish you further success for the rest of the legislative session. Please tell us what we can do to help you and your Team.

We also wish you and the State success with the June special session.

"Dear God: Please give our government leaders the strength to help our Nation with agreeing to a gas pipeline contract. Amen"

Love, The Kennedy Family
kennedy@kennedycpas.com
907.376-1272

home is 357-8510

kennedy@kennedycpas.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 1:32 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Burnett; Jerry D (DOR)
Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)
Subject: Re: HB 106 Studded Tire Repeal

Thanks, all

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 04 Apr 2008 12:54:51

To: "Burnett, Jerry D (DOR)" <jerry.burnett@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Rowland, Mindy B (GOV)" <mindy.rowland@alaska.gov>

Subject: HB 106 Studded Tire Repeal

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 12:22 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: HB 326 passes out of S FIN

Right on. Thanks

----- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Sent: Fri Apr 04 12:18:53 2008
Subject: HB 326 passes out of S FIN

UPDATE: HB326/SB232 concerning National Guard fire fighter pay passed out of Senate Finance this morning and will go to the Senate for final vote. It has already passed the House. This is a Governor sponsored bill.

I think yesterday's closure on the supplemental, combined with the ongoing internal pressures (from us and legislators from both sides who are invested in these bills) will loosen up gov's bills in S FIN. We will stay on it, of course.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 12:01 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Kim; Anna C (GOV); 20080515kkjackson_A; Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)
Subject: Re: CON

Thanks much

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 04 Apr 2008 11:51:02

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Kim, Anna C (GOV)" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>, "Jackson, Karleen K (HSS)" <karleen.jackson@alaska.gov>, "Rowland, Mindy B (GOV)" <mindy.rowland@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: CON

We're good now. DHHS had already taken care of it. There was a mistake in Meyer's office. Here was their response:

Sherry,

Interesting. We did receive it. I have a copy of it in my HB 337 binder. Thanks for following up on this. I think that there may have been some confusion with another Governor bill that we had not received a hearing request for.

Thanks!

Suzanne

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Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 11:32 AM
To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Cc: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Re: Press

We're always pushing deadlines back it seems. :) forgive my complaining.

I'd like to keep it at 2pm, that's what I've scheduled my day around now. Thanks

-----Original Message-----

From: Marty Rutherford
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Apr 4, 2008 9:16 AM
Subject: Re: Press

Bruce just suggested to Sharon that the Press event be at 3pm.

Marty

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Fri Apr 04 08:32:27 2008
Subject: Press

What time will Steve and Rhonda want to do press today?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 11:27 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Anders; Bruce F (DNR); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Re: Time of Press Conference?

I just recvd this email - but it sounds like it's already been answered: 2pm Press.

-----Original Message-----

From: Sharon Leighow
To: Marty Rutherford
To: Governor Sarah Palin
To: Pat Galvin
To: Bruce Anders
To: Rosanne Hughes
Sent: Apr 4, 2008 9:04 AM
Subject: RE: Time of Press Conference?

May I suggest 1 or 1:30? I imagine the availability will last at least 45 minutes. Having it earlier is better for the tv stations. Thoughts?

Sharon Leighow
Deputy Press Secretary
Deputy Communications Director

465-4031 Juneau
269-7450 Anchorage
240-7943 cell

-----Original Message-----

From: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 8:45 AM
To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Time of Press Conference?

Sharon,

What time is the Governor's Press Conf/Press Availability with Steve
Haagenson?

Marty

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From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=IJFRYE]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 11:20 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Thanks

Sounds good.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA); Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
Sent: Fri Apr 04 11:12:29 2008
Subject: Re: Thanks

Have them contact the Third Floor to remind them its missing

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From: "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>
Date: Fri, 04 Apr 2008 09:49:03
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, fek9wnr@yahoo.com
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His office is saying they haven't heard from the 3rd floor re: a hearing request for this bill. I work on hearing requests all the time. I'm more than happy to draft the language and send to Russ to expedite the process—it will take 10 minutes tops, I know the bill backwards and forwards. I could even send it to Kris to send to Russ as to not step on toes.

From: Suzanne Cunningham [mailto:Suzanne_Cunningham@legis.state.ak.us]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:12 AM

To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)

Subject: Thanks

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To: 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Thanks

She submitted one for non exempt paybill and we have a back up plan in the house if the senate doesn't follow thru.

I know you talked to meyer a million times-very frustrating! In our liaison mtg today russ and mindy didn't realize studded tires was scheduled-they were pleasantly surprised. I'll send studded tire info to get this expedited.

Kris, I think biz license fee will get some traction in sen finance if emil will call stedman directly and his liaison submits a formal hearing request-the liasion hasn't been getting any traction so this is a good place for a cabinet member to step up. Could you talk to emil about that? I think we can get this scheduled.

----- Original Message -----

From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Frye, Ivy J (DOA); Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
Sent: Fri Apr 04 10:53:33 2008
Subject: Re: Thanks

I talked with Annette last night about something separate and she mentioned was submitting her new ones for DOA bills. This is step one in getting bills on the slate...I've got to believe they know the requirement to submit the letter.

It'll be interesting to see what they say.

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gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote:

Wish I would have known these were missing, or even required. Does Russ or Lauren or Mindy know to do these requests? They've spoken (so have I) to Meyer numerous times on these.

-----Original Message-----

From: Kris Perry

To: Ivy Frye
To: Governor Sarah Palin
To: Frank Bailey
To: Todd
Sent: Apr 4, 2008 10:11 AM
Subject: Re: Thanks

Ivy - once again, NICE job!

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To: ExternalEmailgsp; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'Frank Bailey' ; fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Sent: Fri Apr 04 09:57:15 2008
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Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 10:48 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: School

Looks good thanks

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 04 Apr 2008 10:30:22

To: "Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>, "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: School

2 o'clock is fine. Please look over the draft media advisory!

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

Deputy Communications Director

465-4031 Juneau

269-7450 Anchorage

240-7943 cell

-----Original Message-----

From: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 10:26 AM

To: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); ExternalEmailgsp; Mason, Janice L (GOV);

Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Re: School

Governor,

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Thanks,

Marty

----- Original Message -----

From: Balash, Joseph R (GOV)

To: ExternalEmailgsp; Mason, Janice L (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)

Sent: Fri Apr 04 10:23:31 2008

Subject: RE: School

Governor:

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Joe

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 10:10 AM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Leighow,

Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Rutherford, Marty K
(DNR)

Subject: Re: School

Ok- let them know we can scoot up the press earlier than 2pm if they
need that for press convenience.

-----Original Message-----

From: Janice Mason

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: Kris Perry

Sent: Apr 4, 2008 10:03 AM

Subject: RE: School

I do have the School on the calendar per Todd yesterday. Just spoke
with Joe Balash and they are still on schedule for the 1:00 p.m. prep
meeting in your office with the press conference beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Janice

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:32 AM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: School

Pls note on sched that Piper, Todd and I are visiting Wasilla Lake
Christian School to read and hand out NEA bookmarks. I'm doing this
between appts this morning, then will be in Anchorage office for mtgs
with gasline team and Haagenson, then press conf. What time is press
today?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 10:34 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frye; Ivy J (DOA); Frank Bailey; Todd
Subject: Re: Thanks

Wish I would have known these were missing, or even required. Does Russ or Lauren or Mindy know to do these requests? They've spoken (so have I) to Meyer numerous times on these.

-----Original Message-----

From: Kris Perry
To: Ivy Frye
To: Governor Sarah Palin
To: Frank Bailey
To: Todd
Sent: Apr 4, 2008 10:11 AM
Subject: Re: Thanks

Ivy - once again, NICE job!

----- Original Message -----

From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); 'Frank Bailey' <ftb907@yahoo.com>; fek9wnr@yahoo.com <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
Sent: Fri Apr 04 09:57:15 2008
Subject: FW: Thanks

Studded tire tax is scheduled for Sunday!

I'll get Russ a hearing request--hopefully he has the back-up that Suzanne is requesting.

From: Suzanne Cunningham [mailto:Suzanne_Cunningham@legis.state.ak.us
<mailto:Suzanne_Cunningham@legis.state.ak.us>]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:53 AM

To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)

Subject: RE: Thanks

We do need the back up information for it. He threw it on Sunday's calendar and that is when we realized that we didn't even have a hearing request for it. Anything you all can get us would be good!

Thanks!

Suzanne

From: Frye, Ivy J (DOA) [mailto:ivy.frye@alaska.gov <mailto:ivy.frye@alaska.gov>]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:51 AM

To: Suzanne Cunningham

Subject: RE: Thanks

Suzanne,

Thanks for the email. Like I said, I have a lot of respect for Rep Meyer—he's one of my favorites. I wouldn't reference his name without first talking to him about it.

Would Rep Meyer hear HB 106 if he received a hearing request?

Ivy

From: Suzanne Cunningham [mailto:Suzanne_Cunningham@legis.state.ak.us
<mailto:Suzanne_Cunningham@legis.state.ak.us>]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:12 AM

To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA)

Subject: Thanks

Ivy,

Thanks for the phone call yesterday. We appreciate it. The funny thing is, I went back and looked at hearing requests that I have received, and we haven't even received a hearing request from the administration for HB 106.

Suzanne

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 10:33 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 11:37 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Robin Richardson
address: 1376 St. Gotthard Anchorage AK 99508
907 563-0154

MESSAGE:

Hi,

I'd like permission to use the Governor's photo in the announcement i've placed on website re: Northstar award.

That's it.

<http://www.globalfoodcollaborative.com>

Robin

robin@globalfoodcollaborative.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:44 AM
To: Castle; Lillian K (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: FW: General_Administration

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 10:46 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: General_Administration

Web mail from: Mr. David La Rue
address: POB 1076 Templeton CA 93465
805-455-5535

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I am writing for the first time to acknowledge the outstanding job you are doing in Alaska, for Alaskans and the country in general. As a lifelong Sourdough in heart and soul (but regrettably only a frequent visitor to AK), I follow the tides and tribulations of the Great State regularly. I count among my friends many hard-core Alaskans, including the late and sage Jay Hammond.

I have for years cringed the actions of the likes of Young, Knowles, Sheffield, Cowper, F. Murkowski, and Mr. Stevens.

I find your approach to Government and politics refreshing. I hope Alaska appreciates and rallies with your efforts.

I get to the point. I am a business consultant by trade and a public servant by habit. I am a fiscally conservative realist and a life-long student of education. I offer to work with you in your quest to improve Alaska's education system. I am in my fourth term as a School Board Trustee for nationally recognized Templeton Unified School District. I would gladly consider any contribution I could bring to your table in your efforts in this arena.

And lastly, I urge you to highly consider any offer that should be made to you to serve as Vice President of these great United States. I would be apologetic to dear Alaska for your short tenure in Juneau, however, we need you to help prevent the disaster in Washington and the world, should either Democratic candidate get elected. And I fear John McCain can't run the country without a person of your composition standing in his circle of influence. I search without success in finding your superior in Government or politics.

I await your comments and reply. And may the grace of God protect you and your growing family!

Sincerely and with deep Respect,

David C. La Rue

Templeton, CA

805-455-5535

dclarue_air@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 9:23 AM
To: avid.mary@gci.net
Subject: RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 6:15 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Mary Reimann
address: 22345 Shadowy Spruce Chugiak AK 99567
907-688-0136

MESSAGE:

Hi--I am earning my certification to become a parent educator for infant massage and I would like to see if Governor Palin would be interested in learning about that for herself. I would be happy to educate her for free so there is no financial or political issues. I demonstrate different infant massage techniques on a doll and the parent does the same for his/her infant. It promotes bonding and attachment not to mention the benefits of healthy growth, relaxation, and aid in digestive problems. Please let me know if Governor Palin might consider this. Thank you--Mary Reimann avid.mary@gci.net

avid.mary@gci.net

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 8:59 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: School

Pls note on sched that Piper, Todd and I are visiting Wasilla Lake Christian School to read and hand out NEA bookmarks. I'm doing this between appts this morning, then will be in Anchorage office for mtgs with gasline team and Haagenson, then press conf. What time is press today?

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 8:46 AM
To: jfreels@mtaonline.net
Subject: RE: Budget

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 11:21 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Ms. Jan Freels
address: 761 Luke St Wasilla AK 99654
907-357-1828

MESSAGE:

Thank you!

I support your veto today. Those items do not belong in the supplemental budget.

Transparency is so important in all areas of our government and has been absent for so long. Thanks for bring a little of that needed transparency back.

Jan

jfreels@mtaonline.net

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 4:10 PM
To: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Airline Negotiations

fyi

--- On Thu, 4/3/08, Von Scheben, Leo (DOT) <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov> wrote:

From: Von Scheben, Leo (DOT) <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov>
Subject: Airline Negotiations
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>
Date: Thursday, April 3, 2008, 3:22 PM

Governor,

Randy Ruaro briefed me on the discussions about airline negotiations and personnel issues. Deputy Commissioner Klein is an asset to DOT&PF. I have generally discussed the negotiations and issues with her since she joined the department in February. Moving forward, I will step up her involvement and seek further input and comments as we continue the negotiations. My goal is to get the best possible result for the state and fair terms for all the airlines.

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On negotiations with the airlines, I have personally spent countless hours for the last several months working on the issues with Deputy Commissioner Richards. We have been able to reach agreement on many of the terms with the airlines. There are a few key open items we are still working on. These negotiations are particularly hard because the financial interests of the airlines at the table are directly opposite of some of the airlines not at the table. For example, Alaska Airlines wants air cargo carriers who do not use the passenger terminals to pay tens of millions of dollars over the next 23 years for passenger terminal improvements. Alaska Airlines and the other AAAC members became upset with DOT when we disclosed this information to all the other airlines. I strongly feel it would have been unfair to withhold that information. We will continue to be open with information to all airlines that are affected by these negotiations.

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I will change our negotiating strategy and relieve some of the pressure on Alaska Airlines and the other members of the AAAC to reach an agreement at our negotiating session later this month.

I will not declare negotiations at an impasse or send a final and best offer to all the individual airlines to review and sign until after you and the chief-of-staff have been fully briefed.

I might add, I believe the next negotiations with the AAAC is going to give me an indication of the AAAC seriousness about coming to agreement and concluding the negotiations. We have been at this two (2) years plus and I feel it is time to conclude these negotiations.

Governor, I assure you that I will continue to be very involved and working hard to negotiate the best possible terms for the state and fair terms for all the airlines.

If you would like to discuss these issues further, please call me. I am available at your convenience.

Leo

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From: David Stone [situkrock1@hotmail.com]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 5:17 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Yakutat

Governor Palin,

I want to thank you for the funding you approved for Yakutat. Also, allowing some of our funding to be put 2009 budget, is appreciated.

Thank you again,

Dave Stone, Mayor

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 7:25 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Cc: Kelsey; Mark D (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Budget vetoes

Apologize, meant to write "Move to Capital" listing...

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 4 Apr 2008 15:20:46

To: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Mark Kelsey" <mark.kelsey@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Budget vetoes

Rosanne and Sharon- would you make sure Wesley and others reporters have all the info they need re: the REASONS for individual vetoes and "move to Capitol" listings.

For instance, \$10million Port of Anchorage vetoed because it's taken care of when we put the money in the bond package.

\$5million Palmer-Wasilla Hwy, vetoed because DOT has it pegged for their next year's budget, they can't spend it this go 'round.

Kasilof boat ramp, \$1.2million because its district senators/ reps requested it be pulled until they have public hearings on it... Etc

All good reasons, but reporters have already skipped coverage of that important part of the announcement. Thanks

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:04 PM
To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Cc: Haagenson; Steven H (AIDEA); McBride; Rhonda (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Anders; Bruce F (DNR)
Subject: Re: Press tomorrow

Thanks so much. Sharon and Rosanne will be there.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 03 Apr 2008 19:54:02

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Haagenson, Steven H (AIDEA)" <shaagenson@aidea.org>, "McBride, Rhonda (GOV)" <rhonda.mcbride@alaska.gov>, "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Anders, Bruce F (DNR)" <bruce.anders@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Press tomorrow

Governor, I believe all will be ready for the afternoon press conference. Steve Haagenson, Bruce Anders, Pat Galvin and I are meeting first thing tomorrow morning in order to structure the message and to sort out who should say what (between you, Steve & Rhonda). Bruce and I will also work with Sharon Leighow.

Marty

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)

Cc: Haagenson, Steven H (AIDEA); McBride, Rhonda (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Thu Apr 03 17:50:41 2008

Subject: Press tomorrow

Does it sound good to go with press avail tomorrow after 1pm in Anchorage - Steve, Rhonda, whomever else re: energy needs and in-state use of gas, and other resources to address (especially in rural) the urgent needs. Also tying in AGIA mission? I'm good to go on it.

We'll let Sharon know as soon as you let me know. Thanks

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From: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RHUGHES]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 11:01 AM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: RE: Press

Governor,

Sorry for not responding to your e-mails sooner -- e-mail was not set up for me until just now.

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Fri 4/4/2008 8:32 AM

To: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Press

What time will Steve and Rhonda want to do press today?

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:11 PM

To: 'Dave Trantham'

Subject: RE: Thank You!

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

From: Dave Trantham [mailto:dave_trantham@hotmail.com]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 2:00 PM

To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)

Subject: Thank You!

Thank you for standing strong on the Supplemental.

I support your vetoes.

David Trantham, Jr.
Bethel

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From: gov.palin@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 05, 2008 7:40 PM
To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Re: Test

Got it thanks!

-----Original Message-----

From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
To: Sarah's Personal Email
Sent: Apr 5, 2008 7:39 PM
Subject: Test

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 05, 2008 3:20 PM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: Stewart memorial.

Oh amen! That's what I was thinking while he spoke! Let's be thinking of what we can do. And I sat next to John Havelock- I told him you speak highly of him, he offered to help in any way we'd ever need him.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 05 Apr 2008 14:56:11

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Stewart memorial.

Dear governor palin. If you are at the Stewart memorial during Byron mallots comments. There is an opportunity to make a good gesture based on his observation that Stewart wished to incorporate recognition of native Alaskans in the state seal and or preamble. Maybe we can do something about the seal? Talis.

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 05, 2008 11:58 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Todd; Bristol; Willow; Track; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: King Air

We could lv the Curves event on the 19th to get here the night before, if possible.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 05 Apr 2008 11:45:14

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: fek9wnr@yahoo.com, bristol_palin@hotmail.com, palin_22@hotmail.com, track_44@hotmail.com, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: King Air

Yes - I will ask that it be reserved for April 20 - roundtrip. Janice

Sent using BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>; Bristol <bristol_palin@hotmail.com>; Willow <palin_22@hotmail.com>; Track <track_44@hotmail.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Sat Apr 05 11:41:30 2008

Subject: King Air

Janice: Possibly- do u think king air will be available for travel back to Juneau for Gov's Prayer Breakfast in a couple of weeks? That may be most efficient way to travel for that event because I'm determined to allow the whole First Family to attend at least one event together this year, this one may be it. Thanks

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 05, 2008 11:07 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: AK Woman Documentary

No, bc there won't be as much for them to shadow once the session wraps up.

-----Original Message-----

From: Janice Mason
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Cc: Kris Perry
Sent: Apr 5, 2008 10:58 AM
Subject: AK Woman Documentary

There may be chance that this can be rescheduled to the week of April 22. Would you prefer this as this week may get hectic - Janice

Sent using BlackBerry

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From: connie munro [cmunro@gci.net]
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 12:46 PM
To: Myrna Brown; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com; Ella Bennett; Thea Brown; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com; angel.culp@goldbelt.com; norman.flood@goldbelt.com; Kathy Miller; peter@kootznoowoo.com; amalia.monreal@searhc.org; Andrew Ebona; Al Mckinley; Donnelly; Bernice M (EED); Robert Loescher; Brad Fleutsch; bethel@gci.net; Chris McNeil; carolee.martin@searhc.org; Doloresa Cadiente; Brown; Darrell (HAL); Don Bremner; Corpuz; Elena (DOA); Ethel Lund; Gomez; Shelly (HSS); gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us; Ishmael Hope; jfjll; Judy Mason; Kolvig; Keitha J (ACS); Maureen Brown; Michele Metz; Miller; Mary E (DOL); makookesh@hotmail.com; memartin@gci.net; Marietta Hopkins; Norman Sarabia; Percy Martin; pexendine@gci.net; Jackson; Patsy A; Ronald Williams; Ruaro; Randall P (GOV); Renee Culp; Sue Ann Lindoff; Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Vicki Soboleff; Diane Carrier
Cc: Bill Martin
Subject: Re: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 2!

I just emailed you and it came back to thank you Myrna and your family and THCC and here you did it. I printed it out for Emma and hopefully she can come to the ANS Meeting tomorrow evening. You are wonderful. Connie

----- Original Message -----

From: "Myrna Brown" <mbrown@ccthita.org>
To: "connie munro" <cmunro@gci.net>; <nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com>;
"Ella Bennett" <ella.bennett@sealaska.com>; "Thea Brown"
<thea.brown@sealaska.com>; <kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com>;
<gary.droubay@goldbelt.com>; <angel.culp@goldbelt.com>;
<norman.flood@goldbelt.com>; "Kathy Miller" <kmiller@hunatotem.com>;
<peter@kootznoowoo.com>; <amalia.monreal@searhc.org>; "Andrew Ebona"
<anbjnu2@ak.net>; "Al Mckinley" <almckinley@gci.net>;
<bernice_donnelly@eed.state.ak.us>; "Robert Loescher" <bobloescher@gci.net>;
"Brad Fleutsch" <bjf@gci.net>; <bethel@gci.net>; "Chris McNeil"
<chris.mcneil@sealaska.com>; <carolee.martin@searhc.org>; "Doloresa
Cadiente" <dcadiente@gci.net>; "Brown, Darrell (HAL)"
<DBrown@HollandAmerica.com>; "Don Bremner" <dbremner@gci.net>; "Corpuz,
Elena (DOA)" <elena.corpuz@alaska.gov>; "Ethel Lund" <ethell@gci.net>;
"Gomez, Shelly (HSS)" <shelly.gomez@alaska.gov>;
<gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us>; "Ishmael Hope" <ishmaelhope@hotmail.com>;
"jfjll" <jeffrey.lofthus@uas.alaska.edu>; "Judy Mason" <jmason@thrha.org>;
<kkolvig@courts.state.ak.us>; "Maureen Brown" <yaheyhaha@yahoo.com>;
"Michele Metz" <michele.metz@sealaska.com>; "Miller, Mary E (DOL)"

<mary.miller@alaska.gov>; <makookesh@hotmail.com>; <memartin@gci.net>;
"Marietta Hopkins" <marietta.hopkins@sealaska.com>; "Norman Sarabia"
<nsarabia@dlmeba.org>; "Percy Martin" <koowaa@cashmasters.com>;
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Cc: Frank Bailey; Ivy personal; K Perry Yahoo
Subject: Fw: Floor/committee

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Date: Sun, 6 Apr 2008 18:36:44

To: "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

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Date: Sun, 06 Apr 2008 07:48:52

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Russ Kelly <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Cc: Mike Tibbles <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Floor/committee

The House and Senate are both going into sessio at 2 PM. I think much is happening this morning. They usually leave enough time for folks to go to morning church.

I have heard that the Legislature may get done one day early (Sat). I do not see how the Senate can leave on Friday at this point. They need to concur on the capital budget otherwise they are accepting that all our projects including the roads, oil and gas, etc. are not needed. If the House put the final capital budget on the floor Wed/Thurs, Sat seems possible.

I plan on trying to get a total spending spreadsheet from Meyer today. It will help our discussions with the House.

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To: "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

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Sent: 4/6/2008 7:33 AM

Subject: Floor/committee

Hi guys: do you know what time Hse or Senate meets today? Wondering if I should get things done around here before heading over to the office.

Nice editorial in the ADN today, pointing out the posturing of leggies re: Sp Session and their request for expanded call.

Talked to a reporter on Friday's return flt to Juneau - he said he's hearing Senate intends to gavel out on Friday, with or without House's completion of work. Does that mean the House finishes up when they need to, and it's an assumed concurrence by the Senate on the final product then?

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Subject: Re: Crime bill

Yes- press folks need to do this, daily. We only have six days where they could do this effectively. And it gives the press something to focus on and build up to, instead of them being all over the board on their coverage because they're just not sure what to cover. We need to set the agenda from here on out and allow the press to understand this so that Alaskans can understand what's going on. This is so important.

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Date: Sun, 06 Apr 2008 20:25:38

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: RE: Crime bill

I had the press folks work up a message we could send out to target the Senate on budget cuts but we did not send it because it was outdated too fast.

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Sent: 4/6/2008 8:15 PM

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Let me know what I can do - I have troops waiting to help put pressure on lawmakers to do the right thing. These are the good people who got me elected and have faith that I won't give up and give in to games that politicians like Stedman are dying to play. We need to go through, around and over politicians like Stedman - and I have good Alaskans wanting to help do this. Let me know what specifically they can do to help, and to fulfill their roles as concerned Alaskans desiring a change from the status quo.

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From: Mike Tibbles

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Sent: Apr 6, 2008 8:01 PM

Subject: Crime bill

I guess Ramras did move the crime bill today. If the House version passes first, it will land in Senate Finance.

Now I am starting to get concerned that many of our bills will end up with Stedman having the final say. I have been hearing that he is really taking pleasure with giving us the run around.

We will keep the pressure on and see what moves in the next few days.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 7:11 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: K Perry Yahoo
Subject: Sched

Pls include today: legislation work in office, met with Rep Meyer.

Yest: wk in office... I'll try to remember who all I spoke with to plug in to schedule.

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From: gov.palin@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 3:48 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Todd
Subject: Fw: Bristol

Sounds like The Bristol rumor was started and continues via Lyda's office. (Namely, Portia Babcock - Lyda's COS, Tuckerman's sister (Tuckerman being Lyda's new son-in-law), former spouse of Kyle Parker (the oil/gas lobbyist busted for working with Ruedrich while at AOGCC), now girlfriend of Ralph Samuels... all those attributes all rolled into one Portia.

Anyway, a former leg staffer heard the discussion at a rest. in Wasilla, evidently sitting near Lyda's people... she passed it on again today to folks at my sister's church... it's pretty pathetic.

Bristol does want it squashed - we just don't know how to do so without making it a bigger issue. Can you feel out Wesley and McAllister to see if that's where they got the rumor, as others are saying it's Lyda's office. I figured it was them or Bitney.

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From: "Ivy Frye" <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>

Date: Sun, 6 Apr 2008 23:16:22

To: "Sarah Palin" <gov.palin@yahoo.com>, "Todd Palin" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>, "Kris Perry" <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Subject: Re: Bristol

We'll get it taken care of, don't worry.

Diana Straub heard it and let Molly know today in church. I can gurantee Diana heard it from the horses mouth or the horses office-she and Janey are pretty friendly. When confronted lyda won't be able to do anything but apologize for her staff. How unbecoming and embarrassing for her office esp when press start inquiring...

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From: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Date: Sun, 6 Apr 2008 22:56:09

To: "Ivy personal" <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>, "Todd" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>, "K Perry Yahoo" <krisandclark@yahoo.com>, "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Subject: Re: Bristol

Flippin unbelievable. Wouldn't you think they'd be afraid of being proved wrong when they rumor around the building like that? I wonder if Wesley and McAllister did hear it from Lyda's office though... hopefully it'll be another reason why reporters and the public can't trust that odd group of strange people.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy personal

To: Sarah's Personal Email

To: Todd

To: K Perry Yahoo

To: Frank Bailey

ReplyTo: Ivy personal

Sent: Apr 6, 2008 1:31 PM

Subject: Bristol

I was just on the phone w Don and he got a call from Chuck Sr. Reports from Juneau that lyda's office is perpetuating the Bristol being pregnant rumor. No doubt Janey and/or Portia. I'm callin them on the flippin carpet!

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Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 3:00 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Floor/committee

Thanks. Also, when asked about the Gravina Bridge - I hope like heck lawmakers are smart enough to chop that out of the state budget so I don't have to. I believe it may be eliminated already by Kyle's colleagues in the house.

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From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Sun, 06 Apr 2008 13:01:22

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Floor/committee

Thanks Governor-

I have been saying that we support the concept of an energy rebate and are waiting to see what will be in the final version of the bill.

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To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Cc: Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Sun Apr 06 11:43:13 2008

Subject: Re: Floor/committee

So Bill's bill would result in a surplus check being sent to every Alaskan? Not just those in utilities? How can I help push it? I'll push that one if Wagoner's bill is dead- which it sounds like it is.

Sharon- I'm cc-ing you bc I've been asked by reporters about my intentions on Surplus Rebate measures - but I have not known status of such latley. I'll see what else I can find out today on these so we have a good, definitive answer for press, for Alaskans. Our response so far has been right on- whatever we can do to give the resource owners their

revenue, thanks to this surplus, we support. But I need to articulate a stronger position on it and take more aggressive action before session ends. Sounds like Bill's bill is the closest we'll come to that this session. Again, if we don't return the funds to Alaskans, govt will spend it and that's not something I support.

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HB 396 is Bill Thomas' measure. It has been heard twice and is still being worked on in the House Finance Committee. It sounds as if they amended the bill in the last hearing to change the payment from an additional \$500 permanent fund earning distribution to a general fund surplus payment.

Wagoner and Therriault have a different version in the Senate Finance Committee. Their bill would make energy payments to the utilities as an energy credit that would be reflected on individual's invoices.

Wagoner's bill has not received a hearing to date.

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Date: Sun, 06 Apr 2008 07:48:52

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Cc: Mike Tibbles <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

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Sent: 4/6/2008 7:33 AM

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From: Irwin, Tom E (DNR) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TEIRWIN]
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 2:23 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Cc: Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Anders; Bruce F (DNR)
Subject: Re: Bullet line

I have heard good comments on the Friday press availability. Good job!

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I heard it a lot on the Michael Dukes talk show and several times around Fairbanks. Even my Dr. said people are cancelling surgeries or at least delaying them because of energy bills. People are hurting. We hear it a lot in Fairbanks because power and energy are mostly based on oil instead of gas as in Anch. God bless. Tom

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To: Galvin, Patrick S (DOR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Irwin, Tom E (DNR)
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Sent: Sun Apr 06 08:17:33 2008
Subject: Re: Bullet line

Got it. Thanks much.

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From: "Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>

Date: Sun, 06 Apr 2008 08:16:59
To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>, "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>
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Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 2:22 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: House supplies

Governor,

Thanks for the information for shopping and we'll have minimal freezer use.

Erika

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV)
Cc: Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
Sent: Sun Apr 06 12:15:25 2008
Subject: House supplies

Erika- there won't be a need to purchase more food between now and end of session - fruit for Piper (at the most, no need to buy any more food besides that). There's still a lot here we need to eat up so it doesn't go to waste. Also, if food can be consolidated downstairs in all those freezers we could unplug most of them and save electricity. Thanks

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 1:01 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Floor/committee

Thanks Governor-

I have been saying that we support the concept of an energy rebate and are waiting to see what will be in the final version of the bill.

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To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
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Sent: Sun Apr 06 11:43:13 2008
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To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
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I got ready in six weeks when I ran Humpys. You can do it. The Mayor's Marathon is end of June, right? Perfect!

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Date: Fri, 04 Apr 2008 13:00:04

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: FW: We are #1!!!!

Dear Governor Palin, Look at this. Best department in the best state!!! Talis

From: Steinberg, Stacy K (LAW)

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 12:29 PM

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Also, after my e-mail yesterday, more employees signed up. We now have a 31% participation rate in the Department of Law (174 people). That is fantastic.

I will send an e-mail to the entire office, but I couldn't wait to tell you the good news!

Stacy

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From: Myrna Brown [mbrown@cchita.org]
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 9:25 AM
To: connie munro; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com; Ella Bennett; Thea Brown; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com; angel.culp@goldbelt.com; norman.flood@goldbelt.com; Kathy Miller; peter@kootznoowoo.com; amalia.monreal@searhc.org; Andrew Ebona; Al Mckinley; Donnelly; Bernice M (EED); Robert Loescher; Brad Fleutsch; bethel@gci.net; Chris McNeil; carolee.martin@searhc.org; Doloresa Cadiente; Brown; Darrell (HAL); Don Bremner; Corpuz; Elena (DOA); Ethel Lund; Gomez; Shelly (HSS); gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us; Ishmael Hope; jfjll; Judy Mason; Kolvig; Keitha J (ACS); Maureen Brown; Michele Metz; Miller; Mary E (DOL); makookesh@hotmail.com; memartin@gci.net; Marietta Hopkins; Norman Sarabia; Percy Martin; pexendine@gci.net; Jackson; Patsy A; Ronald Williams; Ruaro; Randall P (GOV); Renee Culp; Sue Ann Lindoff; Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Vicki Soboleff; Diane Carrier
Cc: Bill Martin
Subject: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 2!

I am extremely fortunate to have been able to be part of this women's conference and was could not have done it without the following: Diane Carrier, Sarah Lampe, my brother William, my sister Laura Sheldon and Myrna Foster. These people are continually stepping forward to make things happen for others. ANS must be proud of sister Sarah Lampe, Grand Camp Sargent At Arms who made a trip over to help and who also brought the seal meat that everyone enjoyed Saturday! I acknowledge President Micalyn Kunz McGhee and her sister Nelly who were very much a part of this picture; they are true inspiration of what ANS is all about. Thank you Connie for your continued respect and for checking on items that needed to be done; you and Emma really shined. I truly love my mom and after hearing her speak will make more time for this wonderful lady so she can expect visits from me. I am glad she is up front and personal; you learn from the best. Last but certainly not least I would like to personally acknowledge President Martin; it is a blessing to be working under his leadership. His genuine concern and support for Elders, youth, family, ANB/ANS and Southeast Native Veterans shows his commitment in making our organization a good one.

I apologize for not making it in Saturday but had 9 grandchildren I was caring for. Our day ended after the free swim for them after 8 PM.

I want to take this time and remind everyone that the last Native Issues Forum is scheduled for April 9th; Senator Kookesh and Representative Bill Thomas. MC Ron Williams. Our menu plans include entree items of Roast w/gravy, stuffing, mashed potatoes, cream style corn, spaghetti w/sauteed onions, green peppers and celery, buttered dinner roll. Dessert: Cake w/strawberry filling. Pork noodles, bac-o salad, macaroni salad, fruit salad and hopefully fresh herring egg salad if it arrives in time from Sitka (donated by Central Council). Thank you!

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 9:16 AM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Cc: McBride; Rhonda (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: kaltag appeal

Yes-Janice set it up... already.

Rhonda- can you join us via phone on Monday for this Kaltag update?

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Date: Sun, 06 Apr 2008 08:55:10

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: kaltag appeal

Dear governor palin. I thought you had already set it up as I got an email Friday that it is set for 930 Monday. I think it would be fine for Rhonda to attend. Talis.

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Janice set this up. Do you want Rhonda on the phone during this? She really wants to be plugged in more fully on these rural/native issues.

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If possible I would like to meet with you for 15 - 20 minutes on Monday to review the Kaltag case. It is a Native "inherent authority" appeal that will be noticed in Native circles. I need to approve or deny an appeal and I want you to understand our plan and have an opportunity to approve or stop it as you will be likely asked about it.

Just let me know if I can come over anytime Monday. Talis

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To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Sent: Sun Apr 06 07:47:25 2008
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Date: Fri, 04 Apr 2008 13:26:09

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 7:59 AM
To: Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Floor/committee

Hi Mindy- in case you get this before Russ, do you remember what time leggies would be taking any action today?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Sun, 6 Apr 2008 15:33:12

To: "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: Floor/committee

Hi guys: do you know what time Hse or Senate meets today? Wondering if I should get things done around here before heading over to the office.

Nice editorial in the ADN today, pointing out the posturing of leggies re: Sp Session and their request for expanded call.

Talked to a reporter on Friday's return flt to Juneau - he said he's hearing Senate intends to gavel out on Friday, with or without House's completion of work. Does that mean the House finishes up when they need to, and it's an assumed concurrence by the Senate on the final product then?

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Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 7:51 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); McBride; Rhonda (GOV)
Cc: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: Native seal/preamble

Thanks, all.

Talis- we can also speak on this tomorrow when we meet on Kaltag issues. Thanks!

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From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Sun, 06 Apr 2008 07:49:24

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "McBride, Rhonda (GOV)" <rhonda.mcbride@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

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Before I got to your 2nd paragraph, I thought what a great opportunity for our 50th!

Rhonda, I look forward to talking more about this tomorrow.

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We need more! 'Cuz it's looking like you guys are the ones carrying the water for the whole state... not to put any pressure on ya - but we need more!

Are you running a marathon this summer? I'll be there cheering you on, if so.

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Date: Fri, 04 Apr 2008 13:00:04

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: FW: We are #1!!!!

Dear Governor Palin, Look at this. Best department in the best state!!! Talis

From: Steinberg, Stacy K (LAW)

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 12:29 PM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Subject: We are #1!!!!

Talis:

I was just checking our stats this morning to make sure we were still ahead of Minnesota. The Presidential Challenge website revised the state ranking to reflect participation levels instead of the raw numbers. Alaska is number 1 in participation!!!!!!!!!! Can you believe it? The governor should be proud of us.

Also, after my e-mail yesterday, more employees signed up. We now have a 31%

participation rate in the Department of Law (174 people). That is fantastic.

I will send an e-mail to the entire office, but I couldn't wait to tell you the good news!

Stacy

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 7:45 AM
To: Todd; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Bullet line

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Sun, 6 Apr 2008 15:44:48

To: "Marty Rutherford" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>, "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Pat Galvin" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Joe Balash" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>, "Bruce Anders" <bruce.anders@alaska.gov>

Subject: Bullet line

Nice editorial in today's ADN re: sp session call "posturing" by leggies. I'm glad the editors get it.

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 4:27 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: FW: MESSAGE FROM COMMISSIONER JOE SCHMIDT

Governor – This is an update from Commissioner Schmidt. Janice

From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC)
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 4:14 PM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: MESSAGE FROM COMMISSIONER JOE SCHMIDT

Hello J,

Here is the first e mail for the Governor. It is one I sent to all of the department today.

Joe

From: Schmitz, Richard F (DOC)
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:40 AM
To: DOC - All DOC
Subject: MESSAGE FROM COMMISSIONER JOE SCHMIDT

Good morning DOC staff:

As the legislative session this year comes to a close, I wanted to take a moment and provide an update of our current budget situation. During my first meetings with lawmakers in January 2007, it became clear that the way to get support to increase staffing was to ensure the current compliment of positions were filled. We heeded this advice, and decided that we would demonstrate our department's ability to fill the funded vacant positions before asking for increases. We spent 2007 emphasizing recruitment and averaged 737 filled Correctional Officer positions at years end. This represents the exact number of funded positions we had available to fill, so we entered the session this year in a good position to request our needed increase. The Governors request this session added 43 positions, for a total of 780, and both the House and the Senate approved the request. Since it was approved on both sides, no action by a conference committee

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was needed – which means we are on track to begin filling our additional positions July 1st.

It is important to note that these are all funded positions. We are moving away from the practice of creating positions first, and asking for funding later, or carrying non-funded positions. Other than years when a new facility opened, this year will represent the strongest workforce increase in our history. The year-end average of filled positions in 2006 was 703 Officers, and the average for 2007 increased to 737. Since we are planning on hiring our full allotment of 780 starting in July, our calendar year average for 2008 should be close to 750.

Our expansion plan is moving ahead as well. The first step in selecting a contractor for the 1,530-bed Point Mackenzie project is to release a Request for Qualification. The Mat Su Borough released the RFQ last week, and we plan to have the contractor selected by this fall. Bonding is currently underway for our 144-bed Spring Creek expansion project and we will testify again this week in Bethel for a 66-bed expansion project there.

With our facility expansion plan underway, it is time to concentrate on the community re-entry piece of our mission. Our Probation staff is the center of this work, and this year will bring an emphasis to recruitment and re-entry planning. We will employ a similar strategy to the one used with our Correctional Officer team. We will recruit and fill our vacancies, present a long range plan and request the resources needed to fulfill our goal. We currently have four vacancies and Director White and her staff will be working on our long-range re-entry plan. The last P.O. academy had four students who had transferred from the Correctional Officer series and one Probation Officer who started as a Criminal Justice Technician. Varied backgrounds and training only strengthens our team, and benefits the department as a whole. We are emphasizing a seamless transition from the institution to the field and a reduction in recidivism.

Much of our program plan will be decided in conference so we will be working on those issues and providing updates as well. When the conference process concludes, we hope to release a facility program plan that best prepares the prisoners for a successful reintegration process.

Thank you all for the work you do, and for your dedication to our line of work.

Joe

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From: connie munro [cmunro@gci.net]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 4:12 PM
To: Maureen Brown; Myrna Brown; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com; Ella Bennett; Thea Brown; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com; angel.culp@goldbelt.com; norman.flood@goldbelt.com; Kathy Miller; peter@kootznoowoo.com; amalia.monreal@searhc.org; Andrew Ebona; Al Mckinley; Donnelly; Bernice M (EED); Robert Loescher; Brad Fleutsch; bethel@gci.net; Chris McNeil; carolee.martin@searhc.org; Doloresa Cadiente; Brown; Darrell (HAL); Don Bremner; Corpuz; Elena (DOA); Ethel Lund; Gomez; Shelly (HSS); gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us; Ishmael Hope; jfjl; Judy Mason; Kolvig; Keitha J (ACS); Michele Metz; Miller; Mary E (DOL); makookesh@hotmail.com; memartin@gci.net; Marietta Hopkins; Norman Sarabia; Percy Martin; pexendine@gci.net; Jackson; Patsy A; Ronald Williams; Ruaro; Randall P (GOV); Renee Culp; Sue Ann Lindoff; Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Vicki Soboleff; Diane Carrier
Cc: Bill Martin
Subject: Re: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 2!

Our supporting members are just as important as the active ones. We read the list often and knowing 144 sisters (a and a few brothers) respect the organization enough to pay dues and come to the special activities. And, a job is one of the sisters values too and is the reason we ha the topic on the first session. Thank you for your words.
 Connie Munro

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To: connie munro ; Myrna Brown ; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com ; Ella Bennett ; Thea Brown ; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com ; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com ; angel.culp@goldbelt.com ; norman.flood@goldbelt.com ; Kathy Miller ; peter@kootznoowoo.com ; amalia.monreal@searhc.org ; Andrew Ebona ; Al Mckinley ; bernice_donnelly@eed.state.ak.us ; Robert Loescher ; Brad Fleutsch ; bethel@gci.net ; Chris McNeil ; carolee.martin@searhc.org ; Doloresa Cadiente ; Brown, Darrell (HAL) ; Don Bremner ; Corpuz, Elena (DOA) ; Ethel Lund ; Gomez, Shelly (HSS) ; gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us ; Ishmael Hope ; jfjl ; Judy Mason ; kkolvig@courts.state.ak.us ; Michele Metz ; Miller, Mary E (DOL) ; makookesh@hotmail.com ; memartin@gci.net ; Marietta Hopkins ; Norman Sarabia ; Percy Martin ; pexendine@gci.net ; Jackson, Patsy A ; Ronald Williams ; Ruaro, Randall P (GOV) ; Renee Culp ; Sue Ann Lindoff ; sarah.palin@alaska.gov ; Vicki Soboleff ; Diane Carrier
Cc: Bill Martin
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:25 AM
Subject: Re: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 2!

Well Sis,

It's good to know that you could step forward for the ANS it is a wonderful organization. I wish I had more time time to commit but at my age I am lucky to have a good job. It gives me a positive feeling to be able to work with troubled youth. My hours are swing hours and I can't seem to make a meeting anymore but I want you to know that without the teachings of ANS and ANB I would not have anything positive to add to anyones life. My heart still has ANB and ANS engraved on it and one day soon I shall return but for now I am committed to my job. It has always been in my heart to give to others what I have learned and I have learned not only to love and forgive but to laugh and smile too. Good job sister.

Maureen

connie munro <cmunro@gci.net> wrote:

I just emailed you and it came back to thank you Myrna and your family and THCC and here you did it. I printed it out for Emma and hopefully she can

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come to the ANS Meeting tomorrow evening. You are wonderful. Connie

----- Original Message -----

From: "Myrna Brown"

To: "connie munro" ; ;

"Ella Bennett" ; "Thea Brown"

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;; "Kathy Miller" ;

;; "Andrew Ebona"

;; "Al Mckinley" ;

;; "Robert Loescher" ;

"Brad Fleutsch" ; ; "Chris McNeil"

;; "Doloresa

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Maureen Brown

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Subject: RE: Beginning today...

I do not know what this is about?? Janice

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I thank you so much for pulling this together. You are a professional and giving person. Your name is so respected and we look up to you too. It was a educational and for me a emotional caring time in my life. We have Lorrie too and your mom was dynamite.

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Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:07 AM
Subject: Beginning today...

Our Alaska Native Sisterhood Camp 2 sisters have been extremely busy organizing a

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Southeast Alaska Native Women's Conference that begins today; \$25 registration – there are limited scholarships! I am forwarding you a copy of the wonderful program for the next three days featuring speakers such as Florence Sheakley, Laird Jones, Ruth Demmert and panel: Alberta Aspen, Corrine Ragu and Micalyn Kunz McGhee, Iva Graywolf, Healing Ceremony, and a number of others. Iva will be speaking about suicide prevention. Hopefully our local Native organizations will allow interested staff to participate in this conference and support our local ANS Camp 2.

The theme for the conference speaks for itself, "Making a Difference: Knowledge of Our Mothers keeping our Culture alive". The conference pays tribute in many different and creative ways; something you don't want to miss out on! Please see the various forms that come with the packet.

If you know of any person who would be interested in attending this conference please share the news; we need community support. There is a welcome dinner planned this evening; we are going to cook: Grilled King Salmon, Roast Pork, rice, buttered corn, salad and a dinner roll. Dessert too! Come and visit; bring those special people in your life; grandmother, mom; tell your family! Let's make a difference together.

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 6:34 PM

To: 'Sarah Palin'

Subject: Aniak Traditional Council

A quick note. Had an e-mail updating AST's efforts to promote better community relations in Aniak. Col. Audie Holloway forwarded an e-mail from Lt. Craig MacDonald in Bethel about a cross cultural communications training session held today. Two Aniak Traditional Council members attended and seemed pleased with the content.

Sounds like some progress is being made – and that your troopers are trying hard to meet Aniak half way. Col. Holloway and I have talked about visiting Aniak sometime this spring to do a follow-up visit.

Thanks.

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To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Andrew Halcro

Governor-

Andrew Halcro is filling in for Mike Pocaro tomorrow and invited you on the show. I told him that it was very busy with the end of session in sight - but I would ask! I think I know the answer!

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Subject: Aloha

I'm back from my extended vacation in Hawaii and back to work at THRHA. I just logged on my email for the first time and was pleased to receive the notice for the Southeast Women's Conference (sorry I missed it). Sounds like another successful event. Keep me on your email list. I'll be in touch. Judy

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 5:18 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Subject: FW: heads up

Governor – FYI - Email from Commissioner Schmidt. Thanks, Janice

From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC)
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 5:02 PM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: heads up

Hello Governor,

Sorry to bring this to you when you are so busy, but you should have a heads-up. Our correctional Officer union ACOA is rearing up again. They have orchestrated a "vote of no confidence" against me over two primary concerns. First, reductions in staffing and second, employee discipline. They have been in and talked to Randy and Mike Nizich. Their main complaint to Randy and Mike was that they couldn't get a meeting with me, so the next day we offered a meeting. They responded that they have no interest in meeting with me and they would meet with Nizich any time he wanted to talk. They suggested the 23rd because they are going to tally the votes on the 21st, and they intimated that they may call the media after the count. By now you have seen the letter I sent to all staff today and it clearly dispels the reduction in staffing notion. As far as discipline, last year was one of reform. 49 internal investigations, 26 of which resulted in discipline and 4 ended in termination. (Additionally, 2 more quit in lieu of termination, and 2 quit during investigations for their own reasons). Our reports of misconduct slowed in October and we have no new investigations pending now. Even though things are relatively quiet now, the union made their threats in the thick of things last year and they can't un-ring the bell. We've worked closely with Admin throughout and we feel confident that our actions are justified and I believe our message is received. The business of human confinement is not conducive to unsafe worksite practices. To this end, our response will be centered around the fact that we are proud to stand with the professionals who had faith in us and reported unsafe worksite acts. I just heard that Mike and Randy will be available to brief you further so I don't have to make this e mail any longer. I've sent Janice my schedule for the next couple of weeks, my time is yours if you'd like to see me.

Thanx Governor

Joe

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 12:09 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Email - FYI

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:09 AM
To: Castle, Lillian K (GOV)
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 10:54 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Marjorie menzi
address: 6000 Thane Road Juneau AK 99803
907-586-1714

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

My husband, Bill Heumann, and I appreciated meeting you at Tom Stewart's Celebration of Life. I thought you might be interested in the Alaska History & Cultural Studies course we have developed for HS students at www.akhistorycourse.org. The web site was developed with a grant from the US Dept. of Ed through Sen Stevens' office to the AK Humanities Forum.

Best wishes on your upcoming "blessed event."

Warm regards,
Marjorie Menzi

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 Connie Munro

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 Good job sister.

Maureen

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From: Myrna Brown
To: Myrna Brown ; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com ; Ella Bennett ; Thea Brown ; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com ; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com ; angel.culp@goldbelt.com ; norman.flood@goldbelt.com ; Kathy Miller ; peter@kootznoowoo.com ; amalia.monreal@searhc.org ; Andrew Ebona ; Alfred McKinley, Sr. ; bernice_donnelly@eed.state.ak.us ; bobloescher@gci.net ; Brad Fleutsch ; bethel@gci.net ; Connie Munro ; Chris McNeil ; carolee.martin@searhc.org ; dcadiente@gci.net ; Brown, Darrell (HAL) ; Don Bremner ; Corpuz, Elena (DOA) ; Ethel Lund ; Gomez, Shelly (HSS) ; gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us ; Ishmael Hope ; jfjll ; Judy Mason ; kkolvig@courts.state.ak.us ; Maureen Brown ; Michele Metz ; Miller, Mary E (DOL) ; makookesh@hotmail.com ; memartin@gci.net ; marietta.hopkins@sealaska.com ; Norman Sarabia ; Percy Martin ; pexendine@gci.net ; Jackson, Patsy A ; Ronald Williams ; Ruaro, Randall P (GOV) ; Renee Culp ; Sue Ann Lindoff ; sarah.palin@alaska.gov ; Vicki Soboleff ; Diane Carrier
Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:07 AM
Subject: Beginning today...

Our Alaska Native Sisterhood Camp 2 sisters have been extremely busy organizing a

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Southeast Alaska Native Women's Conference that begins today; \$25 registration – there are limited scholarships! I am forwarding you a copy of the wonderful program for the next three days featuring speakers such as Florence Sheakley, Laird Jones, Ruth Demmert and panel: Alberta Aspen, Corrine Ragu and Micalyn Kunz McGhee, Iva Graywolf, Healing Ceremony, and a number of others. Iva will be speaking about suicide prevention. Hopefully our local Native organizations will allow interested staff to participate in this conference and support our local ANS Camp 2.

The theme for the conference speaks for itself, "Making a Difference: Knowledge of Our Mothers keeping our Culture alive". The conference pays tribute in many different and creative ways; something you don't want to miss out on! Please see the various forms that come with the packet.

If you know of any person who would be interested in attending this conference please share the news; we need community support. There is a welcome dinner planned this evening; we are going to cook: Grilled King Salmon, Roast Pork, rice, buttered corn, salad and a dinner roll. Dessert too! Come and visit; bring those special people in your life; grandmother, mom; tell your family! Let's make a difference together.

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From: Rowland, Mindy B (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MBROWLAND]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:04 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: SB 59 Gaming/Cabbage Classics...

Hi Governor,

I just had a conversation with Rep. Stoltze to find out his reasons for voting against the charitable gaming bill that is now before you for consideration. He stressed that his no vote was "a soft no" and that he had a number of reasons for doing so. He shared that he had sponsored an amendment that had been added to the bill in House Finance that would have prohibited the currently allowed practice of selling raffle tickets for campaigns. The Senate rejected this change and the bill was then sent to a conference committee. He fought to stall action because he felt strongly about this provision and that raffles should only be for charity. In deference to his friend, Rep. Johansen, chair of the conference committee, and at the request of Sen. Stevens, he said he finally relented and allowed for the provision to be removed from the bill. He admitted this provision had nothing to do with the bill itself, and that he voted against the bill because he was a little mad that he lost this battle.

He told me he was also upset with the AK Broadcasters Assn for their lack of support for other legislation he had been working on.

His vote, and according to him, the no votes of many other legislators, were protest votes rather than votes against charitable gaming. He surmised that other no votes (he didn't name anyone) were to project consistency with their efforts to pass a constitutional amendment against gaming.

Meanwhile today, Russ spoke with Rep. Dahlstrom to get her input. He felt she was pretty adamant that the bill should be vetoed.

Rep. Stoltze told me that the bill has many good aspects. The provision to allow radio advertising would apply to raffles only. The intent is that pull tabs and bingos could not be advertised. He envisions that the local hardware store, at the end of their radio ad would say "and come on in to buy a raffle ticket to support the Alaska High School skipping team." (My words not Bill's) In his opinion, the increase in payout limits from \$1 to \$2 million is inconsequential because most of the payouts are trips and services that don't have a tangible cash value per se.

So here are the options:

You can veto the bill, in which case a transmittal letter will be needed to explain your reasons;
You can allow the bill to become law without your signature, in which case a transmittal letter will be needed to explain your reasons; or
You can sign the bill quietly and no letter of explanation will be necessary.

Action of some sort on this bill is required by Monday, April 14.

Let me know if you have any questions or if there is additional information I can provide.

Thanks
Mindy

Mindy Rowland
Deputy Legislative Director
Office of Governor Sarah Palin
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From: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RPRUARO]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 6:31 PM
To: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: Resume for Jim Beedle - AMHS Deputy Commissioner / Open item in conference committee on operating budget

Governor:

I gave Janice a hard copy of Jim Beedle's resume. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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The House and Senate conference committees are meeting on the operating budget and have left as "open" for now the budget item for funding the AMHS Deputy Commissioner position. (The House deleted funding, the Senate approved funding) Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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Randy

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From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 7:46 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Letter follow-up

Janice and I have continued to research this and she has now found that the letter was rec'd in March and forwarded to Joe since it had something to do w/gas pipeline hire. I spoke w/Joe and he said he asked Jessica to forward to scheduling and B and C since it touched more on those. He's not sure of the status of that forward and will check w/Jessica tomorrow. Unfortunately Janice could not (initially) find it in the tracking system which is what I firmly relayed to Dr. Green. I was - albeit professional - ticked.

Janice will get a copy for you tomorrow.

All that being said and aside from the communication issue, we have worked with these folks: attending the African American Summit, Dan is a member of NAACP; they are reaching out and I know they've made some recent appointments. I met with Mayfield today and told him that we'd have staff at their upcoming scholarship meeting and he didn't even give me a heads up about this.

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From: Balash, Joseph R (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JRBALASH]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 7:33 PM
To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Thompson; Nan G (DNR); Banks; Kevin R (DNR); Scott; Antony G (DNR); Gibson; Kurtis K (DNR); Laing; Ian M (DOR); 'dfauske@AHFC.state.AK.us'; 'bbutcher@ahfc.state.ak.us'; Anders; Bruce F (DNR); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Davis; Marcia R (DOR)
Subject: Fw: Rumor: Two major oil companies to make an announcement tomorrow, Tuesday

I pass this on solely as rumor...

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From: Christopher Clark <cgcalaska@yahoo.com>
To: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Rowland, Mindy B (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Sent: Mon Apr 07 19:30:04 2008
Subject: Rumor: Two major oil companies to make an announcement tomorrow, Tuesday

Just in case you hadn't heard this already ... rumor ...

Two major oil companies will hold a press conference in Anchorage tomorrow, Tuesday, to make an announcement.

Company officials will be in the capitol later that day to answer questions and give more details.

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Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Re: Minority coalition meeting

What are they talking about? They supposedly sent ME a letter that wasn't responded to? I'm clueless on this one...

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From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 18:45:31

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: Minority coalition meeting

Just learned this afternoon via Angelina's email below that the Alaska Black Leadership Conference is holding a press conf regarding communication with the administration. I called my friend, Pastor Davis, and he told me that he heard it is tomorrow.

I called Mayfield and have spoke with him a number of times now. He told me it is about a letter that the Alaska Black Leadership Conference sent a month ago and he referred me to Dr. Green. Janice couldn't find it in CTS and I called Dr. Green with Janice conferenced in. I was pretty adamant and firm with Dr. Green; letting him know that he could have and should have picked up the phone and called me to find out the status of the letter rather than hold a press conference. He said they sent it return receipt and that it was signed for. They also copied legislators and the congressional delegation. I told him that we didn't have a record and I have never seen it.

We're still researching receipt of the letter and have requested that he fax a copy with the return receipt. He told me he'd call me in the morning which was encouraging. I'm hoping that after our conversation, they'll change their mind but...

I'm wondering if you want to meet with them again upon your return to Anchorage; I can let them know and maybe put this off. I'm sure it is along the same lines of the previous meeting; however I'll know more once I receive the letter.

From: Burney, Angelina (CED)

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 4:52 PM

To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Minority coalition meeting

Good afternoon Kris:

I received a call today from a friend of mine who attended a Minority Task Force Coalition meeting last Friday. She called to let me know that there were some members of the African American community who were there that stated that they were going to be staging a press conference sometime soon taking the Governor to task for not having more minorities in her Administration.

I know this very same issue had come up in the beginning of the Administration but I thought you should be aware that there were rumblings once again. I did not attend this meeting myself, so this is all second hand, but I thought I would give you a heads up just in case.

Thanks, have a good evening!

Angelina

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 3:44 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Frank Bailey; Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Energy Rebate

Another priority I forgot to mention to ktuu is Thomas' \$500 rebate from surplus... Sounds like his bill is the last one left with any breath and I'd like to see it adopted this session- it's more fair than the income-based bill(s) introduced by others.

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To: "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>, "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>, "Ivy Frye" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 3:11 PM
To: 'saramichellebags@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 4:04 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Ms. Sara Cockeraham
address: 3319 Wells Circle Anchorage AK 99508
907-360-6979

MESSAGE:

Bill SJR 11 was sent to you on March 21st and it is very important that you show your support for our military men and women who served and serve our country. Please sign and press on with the bill titled: Supporting federal funding for veterans' health care and urging the United States Congress to ensure adequate funding for veterans' health care.

My brother, his wife and my sister and her husband thank you. My family thanks you.

saramichellebags@yahoo.com

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From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RTKELLY]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 2:20 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Frye, Ivy J (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

I met w/Rosanne and corrected the info from this e-mail. She was going to talk with you right away.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>
Sent: Mon Apr 07 14:17:57 2008
Subject: Re: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

Thanks ivy- just in time, too!

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From: "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>
Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 13:36:10
To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>
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When Gov. Palin served as mayor and manager of Alaska's fastest growing city she reduced the real property tax six years straight, reduced and eventually eliminated the personal property tax, and eliminated the small business inventory tax and the business license renewal fee in the City of Wasilla. The governor continues to find ways to reduce and eliminate burdensome taxes, and protect Alaskans.

The full list of other governor's bills in (S) FIN include:

2) CON Repeal -- Perhaps most important, Gov. Palin's Alaska Health Care Transparency Act proposes to provide affordable and quality health-care services for all Alaskans. By eliminating CON we allow competition, increase choice, and manage rising costs in health care services provided in Alaska. The public is behind the governor in this effort; legislators should listen to their constituents on this matter.

3) G.O Bond for the crime lab--the current lab is inadequate to efficiently process evidence. The new crime lab will serve every PD and AST detachment in the state for processing evidence for the next 40 yrs. This request is in line with Gov Palin's commitment to providing essential public safety services laid out in Article 1 of the State Constitution.

4) G.O Bonds for transportation projects--this means Dalton Hwy, Parks Hwy, Seward highway will not be improved, among others.

5) Crime Omnibus bill-- this bill strengthens the Alaska criminal code including increasing penalties for domestic violence and prosecuting cases within the State that have already been prosecuted federally including prosecution of public officials.

Divestment from investments in Sudan

6&7) The House and Senate version of the nonunion public employee salary increase are also pending hearing.

8) Alcohol Penalties and Local Option--this bill increases penalties for liquor license holders that sell alcohol to minors. Also increases penalties for bootleggers who break the local option by bringing alcohol into dry communities.

9) Low-income housing/homelessness--this bill creates a fund to address the needs of Alaska's homelessness and allows assistance to supply affordable housing for our less privileged. This bill passed out of Sen Fin today!

10) Natl Guard--allows the governor to delegate to the adjutant general the authority to call up the natl guard, and allows DNR to call on the natl guard to fight fires and pay them at a range equivalent to emergency firefighters.

11) Teachers/Hlth Care professionals loan--this bill has been in S FIN since February. This bill would repeal the sunset provision and would make the program permanent within

AHFC and expands the program to allow more health care professionals to take advantage of housing loans--it's a way to address the severe shortage of health care professionals in our state. Since 2003, 373 teachers and nurses have mortgaged their homes at no additional cost to AHFC or the State.

12) Transportation Fund

13) Operating budget

14) mental health budget

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 12:48 PM

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Frye, Ivy J (DOA); Frank Bailey

Subject: Re: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

I'll do it- pls let me know what the status of many of these issues would be. I'm asking Frank and ivy to run them down for me also because they're very passionate about getting things done this final week of session. I am asking them to assist, as the call went out to commissioners last week to also assist in pressuring lawmakers to do the right thing and progress bills and budgets. It's my decision to request their assistance.

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From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 11:06:41

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

This got kicked back to me - resending

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:02 AM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

All,

Bill McAllister is working on a "one week to go" story -what is done - what is left - what won't get done etc. This seems like a perfect opportunity to talk about Stedman holding bills, the predator control bill and lack of movement on the CON. Thoughts?

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 2:54 PM
To: jerry mccutcheon
Subject: RE: Your UAA veto, thank you

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

From: jerry mccutcheon [mailto:susitnahydrnow@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 1:38 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Dyson, Fred (LAA); Bunde, Con (LAA); Cowdery, John (LAA); Ellis, Johnny (LAA); Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); McGuire, Lesil L (LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Green, Lyda N (LAA); French, Hollis (LAA)
Subject: Your UAA veto, thank you

Governor Palin,

Thank you for vetoing the million dollars for a UAA sports arena last year. Your vote prompted substantial changes, but there no reason to believe they are any better, and it did not answer my questions. Why wasn't there a competition among the Architecture students for sighting and renderings of the proposed new sports arena . No school of Architecture?

Well, isn't a school of Architecture more important than a new sports arena? The UAA has done very well this season in national basketball rankings without a new sports arena. Second, why isn't there a College of Petroleum Engineer at the UAA? The oil companies are all headquartered in Anchorage; there should be a school of petroleum engineering in Anchorage. Governor Palin, why do those who want pursue petroleum engineering or geology have to go to Fairbanks? When one attends the local SPE meetings, one always hears the engineers complaining about having been "volunteered" by the oil companies to go to Fairbanks to teach a class or two.

Why shouldn't the College of Petroleum Engineering in Anchorage be one of the finest in the Nation? The UAF's school of mining engineering was in top 5 in the Nation in Territorial days, now the UAF has closed it. Guess there is no mining in Alaska! Why does the incompetent UAF run the UAA?

It is not too hard to put together a College of Petroleum Engineering when one knows from where to assemble the some of top talent who can recruit the others. Isn't a top-flight College of Petroleum Engineering of more importance to the UAA and Alaska than another sports arena for the UAA. Shouldn't first things come first?

Why cannot the UAA be allowed to have graduate classes so that the UAA is able to award advanced degrees? The unwillingness of the UAF to allow the UAA to award advance degrees costs the UAA, Anchorage and Alaska several hundred million dollars a year in research grants; why is that allowed to happen? Isn't allowing the UAA to participate research and the additional hundreds of millions of dollars it will bring to the UAA, Anchorage and Alaska more

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important than a new sports arena?

Thank you for your attention, your humble constituent, Jerry McCutcheon

You rock. That's why Blockbuster's offering you one month of Blockbuster Total Access, No Cost.

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Cc: "Todd" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

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When Gov. Palin served as mayor and manager of Alaska's fastest growing city she reduced the real property tax six years straight, reduced and eventually eliminated the personal property tax, and eliminated the small business inventory tax and the business license renewal fee in the City of Wasilla. The governor continues to find ways to reduce and eliminate burdensome taxes, and protect Alaskans.

The full list of other governor's bills in (S) FIN include:

2) CON Repeal -- Perhaps most important, Gov. Palin's Alaska Health Care Transparency Act proposes to provide affordable and quality health-care services for all Alaskans. By eliminating CON we allow competition, increase choice, and manage rising costs in health care services provided in Alaska. The public is behind the governor in this effort; legislators should listen to their constituents on this matter.

3) G.O Bond for the crime lab--the current lab is inadequate to efficiently process evidence. The new crime lab will serve every PD and AST detachment in the state for processing evidence for the next 40 yrs. This request is in line with Gov Palin's commitment to providing essential public safety services laid out in Article 1 of the State Constitution.

4) G.O Bonds for transportation projects--this means Dalton Hwy, Parks Hwy, Seward highway will not be improved, among others.

5) Crime Omnibus bill-- this bill strengthens the Alaska criminal code including increasing penalties for domestic violence and prosecuting cases within the State that have already been prosecuted federally including prosecution of public officials.

Divestment from investments in Sudan

6&7) The House and Senate version of the nonunion public employee salary increase are also pending hearing.

8) Alcohol Penalties and Local Option--this bill increases penalties for liquor license holders that sell alcohol to minors. Also increases penalties for bootleggers who break the local option by bringing alcohol into dry communities.

9) Low-income housing/homelessness--this bill creates a fund to address the needs of Alaska's homelessness and allows assistance to supply affordable housing for our less privileged. This bill passed out of Sen Fin today!

10) Natl Guard--allows the governor to delegate to the adjutant general the authority to call up the natl guard, and allows DNR to call on the natl guard to fight fires and pay them at a range equivalent to emergency firefighters.

11) Teachers/Health Care professionals loan--this bill has been in S FIN since February. This bill would repeal the sunset provision and would make the program permanent within AHFC and expands the program to allow more health care professionals to take advantage of housing loans--it's a way to address the severe shortage of health care professionals in our state. Since 2003, 373 teachers and nurses have mortgaged their homes at no additional cost to AHFC or the State.

12) Transportation Fund

13) Operating budget

14) mental health budget

-----Original Message-----

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 12:48 PM

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Frye, Ivy J (DOA); Frank Bailey

Subject: Re: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

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Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 11:06:41

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

This got kicked back to me - resending

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:02 AM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

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Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 1:24 PM
To: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Re: Airline Negotiations

Thank you. Do you have Beedle's resume?

-----Original Message-----

From: Randy Ruaro
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Apr 7, 2008 10:54 AM
Subject: RE: Airline Negotiations

Thanks Governor.

Also, I spoke with Leo yesterday and he and Frank are meeting with Christine today on the issues with the negotiations to get her input. They are hopeful the next round of meetings this week will result in an agreement.

Randy

Also, on the Senator Elton letter regarding AMHS, we should have a response out tomorrow. We need to politely correct a few assumptions Senator Elton made in his letter (It was a MEBA union employee who made the mistake) and further explain what occurred and what steps have been taken to make sure USCG inspections of vessels are properly handled. AMHS is negotiating with MEBA now to get the job duties associated with USCG inspections back to management.

Mike Tibbles will probably also be touching base with you about permission to hire Jim Beedle as the new Deputy Commissioner for AMHS. As I recall his resume, Jim has about 33 years of experience with AMHS. (17 years as a purser, 3-4 years as head of operations, and the last year or so as the special assistant for AMHS)

Randy

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 4:10 PM

To: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)

Subject: Fw: Airline Negotiations

fyi

--- On Thu, 4/3/08, Von Scheben, Leo (DOT) <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov> wrote:

From: Von Scheben, Leo (DOT) <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov>

Subject: Airline Negotiations

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Date: Thursday, April 3, 2008, 3:22 PM

Governor,

Randy Ruaro briefed me on the discussions about airline negotiations and personnel issues. Deputy Commissioner Klein is an asset to DOT&PF. I have generally discussed the negotiations and issues with her since she joined the department in February. Moving forward, I will step up her involvement and seek further input and comments as we continue the negotiations. My goal is to get the best possible result for the state and fair terms for all the airlines.

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

On negotiations with the airlines, I have personally spent countless hours for the last several months working on the issues with Deputy Commissioner Richards. We have been able to reach agreement on many of the terms with the airlines. There are a few key open items we are still working on. These negotiations are particularly hard because the financial interests of the airlines at the table are directly opposite of some of the airlines not at the table. For example, Alaska Airlines wants air cargo carriers who do not use the passenger terminals to pay tens of millions of dollars over the next 23 years for passenger terminal improvements. Alaska Airlines and the other AAAC members became upset with DOT when we disclosed this information to all the other airlines. I strongly feel it would have been unfair to withhold that information. We will continue to be open with information to all airlines that are affected by these negotiations.

I will change our negotiating strategy and relieve some of the pressure on Alaska Airlines and the other members of the AAAC to reach an agreement at our negotiating session later this month.

I will not declare negotiations at an impasse or send a final and best offer to all the individual airlines to review and sign until after you and the chief-of-staff have been fully briefed.

I might add, I believe the next negotiations with the AAAC is going to give me an indication of the AAAC seriousness about coming to agreement and concluding the negotiations. We have been at this two (2) years plus and I feel it is time to conclude these negotiations.

Governor, I assure you that I will continue to be very involved and working hard to negotiate the best possible terms for the state and fair terms for all the airlines.

If you would like to discuss these issues further, please call me. I am available at your convenience.

Leo

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 1:11 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Ivy personal; Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo
Subject: Ktuu

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 2:53 PM
To: jerry mccutcheon
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From: jerry mccutcheon [mailto:susitnahydrnow@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 2:16 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Kookesh, Albert (LAA); Stedman, Bert K (LAA); Huggins, Charlie (LAA); Olson, Donny (LAA); Dyson, Fred (LAA); Stevens, Gary L (LAA); Bunde, Con (LAA); Cowdery, John (LAA); Ellis, Johnny (LAA); Elton, Kim S (LAA); Hoffman, Lyman F (LAA); Wagoner, Tom (LAA); Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); Thomas, Joe (LAA); McGuire, Lesil L (LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Green, Lyda N (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); French, Hollis (LAA); bbragg@adn.com; castlemountaincoalition@yahoo.com; bmcallister@ktuu.com; csb@kbyr.com; greg.johnson@frontiersman.com; cleofus1@hotmail.com; drepasky@ibew1547.org; ebluemink@adn.com; editor@alaskajournal.com; abramstedt@ktuu.com; jackfrost@alaska.com; elvi@alaska.net; bluestate@kudo1080.com; rich@kudo1080.com; val baffone
Subject: Anchorage dock veto, thank you

Governor your veto of the Anchorage dock bonds was more than justified. I question Mayor Begich, at one of his block parties just after he was first elected, about his advocacy of the new dock. I asked Begich just exactly what he was going to put across the new dock that could not be handled by the old dock because Begich had told the press that all kinds of new things were to use the new dock and that was one of the reasons for new dock.. Begich admitted nothing.

Begich then stated the reason for the new dock was because of the new container ships required a larger dock and new cranes. So I went away placated. About 3 months latter there was a short article in the Anchorage News about the largest of the new containerships had just docked at the old dock. So I called the Captain of the new container ship and question him extensively about any difficulties he had docking or unloading. None what so ever! Begich simply lied to the press then lied to me.

Then there was a discussion on the radio about the dock falling apart during an earthquake as stated by local well-established major engineering firm. The person defending the dock said that was not true because one the cells would survive the earthquake. I thought, for only one portion of the dock to survive when we need all the dock space possible after an earthquake, is nuts!

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Now, it is coming out that the users of dock, container ships, did not want the new dock nor the new cranes for the new ship are designed for roll on roll of off loading and unloading and not cranes.

Governor. I think the Anchorage dock requires more than a veto; I think it requires a grand jury investigation not because a crime has been committed but an old fashion grand jury like we use to have that investigated things and publish reports.

Again, thank you for your veto of the Anchorage port bonds

The Dock cartoon should have been labeled Begich's Boondoggle or better Another Begich Boondoggle.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:13 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 7:05 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Mary Ann Greco
address: 45 Ocean Ave. Monmouth Beach NJ 07750
732-229-5491

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin:

Please help!

We need openness and honesty in the White House. Please! Please help in the Honesty Campaign for the White House!

All scholars and great leaders use virtue to balance the human condition. It works. The beauty of virtue is its universality and rooted in all religions.

To dismiss a corrupt activity as "disappointed" is amazing to me. How can we not see what is going on here? We can't have a double-standard in the White House? How can we have people in our government so indifferent to moral behavior and no value for virtue?

Any assistance is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,

Mary Ann Greco

seashores1@verizon.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:47 AM
To: 'mpstjohn@mtaonline.net'
Subject: RE: Budget

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Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 6:29 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Patricia St. John
address: po box 4706 Palmer AK 99645
907-745-2053

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

As a voter, I wanted to say thank you. You are keeping integrity in politics. Both my husband and I like the way you held your ground on the spending requests last week. We both like the fact that you held meetings with our state officials, listening and taking the time to understand their financial requests. I believe you do you have the best interests of Alaskans. Again, thank you.

Patricia St John

mpstjohn@mtaonline.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:42 AM
To: 'williamsrv@mtaonline.net'
Subject: RE: Transportation

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 4:14 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Transportation

Web mail from: Theresa Williams

address: 17736 North Eagle River Loop Rd Eagle River AK 99577
907 694-3429

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor,

We watched with interest and applauded your scalpel work in vetoing portions of the supplemental appropriations bill.

There is another area where your oversight is needed and that is the intention of DOT to double the footprint of Eagle River Loop Rd. in Eagle River.

Nunmerous meetings have been held and the public testimony strongly supports limiting the scope of improvements by having only one bike trail beside part of the road and none at all in the extremely steep portion. In addition the residents are in favor of a lower speed limit on Eagle River Loop Road. After initial hearings DOT agreed at one point that only one bike trail was needed. (These hearings dragged on for over a year).

Later however, DOT reverted to the same plan they started with: a sidewalk/bike trail on BOTH sides of the road from the intersection of Eagle River Loop with the Eagle River Valley Road to the intersection with the Old Glenn. It would not seem to be cost effective to build something extra that the residents don't want and that will require additional maintenance throughout the years.

(Please not: It is probable that even one bike trail may be lightly used since part of the road is extremely steep. Two bike trails are frivolous.

Unlike DOT, Senator Fred Dyson listened to the concerns of the residents and placed limiting language on the appropriations bill when it went through in order to limit

the size of the imprint of the roadway. It is our understanding that the Attorney General's Office has advised DOT they can ignore those restrictions. Even if the Attorney General's opinion is correct and DOT can ignore the language, should they?

It is our belief they should not. They should heed the language inserted by Senator Dyson and to that end we are asking you to intervene.

Thank you for taking the time in your busy schedule to look at this matter.

Theresa and Roy Williams

PS: Even if some of the money for the project is coming from the Federal Government, it is still taxpayer money.

williamsrv@mtaonline.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:20 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: 2008 NACME National Symposium

From: NACME [mailto:enews@nacme.org]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:16 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: 2008 NACME National Symposium

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:15 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: "Navigating the New World Trade Winds", Ralph R. Peterson, Chairman and CEO, CH2M HILL Companies

From: Gil Cisneros [mailto:gil@chamberoftheamericas.com]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:20 AM
To: *****Gil Cisneros
Subject: "Navigating the New World Trade Winds", Ralph R. Peterson, Chairman and CEO, CH2M HILL Companies

Gil,

The speech by Ralph Peterson is attached.

Feel free to re-send it to anyone else.

Thanks.

Francisco

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Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:18 AM
To: 'john.teeter@acsalaska.net'
Subject: RE: Budget

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Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 8:48 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. John Teeter

address: 411 Rhonda St. Fairbanks AK 99712
907-488-3259

MESSAGE:

I want you to know I STRONGLY approve of the way you are handling the Budget! Those vetoed projects have NO business in the Supplemental Budget and should be considered in the Capital Budget if they are needed at all.

This overall budget is getting WAY OUT OF HAND!! This State can NOT afford to maintain all these projects after we build them. I am afraid we are going to be in for a REAL shock in a few years and will have to have numerous taxes to keep the State going. The citizens cannot afford taxes when we are struggling with the High Cost of Home Heating Oil, High Electrical Bills, Much higher Food cost etc. I am a retired person who would very much like to live out my life in this State if I can, I see the State getting all this Oil money from individuals like me and then spending it on climbing walls etc. What a waste!!!

I am for Progress, but it makes me wonder the wisdom of our legislators when I see them in such a RUSH to spend all this money. They all have an EGO Problem as far as I am concerned. You are the ONLY ONE there in Juneau with a sense of mind.

Thank You for fighting the battles of the budget while trying to put Alaskans First. You are the only one who is doing that.

Sincerely,

John F. Teeter

411 Rhonda St.

Fairbanks, AK 99712

john.teeter@acsalaska.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:17 AM
To: 'sailjclc@comcast.com'
Subject: RE: Oil&Gas

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Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 8:30 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Oil&Gas

Web mail from: LC Campbell
address: 29427 19th. Av. So. Federal way WA 98003
253.529.0439

MESSAGE:

Dear Govener,

I have heard about you and your belief in Transparency and honesty in government through my brother who lives in AK on a recent visit. I applaud you efforts and guts to stand up for what's right. There is so much wrong with government and most of it is big money influence.

I know I'm not native of AK but I REALLY admire you--THANKS

sailjclc@comcast.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 9:59 AM
To: 'llcabana@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: Budget

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Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 8:01 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Leroy Cabana
address: po box 49 Homer AK 99603
907-399-1287

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I read on a daliy bases the disagreement between you and our legislators in Juneau concerning overspending. I encourage you to stand your ground, by trying to add unnecessary spending to the state budget and justifying this simply because the oil tax revenue is flowing freely is poor judgement. When any government body gets carried away with spending that cannot be justified this leads to a government for more government as opposed to government for the people. You are the first Alaskan governor since Jay Hammond that is keeping sight of the will of the general public.

Thanks for your service

Leroy L Cabana

llcabana@yahoo.com

Unknown

From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:25 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Persily; Larry A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Arctic Parliamentarians/letter of Invitation

Senator Murkowski's office asked me to send you the attached invitation and agenda for the August meeting in Fairbanks of the Arctic Parliamentarians.

As you will note, the Parliamentarians would like the Governor to give the welcoming remarks on August 12th. The agenda describes a number of interesting issues that will be considered during the meeting.

When convenient, please let me know whether the Governor will participate.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:14 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Education Working Paper Archive: New Papers

From: Department of Education Reform [mailto:edreform@uark.edu]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 7:56 AM
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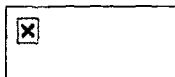
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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:38 AM
To: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: No bear hunting for kids in unit 16

From: Cliff Judkins [mailto:cjudkins@mtaonline.net]
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 12:05 PM
To: aaron bloomquist; Ted Spraker; 'Abed S Radwan'; 'BGabrys@mcc-cpa.com'; 'bill noll';
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Cc: DFG, Commissioner (DFG sponsored); Kelleyhouse, Becky A (DFG); Kelleyhouse, Becky A (DFG);
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 Grussendorf'; Bob Bell; Craig Fleener; Lew Bradley; Dick Burley; Tibbles, Kristy R (DFG)
Subject: Re: No bear hunting for kids in unit 16

Aaron- I heard about this Friday night. I will look in to this issue Monday morning and probably call for an emergency BOG meeting to deal with the issue. I want to talk to the staff first to get there reasoning. I was taken completely by surprise as the BOG had no such intent. Cliff J.

----- Original Message -----

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To: Ted Spraker; 'Abed S Radwan'; 'BGabrys@mcc-cpa.com'; 'bill noll'; 'bobby fithian'; 'bobcuey';
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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 9:24 AM
To: crescent_creek@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Budget

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 05, 2008 12:14 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Ms. Cheryl Grove
address: P.O. Box 520575 Big Lake AK 99652

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Thank you for remaining true to your principles by vetoing projects that seemed to be inappropriately attached to the supplemental budget. I appreciate, respect, and am inspired by your steadfast commitment to safeguarding Alaska's future.

Best Wishes to you and your family.

Namaste`

Cheryl Grove

crescent_creek@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:57 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 05, 2008 11:49 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Bill Bartos
address: 60 Daniel P Conte Court Garfield NJ 07026
2015753145

MESSAGE:

John McCain must appoint you, has his VP nominee..

G-D Bless

Bill

williambartos@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:42 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Todd
Subject: Sched

Tentative: May 24 fairbanks, March of Dimes. Event at Pioneer Park... More info: 276-4111

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:06 AM
To: 'David Stone'
Subject: RE: Yakutat

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From: David Stone [mailto:situkrock1@hotmail.com]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 5:17 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Yakutat

Governor Palin,

I want to thank you for the funding you approved for Yakutat. Also, allowing some of our funding to be put 2009 budget, is appreciated.

Thank you again,

Dave Stone, Mayor

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 9:59 AM
To: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: No bear hunting for kids in unit 16

From: Gary Olson [mailto:golson@growmoremoose.org]
Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 7:07 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Nizich, Michael A (GOV)
Subject: FW: No bear hunting for kids in unit 16

Dear Governor Palin,

I would like to weigh in, regarding the below text, to making sure that Residents under 16 years of age are allowed to hunt over bait stations in Unit 16. I have 3 daughters. The two oldest are 10 and 9 and are soon to join their dad in taking black bears over bait in Unit 16. Please assist the Department of Fish & Game in making sure that this is possible for my daughters and many other families who participate in the Alaska Lifestyle that we know you hold as dear as we do.

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:46 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Provost; Kathryn T (GOV)
Subject: FW: hb200 YEAS: 32 NAYS: 3 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 2

From: Jeff briggs [mailto:briggs@alaskapffa.org]
Sent: Saturday, April 05, 2008 11:33 AM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Cc: Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA)
Subject: hb200 YEAS: 32 NAYS: 3 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 2

Dear Governor Palin-

I am writing to you requesting your support/assistance on scheduling hb200 to be heard in Senate Finance. The couple of times that we have spoke with you on this bill you have expressed that you would support it. It is a much smaller bill than the original draft. We have worked closely with Representative Dahlstrom and her staff who have been working unremittingly on this legislation.

The 90 day session has us worried, this is our fourth year working this issue and I believe that we have a piece of legislation that has the potential to pass.

We are 1 of only 9 States that don't have some sort of presumptive legislation for Fire Fighters.

I am planning on being in Juneau Monday through Friday next week if you would like to meet with me.

Thank you for your support, and keep up the great work!

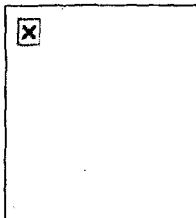
Respectfully submitted,

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:50 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV); Von Scheben; Leo (DOT)
Subject: Support for the Lynn Canal Highway

Please see attached letter sent to Governor Palin, urging her to move the Lynn Canal Highway Project forward with funding as quickly as possible.

Thank you.

Cathie Roemmich

	"There is Strength in Numbers..."
Cathie D. Roemmich Chief Executive Officer	Juneau Chamber of Commerce 3100 Channel Dr., STE 300 Juneau, Alaska 99801
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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:25 AM
To: connie munro; Myrna Brown; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com; Ella Bennett; Thea Brown; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com; angel.culp@goldbelt.com; norman.flood@goldbelt.com; Kathy Miller; peter@kootznoowoo.com; amalia.monreal@searhc.org; Andrew Ebona; Al Mckinley; Donnelly; Bernice M (EED); Robert Loescher; Brad Fleutsch; bethel@gci.net; Chris McNeil; carolee.martin@searhc.org; Doloresa Cadiente; Brown; Darrell (HAL); Don Bremner; Corpuz; Elena (DOA); Ethel Lund; Gomez; Shelly (HSS); gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us; Ishmael Hope; jfjl; Judy Mason; Kolvig; Keitha J (ACS); Michele Metz; Miller; Mary E (DOL); makookesh@hotmail.com; memartin@gci.net; Marietta Hopkins; Norman Sarabia; Percy Martin; pexendine@gci.net; Jackson; Patsy A; Ronald Williams; Ruaro; Randall P (GOV); Renee Culp; Sue Ann Lindoff; Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Vicki Soboleff; Diane Carrier
Cc: Bill Martin
Subject: Re: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 2!

Well Sis,

It's good to know that you could step forward for the ANS it is a wonderful organization. I wish I had more time to commit but at my age I am lucky to have a good job. It gives me a positive feeling to be able to work with troubled youth. My hours are swing hours and I can't seem to make a meeting anymore but I want you to know that without the teachings of ANS and ANB I would not have anything positive to add to anyones life. My heart still has ANB and ANS engraved on it and one day soon I shall return but for now I am committed to my job. It has always been in my heart to give to others what I have learned and I have learned not only to love and forgive but to laugh and smile too. Good job sister.
 Maureen

connie munro <cmunro@gci.net> wrote:

I just emailed you and it came back to thank you Myrna and your family and THCC and here you did it. I printed it out for Emma and hopefully she can come to the ANS Meeting tomorrow evening. You are wonderful. Connie

----- Original Message -----

From: "Myrna Brown"

To: "connie munro" ; ;

"Ella Bennett" ; "Thea Brown"

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; "Kathy Miller" ;

;; "Andrew Ebona"

; "Al Mckinley" ;

; "Robert Loescher" ;

"Brad Fleutsch" ; ; "Chris McNeil"

;; "Doloresa

Cadiente" ; "Brown, Darrell (HAL)"

; "Don Bremner" ; "Corpuz,

Elena (DOA)" ; "Ethel Lund" ;

"Gomez, Shelly (HSS)" ;

; "Ishmael Hope" ;

"jfjl" ; "Judy Mason" ;

; "Maureen Brown" ;

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"Michele Metz" ; "Miller, Mary E (DOL)"
; ; ;
"Marietta Hopkins" ; "Norman Sarabia"
; "Percy Martin" ;
; "Jackson, Patsy A" ; "Ronald
Williams" ; "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)"
; "Renee Culp" ; "Sue Ann Lindoff"
; ; "Vicki Soboleff"
; "Diane Carrier"
Cc: "Bill Martin"
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 9:25 AM
Subject: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 2!

I am extremely fortunate to have been able to be part of this women's conference and was could not have done it without the following: Diane Carrier, Sarah Lampe, my brother William, my sister Laura Sheldon and Myrna Foster. These people are continually stepping forward to make things happen for others. ANS must be proud of sister Sarah Lampe, Grand Camp Sargent At Arms who made a trip over to help and who also brought the seal meat that everyone enjoyed Saturday! I acknowledge President Micalyn Kunz McGhee and her sister Nelly who were very much a part of this picture; they are true inspiration of what ANS is all about. Thank you Connie for your continued respect and for checking on items that needed to be done; you and Emma really shined. I truly love my mom and after hearing her speak will make more time for this wonderful lady so she can expect visits from me. I am glad she is up front and personal; you learn from the best. Last but certainly not least I would like to personally acknowledge President Martin; it is a blessing to be working under his leadership. His genuine concern and support for Elders, youth, family, ANB/ANS and Southeast Native Veterans shows his commitment in making our organization a good one.

I apologize for not making it in Saturday but had 9 grandchildren I was caring for. Our day ended after the free swim for them after 8 PM.

I want to take this time and remind everyone that the last Native Issues Forum is scheduled for April 9th; Senator Kookesh and Representative Bill Thomas. MC Ron Williams. Our menu plans include entree items of Roast w/gravy, stuffing, mashed potatoes, cream style corn, spaghetti w/sauteed onions, green peppers and celery, buttered dinner roll. Dessert: Cake w/strawberry filling. Pork noodles, bac-o salad, macaroni salad, fruit salad and hopefully fresh herring egg salad if it arrives in time from Sitka (donated by Central Council). Thank you!

Thank you.
Maureen Brown

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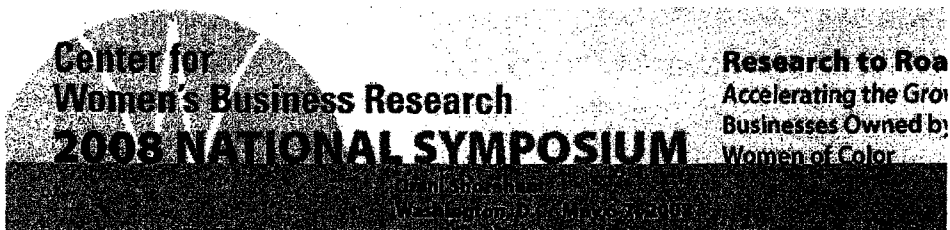
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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:16 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Don't Miss the Women of Color Symposium in May!

From: Sharon Hadary [mailto:symposium@stovellmarketingpr.com]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:39 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Don't Miss the Women of Color Symposium in May!



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Byers, Gail Y (LAW)

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:39 PM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); McBride; Rhonda (GOV)
Cc: Sarah Palin
Subject: State Seal Task Force

The Governor asked that this be forwarded to above parties. Please note that this has not been released yet and is confidential. Thank you, Janice

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:35 PM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Scan

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Date: April 7, 2008
To: Tam Cook, Legal Counsel
From: Rynniva Moss, Legislative Aide
Re: State Seal Task Force

Establishing a task force to make recommendations regarding a new design for the official seal of the State of Alaska.

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

WHEREAS the official seal of the state was designed in 1910 by federal and territorial officials long, forty-nine years before Alaska became the forty-ninth state; and

WHEREAS the seal should represent modern Alaska and its diverse peoples and abundance of natural resources; and

WHEREAS the seal should include recognition of the many Native cultures of Alaska;

WHEREAS, the seal could be redesigned through a process that involves many different segments of the population, including school children, the state's historical library, the Alaska State Council on the Arts, the Alaska Historical Commission, the Alaska Native Heritage Center, and the Pioneers of Alaska;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature establishes in the legislative branch the Task Force on the State Seal whose mission is to gather input from the citizens of Alaska about what the official state seal should look like and to make recommendations to the legislature about a proposed new design for a new official seal for the State of Alaska; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the presiding officers of Alaska State House and the Alaska State Senate shall appoint two members of each body to the task force; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Governor is respectfully requested to appoint a member to the task force; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the presiding officers to jointly appoint a member of the task force to represent the Alaska Heritage Center and a member to represent the Pioneers of Alaska; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force may begin its work immediately upon appointment of four of the seven members specified in this resolution, may select a chair from among its members, may meet between sessions of the legislature, may solicit ideas for the state seal in a manner considered appropriate by the task force, and shall report its recommendations as to a proposed new official state seal to the legislature by the first day of the First Regular Session; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislative Council shall provide reasonably necessary administrative services to the task force upon request of the task force; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of the task force are entitled to reimbursement of travel costs associated with attending meetings of the task force; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force established under this resolution is terminated on the last day of the First Regular Session of the Twenty-Sixth Alaska State Legislature.

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:44 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Eddie Burke

Governor-

Eddie Burke would like to know if you have 10 minutes for him this afternoon. His show is from 2-5. Please let me know.

Sharon Leighow
Deputy Press Secretary
Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage
(907) 465-4031 Juneau
(907) 240-7943 cell

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From: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=AEKREITZER]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 6:05 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: PSEA Contract Done

Governor:

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:33 AM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: death penalty

Dear Governor Palin,

In light of Rep. Chenault's death penalty bill the question has to arise, what is our policy with regard to the death penalty? Are we for or against it? Talis

8/31/2009

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From: McBride, Rhonda (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RMFAUBION]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:00 PM
To: 'Sarah Palin'; 'kristina.perry@alaska.gov'
Subject: Byron Mallott

Reached Byron Mallott by e-mail. He says he would try to make himself available to help with incorporating Alaska Native culture in a seal re-design.

Rhodna

Rhonda McBride
Rural Affairs Advisor
Office of the Governor
Atwood Building, Suite 1700
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Anchorage, Alaska 99501
Tel: (907) 269-7451
E-Mail: Rhonda.McBride@alaska.gov

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From: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RHUGHES]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 6:32 PM
To: 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; 'Ivy personal'; 'Frank Bailey'; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); 'K Perry Yahoo'; 'Todd'
Subject: RE: Lisa KTUU

Wow, what a great way to end the day! :)

Rosanne Hughes
Press Secretary and Communications Director
465-3995

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.palin@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 6:19 PM
To: Ivy personal; Frank Bailey; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); K Perry Yahoo; Todd
Subject: Re: Lisa KTUU

By the grace of God!

-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy personal
To: Frank Bailey
To: Sarah's Personal Email
To: Sharon Leighow
To: rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov
To: K Perry Yahoo
To: Todd
ReplyTo: Ivy personal
Sent: Apr 8, 2008 5:07 PM
Subject: Re: Lisa KTUU

I agree! The 5 o'clock coverage is fantastic-esp. that AGIA has lead us to this point.

-----Original Message-----

From: Frank Bailey
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Nice strong supportive statement by Lisa!

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

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From: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=AEKREITZER]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 3:10 PM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)

Subject: SB 125

Governor:

It appears SB 125 is due to be signed today or become law without your signature. I had hoped that Gina Ragle from Law and the folks in our Division of Retirement & Benefits could be present when you signed it. I don't know if that's still possible, but if it is, please let me know and I would gather them and send them your way. Thank you for your consideration.

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From: Balash, Joseph R (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JRBALASH]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:47 AM
To: Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Thompson; Nan G (DNR); Banks; Kevin R (DNR); Scott; Antony G (DNR); Gibson; Kurtis K (DNR); Laing; Ian M (DOR); 'dfauske@AHFC.state.AK.us'; 'bbutcher@ahfc.state.ak.us'; Anders; Bruce F (DNR); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Davis; Marcia R (DOR)
Subject: RE: Rumor: Two major oil companies to make an announcement tomorrow, Tuesday

Word out of DC has it as BP and Conoco going ahead with the pipeline project. It's third-hand, but the person I spoke to said that the announcement will be that they are going ahead on their own without the State. When I asked whether it's a commitment to build or just a commitment to spend additional funds, they demurred.

Also, it sounds like the congressional delegation is going to take the credit...

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:20 AM
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Sent: Mon Apr 07 19:30:04 2008

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Cc: gov.palin@yahoo.com; ivyfrye@yahoo.com; ftb907@yahoo.com; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: RE: Lisa KTUU

It was incredibly positive coverage! And unless I missed it, nothing on the other press conference. Thank you Jesus!!

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 4:21 PM
To: jmacinak@alaska.net
Subject: RE: Oil&Gas

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 4:29 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Oil&Gas

Web mail from: Mr. John McDowell
address: PO box 91861 Anchorage AK 99509

MESSAGE:

Governor Sarah. I remember back when I was still working,.. and a real good friend of mine named Don Graber, told me that you might make a real good governor. Now me being a Jay Hammond democrat most all my adult life, and you being a republican, ..well I had to think about what Don said. When you did run against the previous governor, and after listening to you, and learning about you, well I joined the rest of most of the folks in Alaska and voted for you. I'm glad I did. I know they are too. You have done more for this state than anyone else since Jay Hammond. I hope you realize what you have helped accomplish for Alaska. I think you do. I just want to thank you for myself, and future generations of Alaskans, for your faith in Alaska and it's people. You have carved your name into Alaskan history... and I'm so glad to have been here as it unfolds. History is being made. Again Sarah,.. thank you.

jmacinak@alaska.net

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From: PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:57 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: State Seal

I'm with ya, no problem.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); McBride, Rhonda (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
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Sent: Tue Apr 08 13:12:15 2008
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To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey; Ivy personal; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Cc: McBride; Rhonda (GOV)
Subject: Re: Seal and preamble

Thank you guys!!!

-----Original Message-----

From: Kris Perry
To: Governor Sarah Palin
To: Frank Bailey
To: Ivy personal
To: Sharon Leighow
To: Rosanne Hughes
Cc: Rhonda (GOV) McBride
Sent: Apr 8, 2008 10:52 AM
Subject: RE: Seal and preamble

Rhonda, we have our statehood celebration meeting Thursday at 1:30 pm. We can brainstorm before and I'd love for you to attend. This is huge!

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
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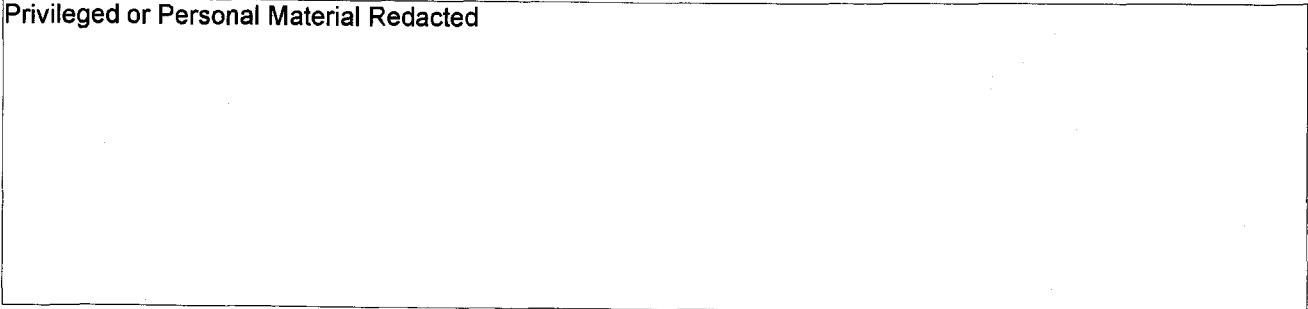
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Cc: "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Seal and preamble

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:51 AM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: death penalty

Well I'm for it if an innocent child is tortured and killed... but I was very surprised at how "out of the blue" the issue seemed to be yesterday in committee.

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From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 08 Apr 2008 09:32:34

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: death penalty

Dear Governor Palin,

In light of Rep. Chenault's death penalty bill the question has to arise, what is our policy with regard to the death penalty? Are we for or against it? Talis

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:11 AM
To: 'bjscoresby@mtaonline.net'
Subject: RE: Natural_Resources

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:35 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Natural_Resources

Web mail from: Bryan Scoresby
address: PO Box 952 Palmer AK 99645
907-746-6521

MESSAGE:

I heard on the news that Cliff Judkins of the Board of Game wants to protect the wildlife on the Tangle Lakes area near Paxton. In reading the news article about it I wonder who we are protecting the wildlife from. Ultimately, the protection is from people. This is already being done by the BLM and the State of AK by limiting access into these areas.

I use this area every fall for my annual moose hunt. I suggest that the area is already adequately "protected" and access is already limited beyond reason. Please resist any efforts to close these areas to sportsman. In fact, I feel it would better serve the citizens to open more of these areas to offroad use.

Sincerely,

Bryan J. Scoresby

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 10:49 AM
To: Frank Bailey; Ivy personal; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
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Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 12:18:54

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: Seal and preamble

Dear Governor Palin,

I spoke with Mr. Barnhill and then he sent the attached email.

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Talis

From: Barnhill, Michael A (LAW)
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 12:11 PM
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Subject: RE: Seal and preamble

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Hope this helps.

Mike B.

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 6:52 PM

To: Barnhill, Michael A (LAW)

Subject: Seal and preamble

Dear Mr. Barnhill,

This is for tomorrow, not today (Sunday).

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Let me know your thoughts (I know you have a blackberry and I hesitate to even send this to you for fear you will try to do something tonight) after today. Thanks Talis

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:46 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 10:48 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Andy Kirkpatrick
address: 1994 Bear Creek Dr. Ontario NY 14519
585-726-2858

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Thank you very much for taking the time to send me your autographed photo, I love it. I don't hear your named mentioned much anymore about you and a Sen. McCain ticket, but I do keep my fingers crossed!

Thanks again!

Yours truly,

Andy Kirkpatrick

akirkker@yahoo.com

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From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JDSCHMIDT]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:13 PM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: RE: heads up

Thank you Governor, you are the best boss a person could have. thanx for the support. We'll continue to do what we know is right and make you proud!

Joe

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tue 4/8/2008 11:26 AM

To: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC)

Subject: Fw: heads up

You're doing an amazing job Joe- and we were just talking about you on the third floor, how much we've appreciated your patience and tolerance for the political shenanigans that go on in Juneau during the session. I've got your back. I support you 100-percent and I don't want you worrying about anything. Mike or you or whomever can brief me more fully on any details here, but please know you have the full Administration's full support. If you want to talk on the phone tomorrow I can have Janice schedule time for that. Hang in there!

-----Original Message-----

From: Janice Mason

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: M Nizich

Cc: Randy Ruaro

Sent: Apr 7, 2008 5:18 PM

Subject: FW: heads up

Governor - FYI - Email from Commissioner Schmidt. Thanks, Janice

From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC)

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 5:02 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: heads up

Hello Governor,

Sorry to bring this to you when you are so busy, but you should have a heads-up. Our correctional Officer union ACOA is rearing up again. They have orchestrated a "vote of no confidence" against me over two primary concerns. First, reductions in staffing and second, employee discipline. They have been in and talked to Randy and Mike Nizich. Their main complaint to Randy and Mike was that they couldn't get a meeting with me, so the next day we offered a meeting. They responded that they have no interest in meeting with me and they would meet with Nizich any time he wanted to talk. They suggested the 23rd because they are going to tally the votes on the 21st, and they intimated that they may call the media after the count. By now you have seen the letter I sent to all staff today and it clearly dispels the reduction in staffing notion. As far as discipline, last year was one of reform. 49 internal investigations, 26 of which resulted in discipline and 4 ended in termination. (Additionally, 2 more quit in lieu of termination, and 2 quit during investigations for their own reasons). Our reports of misconduct slowed in October and we have no new investigations pending now. Even though things are relatively quiet now, the union made their threats in the

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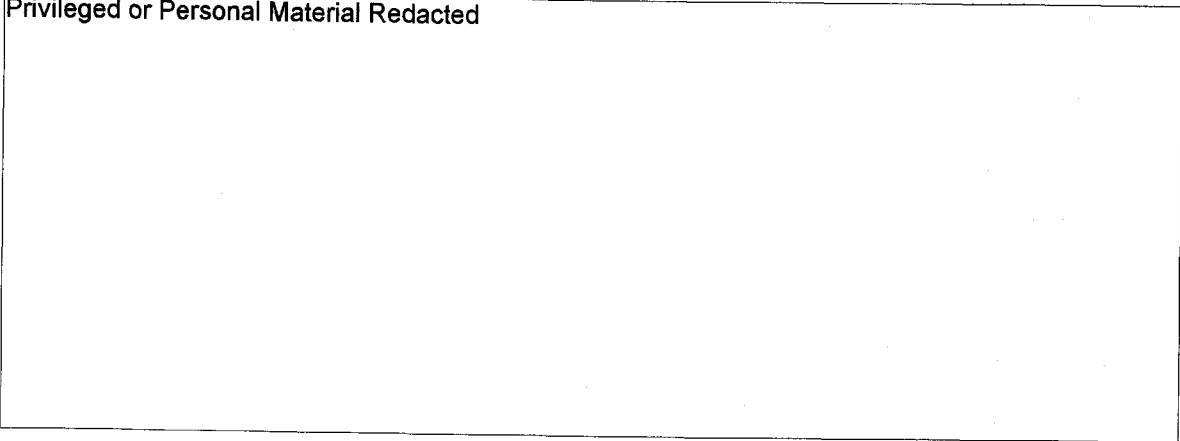
From: Ivy Frye [ivyfrye@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:53 AM

To: Sarah Palin; Todd Palin; Frank Bailey; Kris Perry; jurtis.gibson@alaska.gov; Anders; Bruce F (DNR); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

Subject: AGIA

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One of the few House members to vote against the resolution, Minority Leader Beth Kerttula, D-Juneau, charged Monday that some lawmakers were using the resolution to try to derail the AGIA process.

"I've seen a lot of aspersions and demagoguery and confusion and subterfuge used in the last week," she said at a news conference. "My protest vote was to say, 'We're not going to let this get derailed' — at least I'm not going to."

Kerttula refused to give names but said later she thought there were lawmakers who wanted the AGIA process to fail and were using the resolution as a "smokescreen." She said she was concerned lawmakers would put all the focus on a smaller line and then say they couldn't go ahead with the TransCanada line.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 8:53 AM
To: 'timmy_joanna@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:33 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Joanne Casqueira
address: 1200 E Holland Ave. Wasilla AK 99654
(907) 376-0299

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

My name is Joanne Casqueira, I've lived in Ak for almost 30 years. I raised 4 children in the small town of Big Lake.

Now my youngest Alexander (20 years old) is a proud member of the U.S. Marine Corp. He has already been to Iraq once and is being sent back again, we are all very proud of him!

Unfortunaly, he call me today from Camp Pannelton to see if I could start some sort of "Fund-raising" for him and his troops.

He told me they do not have the proper equipment to fight and stay alive. This broke my heart, so I started calling every buisness in Wasilla asking for their help, Wal-Mart, Fred Meyers, H&R Block, Sears even the Geat Alaska Pizza Company.

Most seem willing to help.

I have set up a account for Alex and his troop through a company based in Ca. called "Combact Ready" in San Clemente.Ca. (949)276-2333, Travis Box or Collin Owens are in charge.Please, if you can help me, help all the young men and women who fight for us and would die for us while asking nothing in return I would be forever grateful. As Alaskan's we need to join together to make sure these brave soldiers have EXACTLY what they need to do their job, that WE sent them there to do. Please Governor Palin, just take one moment to call Travis Box or Collin Owens @ (949)276-2333 and they can tell what and why OUR children need Alaskans to pull together and help.

How sad my son a "Lance Corporal" of the U.S.M.C. had to call his Mother for help, for proper "gear"

Thank-You Joanne Casqueira

timmy_joanna@yahoo.com

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From: gov.palin@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:13 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Travel and First Family living expenses

Sharon- pls see note to Ivy in this email re: Juneau Empire story today. We've been really trying to reign in living expenses to try to set an example for other depts - glad Pat F picked up at least on the travel expenses... there's a lot more to illustrate the committment to doing things different, better, more economically in our admin. Ivy and I had recently been discussing this... if it's something AP or ADN follows up on after Pat's story, I'd be happy to talk to reporters about it. Not to be self-serving, but to show how we believe every little bit will help - everything adds up.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Date: Tue, 8 Apr 2008 15:02:47

To: "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Bues cheese

If the new cheese manufacturer wants us to do anything with them to help kick off their venture(if you think it's a good idea), pls ket Kyle know we can come cut a ribbon or something when session ends. Does Franci support this venture? Kristan?

Ivy- there's a good Juneau E article about travel costs plummeting since we got elected. If AP elaborates on it we can point out other reductions in costs/living expensives like travel, security detail, housing expenses (the state doesn't rent an Anchorage apartment anymore), food and entertainment, etc. Just an idea for Quinn to show we're trying to reign it in.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:24 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Weekly: The Paulson Blueprint

From: membership@uschamber.com [mailto:membership@uschamber.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 8:44 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
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FIGHTING FOR YOUR BUSINESS

The Paulson Blueprint

By Tom Donohue

Treasury Secretary Henry Paulson recently announced a sweeping plan to overhaul the rules and structures governing our financial markets. Many of the Secretary's recommendations were based on ideas the U.S. Chamber and others have suggested.

Secretary Paulson deserves great credit for moving the debate forward by proposing a thoughtful and comprehensive plan to modernize and streamline the financial regulatory structure. Current U.S. financial services regulation is a patchwork of federal and state regulatory authorities with overlapping jurisdiction, inconsistent rules, and a hodgepodge of regulatory philosophies. As new financial services, products, and instruments have emerged, government has failed to adapt to changing times and is stuck in a system designed for the economy of the 1930s.

[Join the conversation.](#)

Lights, Camera, Action!

Chamber Partners with National Geographic on Groundbreaking Film

The movie, *Illicit: The Dark Trade*, begins airing on PBS on April 16 ([check your local listings](#)) and is based on Dr. Moisés Naim's best-selling book *Illicit*, which links IP theft to other illicit activities around the world, including arms and human trafficking, terrorism, child labor, and drug trade. The global value of this "dark trade" is estimated to be as much as \$3 trillion and accounts for as much as 10% of the world's trade.

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—Chamber Executive Director of Small and Mid-Market Business Councils Giovanni Coratolo quoted in *CongressDaily* on April 2 on a bill proposal to increase reporting of businesses' credit card sales and other forms of electronic payment.

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Here are a few of the exclusive stories appearing on our Web site this week. Visit uschambermagazine.com for the very latest news, updates, and special features.

Chamber Members Meet With President on Economic Stimulus

U.S. Chamber members told the president on April 7 that they will be able to buy more equipment and invest in more technology thanks to the Chamber-backed Economic Stimulus Act of 2008. Chamber small- and mid-sized business members from the Boston, Minneapolis, Dallas, and Washington, D.C. areas met with President Bush at the White House, and provided him with specific anecdotes of how the plan will stimulate their businesses.

Future of Airline Industry Discussed at Chamber Summit

The heads of two U.S. airlines clashed over whether the industry should consolidate to counter soaring costs and stiffer competition during separate speeches at the U.S. Chamber of Commerce's annual aviation summit on April 3.

ILR Fights Plaintiffs' Bar Efforts to Remove Arbitration Option

The Chamber's Institute for Legal Reform (ILR) released two reports last week illustrating the widespread public support for the use of arbitration over litigation in consumer and employee disputes.

Opportunity

Ask the Experts

With six months to go in the elections, everyone is focused on the question: How will health care reform impact small and medium businesses?

On April 16, in conjunction with America's Small Business Summit, the Chamber's Council on Small Business will host a live Web cast featuring Humphrey Taylor, chairman of the Harris Poll, and often-quoted expert and author on health care reform. Mr. Taylor will be joined by representatives from each of the three presidential candidates, and together they will provide insight on the health care landscape, proposed changes, and how they might impact your business.

The panelists will be answering questions—and that is where you come in. If you have a question on how the candidates' health care proposals may affect your business, you can send it to us in three ways:

1. Post your question in a comment.
2. E-mail the question or the link to a YouTube video question to webmaster@uschamber.com.
3. Call in with your question to 202-887-3439.

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Event

National Healthcare Decisions Day Set for April 16

The U.S. Chamber, along with other national, state and community organizations, is leading a massive effort to highlight the importance of advance healthcare decision-making. National Healthcare Decisions Day on April 16 is an effort to encourage discussion among families, friends and loved ones about the need for advance directives regarding medical treatments.

The Chamber encourages its members to talk to their employees about making their medical wishes known in advance and take advantage of the resources available on the web to establish advance directives.

[Learn more about the effort online.](#)

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:04 AM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Alaska Conservation Alliance Revised Comments on SB221 as Ammended by Senate

From: Sue Ely [mailto:suzie.ely@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 4:18 PM
To: Mike Chenault; Kevin Meyer
Cc: Bill Stoltze; Richard Foster; Mike Hawker; Mike Kelly; Bill Thomas, Jr.; Harry Crawford; Les Gara; Reggie Joule; Mary Nelson; Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)
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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:59 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; 'ivyfrye@yahoo.com'; 'krisandclark@yahoo.com'; 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Cc: Gibson; Kurtis K (DNR)
Subject: RE: AGIA "PR"

Cockerham should be ashamed. I do not know how he learned about it.

His first foul was an implication that we are cherry-picking out of state. "The contract for "AGIA communications consultant services" is not being publicly bid." The DNR procurement officer (not me) researched in-state firms and sent notifications to the top three, as well as one out-of-state firm.

His second foul is to try to spin negatively our need for yet another consultant to add to the slew of them we already have. Here is the last email I sent him, on 4/3, after he indicated to me that he thought it sounded like we were hiring a "PR firm":

"Sean,

A "PR firm" is hired to actually spread information, widely, to the public to gain public awareness, to promote a story. By contrast, a "communications consultant" would provide us expertise and guidance on who and how to alert media outlets about a story (should there be one), to give media the opportunity to pick up the story if it is compelling, whereupon the story is carried under its own momentum; the latter does not contemplate the need for anybody to "push" the story, but rather to alert media to the existence of the story, allowing them to decide whether to pursue it. This distinction is very important, since we are not interested in paying anybody to advertize or promote our Findings decisions to the public."

Third, he failed to pick up on a point I was clear and emppatic about, which is that we are only doing this because when Kurt and I travel around the country, it has been shocking to us how little people know about our project, and what it could do for America. Clearly, I told him, we need an expert to help us reach media who can help us help the nation. This would have been an obvious rejoinder to the Hawker garbage. But Sean elected not to carry that quote.

Just got Kurt's email. Yes, happy to join a call to Sean.

Bruce

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Sent: Tue Apr 08 07:25:42 2008

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Date: Tue, 8 Apr 2008 14:21:13

To: "Marty Rutherford" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>, "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Bruce Anders" <bruce.anders@alaska.gov>, "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: AGIA "PR"

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:54 AM
To: gov.palin@yahoo.com; Ivy personal; K Perry Yahoo; Frank Bailey; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Anders; Bruce F (DNR)
Subject: RE: AGIA "PR"
Governor, et. al.

I'm happy to talk to Sean about this. It appears to me that he's deliberately played up the PR angle in spite of our abundance of caution in discussing the outreach effort with him. Bruce and I repeatedly explained to him the difference between hiring an expert in communications and launching a PR campaign, including the use of examples. I'm very disappointed in Sean and the ADN. It's clear that Sean was intent on using the term PR despite its inaccuracy.

Sharon, Bruce - the gasline communications team should contact Sean this morning and express our disappointment. What he's done is dishonest. Let me know your availability.

Kurt

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Cc: Anders, Bruce F (DNR); Gibson, Kurtis K (DNR)
Subject: Fw: AGIA "PR"

Sharon- gasline team is very disappointed that someone contacted ADN to spin the "PR" firm story into something negative. I need you to discreetly find out who talked to Sean C about this and released it as a negative story. I have a feeling who may have done it, to make the gasline team look bad, but I need proof of it so I can deal with it.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Date: Tue, 8 Apr 2008 14:21:13
To: "Marty Rutherford" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>, "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Bruce Anders" <bruce.anders@alaska.gov>, "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>
Subject: AGIA "PR"

How did Sean C. think to do a story today in ADN on your solicitation of outside PR firm? And are all local firms excluded?

Wondering how it became a story today, who called him.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:11 AM

To: 'Tony Russ'

Subject: RE: Bear baiting in unit 16

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

From: Tony Russ [mailto:aruss@mtaonline.net]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 10:27 AM

To: Kelleyhouse, Becky A (DFG); Kelleyhouse, Becky A (DFG); Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Rep_Craig_Johnson@legis.state.ak.us; Johnson, Craig W (LAA); DelFrate, Gino (DFG); Hilderbrand, Grant (DFG); Soukup, Jerry L (DFG)

Subject: Bear baiting in unit 16

ADF&G Personnel, Is it true you eliminated bear baiting for sport hunters in Unit 16? If so.. Why? That would be entirely contrary to the decisions of the BOG in the recent meetings, and forever I believe. Please fix this now. Bear baiting season starts very soon, so don't delay.

Tony Russ

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From: Cayce, Sunny C (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SCCAYCE]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 1:54 PM
To: Provost; Kathryn T (GOV)
Cc: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Other

Apparently this is done through Public Safety.

Sunny

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:36 PM
To: 'nngates@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:01 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Nancy Gates
address: 6285 N. Wolverine Rd. Palmer AK 99645
(907) 745-8636

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I am in the process of updating next year's 32nd Edition of The Alaska Almanac. One segment of the Almanac deals with Alaska's Medal of Heroism.

Can you please tell me if there have been any Medal of Heroism awarded more recently than the one given to Keira Lestina in 2003? If so, could you have someone send me the name of the recipient, a brief description of the circumstance resulting in the award, and the year it was given?

Thank you very much for your help.

Nancy Gates, Editor

The Alaska Almanac

Alaska Northwest Books

nngates@yahoo.com

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From: Rowland, Mindy B (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MBROWLAND]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 6:30 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Alaska Map w/ Per Capita Capital Approps.

Hi Governor,

You had asked for a visual representation of the per capita budget appropriations of the House Finance CS. I got with Andy and he worked up a really great Alaska map and punched in the numbers I gave him. He tells me that it takes about 2 hours to have it printed so we'll want to make sure we can get the timing right so you have it for use in a press conference before the bill hits the House floor (I'm assuming this is the reason for your request).

I've attached the graph but I don't know if you can view it from your Blackberry. We're in a bit of a holding pattern here at the office right now and I'd be happy to run a paper copy over to you at the House if you'd like.

Please let me know what you decide.

Thanks
Mindy

Mindy Rowland
Deputy Legislative Director
Office of Governor Sarah Palin
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From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MANIZICH]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 2:52 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: FW: Guardian Flight Press Release
Importance: High

The latest on MAST

From: Pierre, Mchugh (ANG)
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 2:46 PM
To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Cramer, John W (MVA); Campbell, Craig (MVA); Katkus, Tom BG NGAK (DMVA Sponsored)
Subject: FW: Guardian Flight Press Release
Importance: High

Guardian Flight service is trying to put together a coalition, with State Troopers, to provide air ambulance services to interior Alaska. They bought a helicopter for use in the Fairbanks area and have not officially signed a contract with the US Army. Also, Sen. Wilken has been working very closely, as you all know, with us and is very upset about the Rep. Kawasaki reference in the 5th graf of the press release sent out today by Guardian. Thanks,

McHugh Pierre

Director of Public Relations & Legislative Liaison
Alaska Department of Military and Veterans Affairs
907-321-2179 cell
907-465-4402 Juneau office

-----Original Message-----

From: Chris Freiberg [mailto:Cfreiberg@newsminer.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 1:55 PM
To: djohnson@iremasc.org
Subject: Fwd: Guardian Flight Press Release

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Robert Bonestroo" <rbonestroo@qfaircare.com>
Date: April 9, 2008 1:36:18 PM AKDT
To: <Cfreiberg@newsminer.com>
Subject: Guardian Flight Press Release

Guardian Flight Inc. is pleased to announce the introduction of a civilian helicopter EMS program to Interior Alaska. With the US Army MAST helicopter program set to depart permanently on July 1, emergency services in the interior are faced with an enormous void in their ability to locate and rescue the ill and injured. Guardian Flight, the largest, most experienced and only CAMTS accredited critical care air ambulance based in the interior, will be providing the medical infrastructure as well as highly trained medical specialists to staff a helicopter provided by Air Logistics, a vendor with its own long history of Interior service. Since the 1970's, the MAST program has provided the vast interior of Alaska with superior helicopter air medical services,

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searching for and rescuing lost hikers, victims of remote ATV and plane crashes, as well as those injured in motor vehicle collisions on remote highways. With extraordinarily skilled flight crews and the singular capabilities of the Blackhawk helicopter, both residents of, and visitors to the interior could always count on MAST to provide help from above when the chips were down.

However, with MAST's announcement of their planned departure, the interior of Alaska was left scrambling for an alternative. There were no easy answers since MAST has provided the backbone of the Troopers search and rescue capabilities in addition to providing medevac services for their own military personnel. And virtually all of the individual EMS groups in the interior have benefited in the past as well.

"We will require the support of the state, the military, local EMS, as well as the community at large to make this a viable entity" says Guardian Flight's owner and president Dr. Eric Stirling. "The costs of a helicopter program are otherwise prohibitive. But with adequate support, we feel that we can provide a significant majority of the services currently performed by MAST."

Scott Kawasaki, state representative from Fairbanks has taken an active role in garnering governmental support for the forthcoming program. With a past that has included working in the emergency department at Fairbanks Memorial Hospital, Scott has a unique appreciation for the interior's emergency medical needs. "I've met with Scott and he has been nothing but supportive and helpful" says Dr. Marc Dumas, the new program's medical director and former civilian medical director of MAST. "We're hoping that the state will be able to step up to the plate and provide some significant degree of support. With Scott on our side, we're that much closer."

Guardian Flight has been providing fixed-wing critical care air ambulance services to the interior for more than 10 years. Air Logistics of Alaska, a Bristow company, entered the Alaska market in 1977. Air Log's core business is helicopter transportation services targeted to Alaska's oil and gas and related support industries. This will be their first foray into the medevac arena in Alaska.

Thanks,

Marc

Marc Dumas, MD, FACEP, FAAEM

Flight Physician

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From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 2:22 PM
To: 'Sarah Palin'; 'krisandclark@yahoo.com'; 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'; 'ivyfrye@yahoo.com'
Subject: FW: Mike Heimbuch's opinion piece

Mike's final that went in the Clarion on spending and locally supported priorities.

From: Jane Alberts [mailto:Jane_Alberts@legis.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 2:11 PM
To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Subject: re: Mike Heimbuch's opinion piece

Hi Frank:

Hey, just wanted to thank you for getting Mike to write this piece. Nice to see this sentiment voiced once in awhile. I lived in Homer, too, for 17 years, and can concur with his view of this. And I sometimes wonder how much the public really knows or approves of, when it comes to state spending, other than what they ultimately read in the papers.

'Fluffy stuff' should be determined by the voters

http://peninsulaclarion.com/stories/040908/letters_4846.shtml?p

Have a nice day!

Jane

Jane Alberts
Aide to Senator Con Bunde, District P
Alaska State Capitol
Juneau, Alaska 99801
907-465-4843
907-465-3871 FAX

Web posted Wednesday, April 9, 2008

'Fluffy stuff' should be determined by the voters

Senator Bert Stedman in Juneau has been defending his proposed district projects and fighting with the governor over her veto threats. In the newspaper he says: "I can defend and justify every project in that district. You'll see there is no fluffy stuff."

Stedman's words reflect part of a problem with public spending, and Homer residents may have provided a suitable response with their recent vote on a bond issue.

Legislators are the focal point for projects originated by municipalities and other interest groups.

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Certainly these groups don't see their projects as "fluffy stuff," nor do we expect them to since these projects often make it onto CIP wish lists of a city or borough. But that may not be sufficient proof of public need or community support.

In Homer this last month, by a 2-1 margin, voters rejected an \$8 million bond for a new city hall and town center. This project had support of the Legislature, university, city government and several interest groups, stretching back many years.

The Homer vote can be instructive for us. Often times the very people who bring projects forward for public funding have not measured the will of the people. The fact that an interest group or local government has a decent purpose in mind is not adequate reason to hold the public treasury hostage or badger people into spending it.

It may be difficult to see why a governor might personally agree with and support the public purpose of a project ,, and yet find reason to disapprove spending public money on it. It is simply because the governor is not elected to impose their personal preferences upon the public or hand out some yearly allowance to well-behaved children. People expect the governor to apply a consistent and defensible approach for measuring public need prior to spending public money.

To the extent that election of a governor reflects the will of the people ,, so then must the people's will be reflected in the veto pen of the governor.

Mike Heimbuch

Homer

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:13 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: DC Office/Staff - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

>>> On 4/9/2008 at 11:36 AM, in message <636261140-1207755426-cardhu_decombobulator_blackberry.rim.net-1534343624-@bxe014.bisx.prod.on.blackberry>, <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> wrote:

Thank you John. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 11:21:37

To: "Michael Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Mike Nizich" <Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry"

<kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: DC Office/Staff - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

As you know, Allison Nyholm and Sam Bishop will be leaving this = office on June 1st and July 1st, respectively. Accordingly, I = recommend Privileged or Personal Material Redacted as replacements. Their = resumes are attached.

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I would be glad to discuss the reasons for my recommendations in greater detail. If possible, I would appreciate your early consideration of these recommendations, as both individuals will need to make personal arrangements.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

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From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 3:57 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Cc: 'Sarah Palin'; Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: SB 59

Russ,

As you know I met with Gold Cache Bingo, Anchorage Bucs and the Independent Blind groups today. All entities are non-profits impacted by charitable gaming; relying on raffles and pull-tabs for revenue. They wanted to express their support for SB 59. In their opinion it doesn't expand gambling; it increases the threshold from \$1 million to \$2 million which they say hasn't been increased since at least 1987. They said that because there hasn't been an increase, with inflation and the increased cost of doing business, they are actually losing money in some cases. This bill provides for inflation proofing.

Aside from the increase and the allowance of the cabbage classic, I'm not overly familiar with all the details of the bill. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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Office of Governor Sarah Palin &
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From: Kari Spencer [kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 09, 2007 12:55 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: 'Michael Tibbles'
Subject: Leo von Scheben Mother has passed away
Importance: High

Hi Governor. I received word today that DOTPF Commissioner Leo von Scheben's Mother (age 92) has passed away. I do not know any other details, Russ was going to ask around. His cell is 321-2047 if you want to give him a call.

Kari Spencer
Governor's Scheduler
907-465-3986 phone; 907-465-3889 fax

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Unknown

From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:31 PM
To: gov.palin@yahoo.com
Subject: FW:

From: Richard Rohrer [mailto:RRohrer@alaska.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:07 PM
To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Subject:

Frank,

Just one more item of interest about the BGCSB. At least four of us are Christians (Real Born Again Kind). In addition to us four Kevin Saxby (Dept of Law) is also a mature Christian. I'm sure this has a lot to do with how well the board works together.

Dick

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:26 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Diomede

Importance: High

Pls have pens and pins for Elan to take to the Lil Dim school kids. Thanks

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 3:52 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)
Subject: Fw: CON

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Wed, 9 Apr 2008 21:54:12

To: "Karleen Jackson" <karleen.jackson@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Anna Kim" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Subject: CON

Just for clarification again- lawmakers need to know there's no change with my CON position- I'm still convinced repeal of CON is key to long-range solution on health care strategies. I still desire a huge push at the end here, without compromise, to see CON repealed.

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From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 12:21 PM
To: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Sure is.

His son Dan was trying to convince candidate Sarah into doing the survival suit races with him for crab fest in '06.

Fun stuff.

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----- Original Message -----

From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Sent: Wed Apr 09 11:36:54 2008
Subject: FW: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

FYI

Richard is a great guy!

From: Richard Rohrer [mailto:RRohrer@alaska.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 11:04 AM

To: Coghill, John (LAA); Buch, Bob (LAA); Crawford, Harry (LAA); Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA); Doogan, Mike (LAA); Edgmon, Bryce E (LAA); Fairclough, Anna (LAA); Foster, Neal (LAA); Gara, Les (LAA); Gardner, Berta (LAA); Gatto, Carl (LAA); Guttenberg, David (LAA); Harris, John (LAA); Holmes, Lindsey (LAA); Ramras, Jay B (LAA); Kawasaki, Scott Jw (LAA); Kelly, Mike (LAA); Kerttula, Beth (LAA); Ledoux, Gabrielle R (LAA); Lynn, Bob (LAA); Meyer, Kevin G (LAA); Nelson, Mary (LAA); Joule, Reggie (LAA); Salmon, Woodie W (LAA); Stoltze, Bill (LAA); Thomas, Bill (LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Dyson, Fred (LAA); French, Hollis (LAA);

Hoffman, Lyman F (LAA); Kookesh, Albert (LAA); McGuire, Lesil L (LAA); Olson, Donny (LAA); Stevens, Gary L (LAA); Wagoner, Tom (LAA); Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA); Thomas, Joe (LAA); Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Dear Legislators,

I am contacting you to encourage your vote to confirm Brenda Rabner's appointment to the Big Game Commercial Services Board. At our recent board meeting in Fairbanks Brenda was seated beside me giving me an opportunity to interact with her about Guided, Sport and Subsistence hunting. I was impressed with how quickly she understood the issues the board was addressing and I believe she will bring a very valuable view to the board.

Some of you have no doubt heard how well the BGCSB members have worked together. Brenda Rabner will be a strong voice for the large Private Landowners in the State and also work well with the existing board members.

Please vote yes to confirm Brenda's appointment.

Thank You, Richard Rohrer (Dick)

Master Guide # 69

Member Big Game Commercial Services Board

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From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV) [russ.kelly@alaska.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:42 PM

To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored);
Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)

Subject: HB 325 Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing

S FIN is now scheduled to hear HB 325, Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing Loan tomorrow.
This is one of our bills.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 12:16 PM
To: 'barnett@kalama.com'
Subject: RE: Other

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Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 12:13 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: shannon barnett
address: 503 Mountain View Rd Kalama WA 98625
360 957 3538

MESSAGE:

can you have your scheduler call me to talk about a speaking request of the governor?

shannon
3609573538

barnett@kalama.com

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 9:04 AM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Re: D.C.

I couldn't imagine my kids not growing up with their cousins. It's a very precious part of their upbringing.

But won't your mother-in-law wring your neck if you're a few thousand miles away?

----- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wed Apr 09 08:57:33 2008
Subject: RE: D.C.

Governor,

I really appreciate those words of encouragement...and your support for the move.

I still regret how it came out...and wish I had had the opportunity to explain our reasoning for being interested in the move...before you heard from John. I thought we had all been clear on the plan to wait, internally, but I also understand John's desire to quickly move things along and solidify his team.

Suffice to say, Ellen and I are interested in the move for a variety of reasons, and not the least of which is that my entire family is on the East Coast. My mother is moving soon from N.H. and will be only a short trip north of D.C. It gives me the opportunity to serve Alaska and still be within short trips of my rather large family (Gus and Joshua have 17 cousins). We've missed them very much.

Thank you again for your understanding about the mix-up on communications, and for your support of this decision. I am forever grateful for the opportunity to serve this office and this state that has been so good to me and my family. It will be an honor to continue that service in our nation's capital.

Russ

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:37 AM

To: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Subject: Re: D.C.

Don't feel bad about this at all. Russ- if you and your family are feeling led to broaden your horizons, take on new challenges, and go through an open door that is there before you, then you are wise to seek confirmation on this and, then, to grab it!

You and Ellen are at a cool point in life where you're seeing new chapters unfold. If working together in DC for Alaska's benefit is appealing to you, I support you and it can be a very good thing for you and our state.

Thank you!

----- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed Apr 09 08:29:42 2008

Subject: D.C.

Governor,

I'm sorry for the mix-up. The D.C. discussion was supposed to occur after session. I was going to ask your permission, once the dust had settled...next week.

I apologize for not having brought it up before you heard from John. That was not my intention and I feel badly about it.

Russ

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 7:08 PM
To: Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)
Subject: Re: Alaska Map w/ Per Capita Capital Approps.

Could you give me a call .

Thanks.

Todd Privileged o

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Rowland, Mindy B (GOV)" <mindy.rowland@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 18:29:34

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: Alaska Map w/ Per. Capita Capital Approps.

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Thanks

Mindy

Mindy Rowland

Deputy Legislative Director

Office of Governor Sarah Palin

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:44 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored);
Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
Subject: Re: HB 325 Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing

Thank you

----- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)

Sent: Wed Apr 09 16:41:36 2008

Subject: HB 325 Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing

S FIN is now scheduled to hear HB 325, Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing Loan tomorrow. This is one of our bills.

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From: PAUL KENDALL [pauldkendall@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 9:47 PM
To: Stedman; Bert K (LAA)
Cc: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Rep_john_harris@legis.state.ak.us; rep_ralph_samuels@legis.state.ak.us; wasilla; rep_bob_lynn@legis.state.ak.us; rep_david_guttenburg@legis.state.ak.us; rep_john_coghill@legis.state.ak.us; rep_les_garra@legis.state.ak.us; rep_mike_hawker@legis.state.ak.us; rep_sharon_cissna@legis.state.ak.us; Gatto; Carl (LAA); Johnson; Craig W (LAA); Harris; John (LAA); Meyer; Kevin G (LAA); representative_les_gara@legis.state.ak.us; Holmes; Lindsey (LAA); Gruenberg; Max F (LAA); Chenault; Mike (LAA); Doogan; Mike (LAA); rep_Mark_Neuman@ligis.state.ak.us; rep_peggy_wilson@legis.state.ak.us; Bunde; Con (LAA); Dyson; Fred (LAA); Wielechowski; Bill (LAA); Stevens; Gary L (LAA); Wilken; Gary R (LAA); Therriault; Gene (LAA); French; Hollis (LAA); Ellis; Johnny (LAA); Elton; Kim S (LAA); Green; Lyda N (LAA); senator_thomas_wagoner@legis.state.ak.us; Huggins; Charlie (LAA); bwhite@adn.com; gary.thomas@homernews.com; joe; kari.sleight@frontiersman.com; letters@newsminer.com; lori.evans@homernews.com; mark.kelsey@frontiersman.com; mike; news@alaskastar.com; news@peninsulaclarion.com; nugget@nomenugget.com; bob_ormberg; realnews@deltadiscovery.com; rhowell@alaskanewspapers.com; shannon@kudo1080.com; anchtimes@alaska.net

Subject: ref: bill 152

Date: 4-9-08

inference to bill 152 on renewable energy,,, i have not read it so my opologies..

i did want to comment so i drafted these short notes for your committee to consider.

Please accept these for the record as my testimony in case i am unable to testify tomorrow..again...

Thank You again.

I hope some day you all can escape from your captivity in Juneau and return to your "homeland in the heart of Alaska area" where 85% + of your people eagerly await and hope for your wellbeing and prosperous return; so we can participate along side you all in a more rewarding and sharing attempt to help in the history of building a great country state like Alaska where our fathers and mothers came to be a more free people, an honest people, with a government by, for and of the people !

I realize I am unworthy of this attempt to remind you all of your absence from your obligation to your people; given your great lineages of contributions to Alaskas history...

But it seems to me that most great societies failed without being connected to their citizens accountability.....I never saw a great battle or struggle fought between good and evil without the heroes being in the midst of the battle with their people...in the frey..

Respectfully,

One only and lonely Alaskan citizen who misses being able to so readily give our great leaders a hard time because they are working so hard, so far, far away, in a really neat, pretty, warm, friendly,distant, unaccessible, remote, little tourist town with the .05% of the creme de la creme aristocracy; While i SLOG back and forth, to and fro from my humble abode to the LIO only to no avail, again and again the ability to humbely contribute to my community of the Great State of Alaska and Our Great Leaders quest to find justice and better society for us all....

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Paul D. Kendall
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From: PAUL KENDALL [pauldkendall@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:43 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Alaska the New Energy base society
To. Governor Palin
From: Paul D. Kendall
Date: 4-9-08

Please accept my opinions on Alaska, the Atlantis of Energy
Alaska, Energy Genesis
Genesis, Alaska Energies

thought you all might enjoy these thoughts...

Paul D. Kendall

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Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:43 AM
To: McBride; Rhonda (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: State Seal Task Force

Pls let the other folks know you're doing this- and I'll hand this off now. Thanks!

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-----Original Message-----

From: "McBride, Rhonda (GOV)" <rhonda.mcbride@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 08:19:06

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: State Seal Task Force

I will call the offices of Joule & Coghill this morning.

Thanks,

Rhonda

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com <mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com>]

Sent: Wed 4/9/2008 8:05 AM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Colberg, Talis J (LAW); K Perry Yahoo; McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Cc: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Subject: Re: State Seal Task Force

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From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 08 Apr 2008 14:31:07

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: State Seal Task Force

Comments from AG - Janice

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:09 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: RE: State Seal Task Force

Dear Janice,

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:39 PM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Cc: ExternalEmailgsp

Subject: State Seal Task Force

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:35 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Scan

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:41 AM
To: Katz; John W (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: DC Office/Staff - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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-----Original Message-----

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 11:21:37

To: "Michael Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Mike Nizich" <Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: DC Office/Staff - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

As you know, Allison Nyholm and Sam Bishop will be leaving this = office on June 1st and July 1st, respectively. Accordingly, I = recommend **Privileged or Personal Material Redacted**
Privileged or Per Their = resumes are attached.

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I would be glad to discuss the reasons for my recommendations in greater detail. If possible, I would appreciate your early consideration of these recommendations, as both individuals will need to make personal arrangements.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:41 AM
To: skytruck@cis-broadband.com
Subject: RE: Budget

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:24 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Wells Carswell
address: 6566 S. Patriot Pl. Hereford AZ 85615
520-226-6846

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on your veto of the \$58 million earmark spending. It took a great deal of intestinal fortitude to take that step. As an ex-Alaska resident I am always interested in what is happening in "our" state. The other states in the US of A need more leadership like you have shown. Keep up the good work.

Respectfully

Wells G "Bill" Carswell

skytruck@cis-broadband.com

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:37 AM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Re: D.C.

Don't feel bad about this at all. Russ- if you and your family are feeling led to broaden your horizons, take on new challenges, and go through an open door that is there before you, then you are wise to seek confirmation on this and, then, to grab it!

You and Ellen are at a cool point in life where you're seeing new chapters unfold. If working together in DC for Alaska's benefit is appealing to you, I support you and it can be a very good thing for you and our state.

Thank you!

----- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Wed Apr 09 08:29:42 2008
Subject: D.C.

Governor,

I'm sorry for the mix-up. The D.C. discussion was supposed to occur after session. I was going to ask your permission, once the dust had settled..next week.

I apologize for not having brought it up before you heard from John. That was not my intention and I feel badly about it.

Russ

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:34 AM
To: 'sean_winschel@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 6:19 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. sean winschel

address: 1216 bainbridge blvd fairbanks AK 99701
9073746650

MESSAGE:

hello! I need help and I'm trying to pull strings. My wife jennifer l winschel is currently active duty, she has been stationed at Army Bassett Hospital since 2002. we are on our 2nd tour. she has been assigned orders to ft. Hood Texas. We have four wonderful children that have grown up here and love this wonderful state. I work at the U-haul center have been employed over 4yrs would love to stay on board.

My wife is a 66papa(x-ray tech)/ultra sound.

Which the hospital is already understaffed to provide service to all military and their dependents etc...

She has been assigned to the wtu (warrior transion unit) she loves what she is doing for the soldiers that have been wounded in war.

Bottom line is her branch manager?sergent major of the Bassett hospital wont allow her stay. We have to PCS been here to long.

sean_winschel@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:06 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); K Perry Yahoo; McBride; Rhonda (GOV)
Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Re: State Seal Task Force

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Date: Tue, 08 Apr 2008 14:31:07

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: State Seal Task Force

Comments from AG - Janice

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:09 PM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: RE: State Seal Task Force

Dear Janice,

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:39 PM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Cc: ExternalEmailgsp

Subject: State Seal Task Force

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:35 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Scan

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 6:01 AM
To: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); McBride; Rhonda (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: State Seal

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From: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 08 Apr 2008 17:40:33

To: "McBride, Rhonda (GOV)" <rhonda.mcbride@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: State Seal

Just so everyone has the latest...

The plan is now to put language into the capital budget tied to a small appropriation. Rep. Coghill was not confident he could get a resolution through at this point.

Mike

-----Original Message-----

From: McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:46 PM

To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); ExternalEmailgsp; Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly,

Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Subject: RE: State Seal

Sounds good that the legislative branch is taking the lead. Teamwork is a wonderful thing.

-----Original Message-----

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:19 PM

To: ExternalEmailgsp; Colberg, Talis J (LAW); McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly,

Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Subject: RE: State Seal

Talis,

Please let Rhonda and I know if we can do anything to assist. I'd like to keep the Statehood Commission apprised of this also.

Thanks

Kris Perry, Director

Office of Governor Sarah Palin &

Office of International Trade

907.269.7450 (p)

907.269.7463 (f)

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:12 PM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); McBride, Rhonda (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly,

Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Subject: State Seal

Joule and Coghill will introduce resolution to support changing state seal to incorporate Native illustration... and they'll work on a task force to accomplish this with Talis being our designee to serve on the task force - they asked us to have a positive message about their efforts. This is all about respect, recognition, unity. It's all good.
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From: tommyjoe@alaska.com on behalf of Tom Dawson [tommyjoe@alaska.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:41 PM
To: llege@charter.net
Cc: Ken Kreitzer; case@alaskanmarineadventures.com; Beartrack Charters; Captain B's Alaskan C's Adventures; Alaska Charter Association; Jack Cadigan; Ken Larson; Max Nix; olesandy; Peter B Wright; toni@hitime.com; Whales Eye Lodge - Rick Bierman; Glynn; Brian J (DFG); Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Lloyd; Denby S (DFG)
Subject: Southwest Airline Pilots fishing trip...

Len,

Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game sent out the following announcement yesterday. Please see the attached document.

You will note that these new regulations will affect the fishing trip you have scheduled for your big group of Southwest Airlines Pilots you've scheduled for August 12th and 13th. **Your scheduled fishing trip falls into the time frame that ADFG has chosen to prohibit the retention of all King Salmon less than 48 inches in length in the Juneau area.**

This ADFG announcement even eliminates the retention of King Salmon under 48" during our 62nd annual Golden North Salmon Derby, (scheduled for Aug 8th, 9th and 10th as I mentioned to you earlier).

I sincerely regret having to inform you of this situation, and was looking forward to showing your group of Pilots a good time fishing here in Juneau, as we have done many times over the past years, but I am letting you know about this as soon as I have learned, so you can decide if this action will mean a change in your groups plans for this year.

I have included the fax numbers and email address for both the Alaska Governor's Chief of staff, Mike Tibbles, and the Commissioner of Fish & Game, Denby Lloyd. I would hope that you or your group would contact them and express your thoughts regarding this. Or you can access the State's web site at www.state.ak.us and find any other individual's that you would like to send an email to.

Mike Tibbles, fax: 907-465-3532 governor@alaska.gov
Denby Lloyd, fax: 907-465-2332 denby.lloyd@alaska.gov

I look forward to hearing back from you soon.

Capt. Tommy
Three Eagle Charters

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:59 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

From: j a [mailto:afs48@lycos.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 6:56 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: Other

thanks

-----[Received Mail Content]-----

Subject : RE: Other
Date : Tue, 26 Jun 2007 10:47:57 -0800
From : "Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)" <governor@alaska.gov>
To : afs48@lycos.com

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, June 24, 2007 10:46 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Dwayne Andries
address: 14939 arundel HOUSTON TX 77530
713-725-3606

MESSAGE:

V.P. position? I am supporting Rudy for '08. I would like to see you as his running mate...or in conjunction with any one of the alternative Presidential candidates who survives the primary.

AS a contributor to Rudy's campaign ..albeit a small contributor as of yet... I am going to email him with my recommendation for Governor Palin to be a potential candidate for V.P.

The republicans must win this election. And based on my research, you would be a great asset to the presidential campaign.

Thanks for your time,
Dwayne

afs48@lycos.com
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From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV) [russ.kelly@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 3:44 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored)
Subject: update

Stefan Milkowski just stopped me in the stairwell and asked me if you had worked out an agreement with the legislature on overall spending. I told him about the meeting this morning (with the presiding officers and finance co-chairs), which was cordial, and that I was not aware of any agreement on spending levels.

He asked about legislation, also. I told him that you were firm on your CON stance and were adamant about getting another hearing in H FIN (I've been to Meyer's office again today asking for a hearing).

I told him you were frustrated with the fact that HB 111, Business License Fee, hasn't been heard in S FIN and that Sen. Stedman is apparently unaffected by concerns over this bill being held. We also talked about HB 106, Studded Tire Fee Repeal, which passed the House today by a 39-0 vote, and promptly got TWO referrals in the Senate (TRANS, FIN). I explained to Stefan that I've already asked Sen. Kookesh (S TRANS chair) to see if the bill could get waived out of his committee. Sen. Kookesh agreed and hopefully that will get done quickly, which means the bill will get in line in S FIN.

The other bill in S FIN we have concern over is HB 325, Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing Loan, but Bryan Butcher, AHFC, says that bill will get heard. He's been assured. That said, we'll keep on it.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:55 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Weekly News Bulletin: Apr. 8-14, 2008

From: Waste Business Journal [mailto:info@wastebusinessjournal.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:06 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Weekly News Bulletin: Apr. 8-14, 2008

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Waste Business Journal Weekly News Bulletin: Apr. 8-14, 2008

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1. CONGRESSIONAL E-WASTE PLAN DRAWS IRE FROM MANY CORNERS

A legislative blueprint for e-waste regulation, detailed in a concept paper, is drawing ire from many corners including the EPA, states, industry and environmental groups, each with an axe to grind. The concept paper was crafted by staff working for lawmakers who are members of an informal, bipartisan e-waste working group. The plan calls for a new e-waste subtitle of the Resource Conservation & Recovery Act (RCRA). It would ban landfilling of recyclable e-wastes, regulate it as a new category of waste while exempting it from current rules governing solid and hazardous waste; require EPA to set minimum standards for new state programs while grandfathering existing state programs; and require increased notifications and consent from receiving countries for e-waste exports. Among those critical of the measure is the Consumer Electronics Association which calls it unfair and unbalanced by placing financial responsibility on the industry for recycling its products. They cite surveys that show take-back fees would not be effective...[Read More »](#)

2. NEW YORK CITY MAYOR BLOOMBERG SIGNS E-WASTE BILL

As expected, New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg signed into law a bill that requires manufacturers of computers, televisions and other electronic equipment to establish recycling programs for those products in the city and to dispose of them in an environmentally sound manner. A second part of the bill, to which the Mayor objects, would further require manufacturers to meet certain recycling benchmarks and involves an escalating fee structure. He has said that he would veto this part of the bill because it disproportionately burdens manufacturers instead of wholesalers whom actually sell directly to the public. Under the legislation that passed, electronics manufacturers are to develop and operate programs that could include curbside or neighborhood collection and returns by mail and in stores. Consumers would be required to participate, and by 2010 could face a \$100 fine for throwing out specific e-waste. Twelve states have adopted electronic waste laws. New York City is the first municipality to do so...[Read More »](#)

3. ADVANCED DISPOSAL ACQUIRES APPALACHIAN WASTE, EXPANDING INTO NORTH GEORGIA

Jacksonville, Fla.-based Advanced Disposal Services Inc., continuing its expansion dropout the southeast, recently acquired Blue Ridge, Ga.-based Appalachian Waste Services LLC and its affiliate Mountain Convenience Center Properties LLC. Terms of the deal were not disclosed. The acquisition adds landfill capacity and opens markets in the north Georgia and North Carolina. It is the second deal for Advanced Disposal in little over a month. In late February, they purchased the hauling and recycling operations including a construction debris landfill from Waste Services Inc. for \$57.5 million. Advanced Disposal, which itself is a unit of AIG Highstar, already owns and operates waste collection, processing and disposal operations in Florida, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi...[Read More »](#)

4. DELL IS POWERING HEADQUARTERS ON LANDFILL WASTE

With great fanfare, Dell Computer, TXU Energy and Waste Management announced a partnership whereby energy from landfill gas, a renewable resource will provide much of the power used by Dell's 2.1 million square-foot global headquarters. Forty percent of Dell's campus power

needs are being met by power generated from Waste Management's Austin Community Landfill gas-to-energy plant, while the remaining sixty percent comes from existing wind farms provided by TXU Energy. "We're looking to be carbon neutral as a company and we've done that today," said Dell representative Dane Parker...[Read More »](#)

5. **COMPANY TO PRODUCE SYNTHETIC JET FUEL FROM GARBAGE**

A Los Angeles-based synthetic fuel developer, Rentech, Inc. is expanding an initiative to produce synthetic biofuels including jet fuel from municipal solid waste (MSW). The company has developed a clean-energy technology that converts ordinary MSW into ultra-clean, biodegradable jet fuel, potentially meeting the needs of local airports and communities. Virgin Airlines successfully demonstrated the use of biofuels derived from coconut and Brazilian babassu nuts in a commercial airliner during a recent test flight from London to Amsterdam. According to Richard Penning, EVP of Commercial Affairs for Rentech, "We believe our technology's ability to convert non-food feedstock such as MSW into biofuels provides the aviation industry with an excellent opportunity to reduce its carbon footprint. Large cities with busy airports and decreasing landfill space are ideal areas for us to offer this solution."...[Read More »](#)

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6. **ALTER NRG CLOSES \$46-MILLION BOUGHT-DEAL FINANCING**

Alter NRG Corp. closed on its previously announced bought-deal financing of 10.4 million shares at an issue price of \$4.40 per each (including the full exercise of the over-allotment option) for total gross proceeds of about \$46 million through a syndicate of underwriters, led by Raymond James Ltd., and including Wellington West Capital Markets Inc., Canaccord Capital Corp., Paradigm Capital Inc., Blackmont Capital Inc. and Genuity Capital Markets. Net proceeds of the financing are to be used for project development and general working capital purposes. Potential projects include among others, the St. Lucie waste-to-energy project. The issued shares are subject to the customary hold period which will expire on Aug. 4, 2008...[Read More »](#)

7. **GEORGIA POWER STRIKES ANOTHER DEAL FOR POWER FROM LANDFILL WASTE**

Georgia Power recently signed another deal to purchase power from landfill waste. The 10-year contract with Waste To Energy Cedar Grove LLC is for electricity generated through gasification, a process whereby waste is heated in an oxygen-deprived environment which converts it into a synthetic gas and recyclable inert material. Georgia Power will buy 100 percent of the Cedar Grove plant's capacity, which will produce six megawatts of renewable energy annually with plans to expand to 18 megawatts within the year. Waste will come from the Lamar County Regional Landfill in Barnesville, GA. Georgia Power's energy portfolio now has contracts with seven qualified biomass and renewable facilities in Georgia that will generate 136 megawatts of capacity...[Read More »](#)

8. REPUBLIC SERVICES TO RELEASE FIRST QUARTER AND HOST CONFERENCE CALL ON APRIL 24

Republic Services will announce first quarter earnings and host a conference call on Thursday, April 24, 2008 at 8:30 a.m. (EDT)...[Read More »](#)

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Waste Connections plans to announce first quarter financial results at the close of the market on April 21. The company will host a conference call the following day at 8:30 a.m. (EDT)...[Read More »](#)

10. OSHKOSH APPOINTS CHRISTIAN TECCA MANAGING DIRECTOR, GEESINK NORBA GROUP

Oshkosh Corp. announced that it has appointed Christian Tecca as managing director of the Geesink Norba Group, the company's integrated European line of refuse collection and compaction equipment. Tecca was most recently president of Thomas & Betts of Richmond, VA where he managed the acquisition of Danaher Power Solutions, LLC...[Read More »](#)

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 2:49 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: FW: AS Lobbies USDOT FAA, DHS

FYI - DOT forwarded this story about Alaska Airlines' national lobbying efforts and feels there may be a chance the AK Journal of Commerce will write about in state lobbying activities.

Mike

-----Original Message-----

From: Robert Stapleton [mailto:rob.stapleton@alaskajournal.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 2:59 PM
To: Bustamante, Linda (DOT)
Subject: AS Lobbies USDOT FAA, DHS

Alaska Airlines Spent \$500,000 Lobbying Federal Government on FAA Funding in 2007

March 12, 2008: 03:53 PM EST

NEW YORK (Associated Press) - Alaska Airlines spent \$500,000 to lobby the federal government in 2007, according to a disclosure form.

The company lobbied on legislation dealing with funding for the Federal Aviation Administration and the retirement age for pilots, according to the form posted online Feb. 14 by the Senate's public records office.

The airline, which is owned by Seattle-based Alaska Air Group Inc., spent \$280,000 in the second half of 2007 to lobby on those issues.

The general aviation industry and commercial airlines disagree over how much each should have to pay for upgrading the nation's air traffic control system and other aviation programs. Congress last month approved a temporary measure to continue FAA funding through June, but the larger issue of reauthorizing the agency is unresolved.

The House passed a bill in September that would have increased the jet-fuel tax for

noncommercial planes, the aviation gasoline tax and the cap on fees airports charge passengers for capital improvements. Commercial airlines and the Bush administration say the bill does not fairly link fees to system use. The Senate is working on similar legislation.

Elsewhere, President Bush in December signed a bill to raise by five years the mandatory retirement age for airline pilots to 65.

Besides Congress, Alaska Airlines lobbied the departments of Homeland Security and Transportation.

Lobbyists are required to disclose activities that could influence members of the executive and legislative branches, under a federal law enacted in 1995.

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 9:41 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: FW: FYI - Commissioner Schmidt

From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC)
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 9:16 AM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject:

Governor Palin, you are the best boss a person could have. Thank you for your support, and we'll make you proud.

Joe

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 6:29 PM
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Thanks,

Rhonda

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:55 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Channel 11

Governor-

Channel 11 (Andrea Gusty) is in town for the end of session. They would like a few minutes with you today to talk about how things are going. It will likely be very generic since they don't follow the session too closely. Russ can offer specifics on bill status if needed. Please let me know if you would like to fit this in today.

Sharon Leighow
Deputy Press Secretary
Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage
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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 3:32 PM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

From: David Nicolai [mailto:david.nicolai@gmail.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 3:18 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Budget

Hello

Thanks for your response. I'd just like to encourage the reader of this email to have her budget/finances person, or her chief of staff to read it, if not the governor herself.

Thanks
David Nicolai
3831 Boek Circle
Anchorage, AK 99507
(907) 632-5027

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:57 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. David Nicolai
address: 3831 Boek Circle Anchorage AK 99507
907.632.5027

MESSAGE:
Governor Palin

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Why isn't our budget surplus being used to fund a bid to host either a Summer or Winter Olympics?

This is Alaska. We are an obvious choice for a Winter Olympics.

For Summer Olympics, we have several ideal locations throughout the state. For example, Fairbanks often has temperatures in the 80s and 90s during the summer. Even an unsuccessful bid for Summer Olympics would help dispel some of the myths that our state is snow-covered year-round, and that we all live in igloos.

Hosting the Olympics would:

- Bring jobs to the state in the form of construction of new infrastructure, and for staffing the Olympics itself
- Bring more money to the state, in the form of federal aid for new infrastructure, and in the form of tourism dollars from spectators
- Share Alaska with the world through media coverage, increasing our national and international standing.

Thanks
David Nicolai

david.nicolai@gmail.com

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From: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RPRUARO]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:21 AM
To: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: FW: Cruise ship rules
Follow Up Flag: Follow up
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Governor:

Good news on the proposed federal rule that could devastate the Alaska cruise industry and many of the Alaska owned businesses that depend on it. If Secretary Chertoff decides to go the other way from staff recommendations and include Alaska in the rule, our AG's office has been working on several legal issues **Privileged or Personal Material** We will keep tracking this.

Randy

From: Larry Persily [mailto:lpersily@ALASKADC.org]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:59 AM
To: Branch, Dan N (LAW); Ruaro, Randall P (GOV); Katz, John W (GOV)
Subject: Cruise ship rules

Sen. Murkowski's office reports that the final decision on the proposed cruise ship rules is on Homeland Security Secretary Chertoff's desk, and that it looks very good for Alaska. The staff recommendation to the secretary is exclude Alaska from the rule interpretation.

Word could come any day now.

Larry

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:49 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

Thanks, got it! What a great opportunity.

-----Original Message-----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:47 AM
To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

----- Original Message -----

From: System Administrator
To: krisandclark@yahoo.com <krisandclark@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thu Apr 10 08:45:10 2008
Subject: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:16 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: HB 326 passed Senate

Very good. I'll think of a cool bill signing for that one- maybe to plug in to one of the invitations Janice and Kris have recently received for speaking engagements. Thanks

----- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)
Sent: Thu Apr 10 16:53:47 2008
Subject: HB 326 passed Senate

HB 326 - the national guard/firefighter pay bill passed the Senate unanimously today.
Next step is gov's signature.

Another one down...thanks to the good efforts of DMVA and DNR, etc.

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From: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=EFAGERSTROM]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 4:51 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Little Gifts

Governor,

There are 8 little gift bags in my office; they have a sm. candle, potpourri and a choc. truffle in them. A larger bag is there too if you want something to put them in.

There's an inventory list on the freezer let me know if you need anything packed up to take with you. The quail definitely needs to find a new home and get used real soon. :)

Thanks,

Erika

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 4:48 PM
To: paulneva@acsalaska.net
Subject: RE: Land_use

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 4:46 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Land_use

Web mail from: Mr. Paul S. Renschen
address: 3193 Eddy Rd. Fairbanks AK 99709
907 457 6640

MESSAGE:

According to the "News-Miner," the Board of Game has requested that the Amphitheater Mountains be made a "wildlife refuge." Please don't. I am neither a miner nor a hunter. I do frequently use that area for winter recreation. There is no need to turn the Amphitheater Mountains into a wildlife refuge. To do so would almost certainly curtail all other uses. The board of game is being narrow and parochial.

paulneva@acsalaska.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 2:11 PM
To: 'dwayneandsteph@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

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To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. Willie Stacey
address: 8530 East 4th Ave Anchorage AK 99505
(907) 222-6641

MESSAGE:

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Willie D. Stacey of Bay Minette, Alabama. I am a soldier in the U.S. Army and am currently stationed at Fort Richardson, Alaska. I am writing this letter in reference to my military service and your assistance in furthering that service.

On June 30, 2007, I was a Specialist assigned to the 164th Military Police Company when an incident occurred that jeopardizes my military career. While attending a social function with a group of fellow soldiers in my unit, I became highly intoxicated. Members of our party chopped down a tree while yelling racially motivated terms and the incident was recorded on video by another member of the party. Later in the evening, while canoeing on a lake, the boat capsized and tragically a member of our party, Specialist Corey Burgess, succumbed to the extremely cold water drowned. A subsequent investigation by the Army found the video related to the incident. I have since received non-judicial punishment in the form of a field grade Article 15, reduction in grade/rank to E-1/private, reduction in pay, extra duty, bar to reenlistment, possible revocation of my security clearance, and because of my involvement I missed my unit's deployment to Iraq this past summer. Additionally, I live with t

he memory of watching my best friend and combat buddy's body be retrieved from the frigid lake in which he drowned.

I accept full responsibility for my actions the punishments I've received as a result. I

was wrong.

As previously mentioned, I am a military policeman. Prior to that event I'd served honorably in the Military Police Corps for 3 ½ years and upheld the highest standards set forth by my command. I am a combat veteran and a proven asset to the Military Police Corps and the Army. I've served in Afghanistan and received an Army Commendation Medal for heroism under fire. I've also received other medals for actions in combat and the training that I've given to soldiers. I've led four soldiers after being promoted to Specialist and was up for promotion to Sergeant.

I am currently married to my beautiful wife, Stephanie, and we have two daughters, Angel (6yrs) and Katelyn (5 months). My wife is a fully supportive military spouse and actively participates in activities promoting the Army lifestyle.

I am a good soldier who has made a major mistake for which I have been punished. I deeply regret the events of that night and the lapse of judgment that I displayed. Aside from my family, serving my country as a Military Policeman has been the greatest and most fulfilling experience in my life. I would like nothing more than to continue serving my country by reenlisting. I have definitely learned my lesson and feel strongly that I am a great asset to the Army and the Military Police Corps. Given my current rank and using my leadership abilities, I will assist in molding the newest members to the Army into trained Warriors. Given my situation, I will offer guidance to young soldiers and share my experiences which can help prevent soldiers from making the same mistakes. If given the opportunity, I will demonstrate that I am a humbled and rehabilitated soldier who can effectively rebound from mistakes made.

I am asking for your assistance in lifting my bar to reenlistment so that I can attempt to right my wrongs. Should I be afforded the privilege to remain in the Military Police Corps, I will serve my country, the Army, and the Corps honorably and lead others in doing the same.

Sincerely,

Willie D. Stacey

dwayneandsteph@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 1:03 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Sched

Pls add to sched 8am today I met with Sen Wilken.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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From: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 12:38 PM
To: M Nizich; John Katz
Cc: Sam Bishop
Subject: Re: Polar Bear Letter - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

I agree. Thank you.

Our lawmakers can pass resolutions, write letters pun en punt masse, etc.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

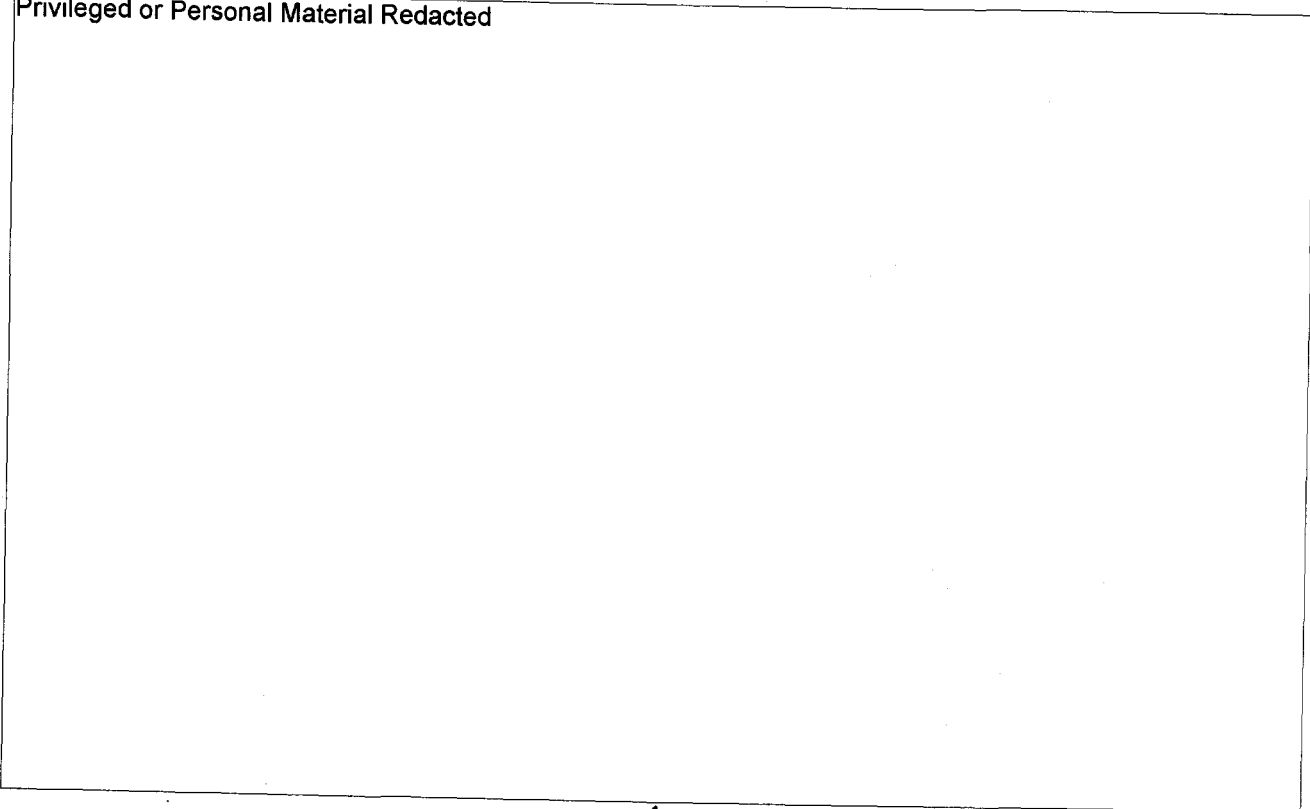
Date: Thu, 10 Apr 2008 16:00:21

To: "Mike Nizich" <Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Sam Bishop" <sbishop@ALASKADC.org>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: Polar Bear Letter - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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Per your suggestion, I am copying the Governor on my response to = you.

Please note that my email address has = changed. My new email address = is
<mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> jwkatz@alaskadc.org. = Thank you .

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:15 AM
To: 'haggin59@hotmail.com'
Subject: RE: Health_Care

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-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 12:52 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Health_Care

Web mail from: sara haggin-young
address: 11255 via balboa street anchorage AK 99515
907349-1031

MESSAGE:

hi governor, i am making baby baskets for sale and for the military wives, and i would like to deliver a baby basket to you, i've been told by the new moms the baby will only sleep in their baskets, and you can get some sleep, smile for the little bundle of joy. if you have any colors anything special, email me or call, i look forward to giving this to you, i am making these in memory of my grandson, jayvion's collections, hope to see you at sat's market or the fair. congratulation on job being well done. good luck.

haggin59@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:08 AM
To: 'jparktkd@gci.net'
Subject: RE: Other

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 9:12 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Tom Sawyer
address: 3561 east tudor road #9 anchorage AK 99507
562-8419

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin:

Not long ago I wrote you a letter explaining how Tyler Sawyer was getting ready to compete for Alaska in Tae Kwon Do for a spot on US national team. The even was Alaska State championship on Fort Richardson. You could not able to make it and we understood that your schedule was very busy. Well, Tyler Sawyer have made the team and getting ready to take on the world representing US and Alaska. On April 26, at Jpark tournament at UAA Gym, he will be at the tourney. Could you find time to stop by and be our guest of honor and to recognize his accomplishment as an alaskan.

Please let me know if you could attend this event

Master Tom Sawyer

562-8419

jparktkd@gci.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:05 AM
To: 'jvancil@gci.net'
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:28 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. Jeremy Vancil
address: 12670 Schooner Dr Anchorage AK 99515
(907) 240-7909

MESSAGE:

9 APR 08

2nd Lieutenant Jeremy M. Vancil
249 AS Pilot
12670 Schooner Dr
Anchorage, AK 99515

The Honorable Sarah Palin
Governor of Alaska
P.O. Box 110001

Juneau, AK 99811-0001

Dear Governor Palin

I am writing to request your assistance. I have been a member of the Alaska Air National Guard since 1999. In 2005, after 6 years of service, I reenlisted in the Air National Guard and was awarded a re-enlistment bonus of \$7,500. As a condition of this bonus I could not accept a commission in the ANG within a year of my reenlistment. In March of 2006 I interviewed for, and received, an undergraduate pilot training slot, with the Alaska ANG, for FY 2008.

Because the 168th ARW was undermanned for pilots at the time, my UPT package was rushed and I was required to receive my commission in September 2006, rather than in FY 2007, as I was originally scheduled. This was 3 months before the deadline for keeping my reenlistment bonus. I have been instructed that the only way to not have to pay back this bonus is to have the United States Secretary of Defense excuse my repayment. I have sent the Secretary a number of letters since January of last year when I was notified of this situation, however I have not received any response from his office. I am writing to you, as my Commander in Chief, to see if there is anything that can be done so that I may avoid the financial hardship that will result from having to repay the initial bonus payment at this time. Thank you very much for your time.

Sincerely

//SIGNED//

Jeremy

M. Vancil, 2Lt, AKANG

jvancil@gci.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:21 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: Alaska the New Energy base society

From: PAUL KENDALL [mailto:pauldkendall@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:43 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Alaska the New Energy base society

To: Governor Palin
From: Paul D. Kendall
Date: 4-9-08

Please accept my opinions on Alaska, the Atlantis of Energy
Alaska, Energy Genesis
Genesis, Alaska Energies

thought you all might enjoy these thoughts...

Paul D. Kendall

907-222-7882

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 9:05 AM
To: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Re: Cruise ship rules

Thank you

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 10 Apr 2008 08:21:26

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: Cruise ship rules

Governor:

Good news on the proposed federal rule that could devastate the Alaska cruise industry and many of the Alaska owned businesses that depend on it. If Secretary Chertoff decides to go the other way from staff recommendations and include Alaska in the rule, our AG's office has been working on several legal issues Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
Privileged or Personal Material. We will keep tracking this.

Randy

From: Larry Persily [mailto:lpersily@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:59 AM

To: Branch, Dan N (LAW); Ruaro, Randall P (GOV); Katz, John W (GOV)

Subject: Cruise ship rules

Sen. Murkowski's office reports that the final decision on the proposed cruise ship rules

is on Homeland Security Secretary Chertoff's desk, and that it looks very good for Alaska. The staff recommendation to the secretary is exclude Alaska from the rule interpretation.

Word could come any day now.

Larry

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:47 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

Attachments: Untitled Attachment (2.69 KB)



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----- Original Message -----

From: System Administrator
To: krisandclark@yahoo.com <krisandclark@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thu Apr 10 08:45:10 2008
Subject: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:42 AM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Cc: McBride; Rhonda (GOV)
Subject: Re: Togiak

Thank you. I'm letting Rhonda know also.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 14:05:17

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Togiak

Dear Governor Palin,

Yesterday the Traditional Tribal Council and Tribal Court of Togiak "banished" Togiak City Police Chief Aaron Parker from Togiak. They sent him a two page letter signed by several Tribal judges giving him thirty days notice to vacate town. Today we are sending him a letter stating we do not believe they have the authority to "banish" him. This is the latest round in what seems to be a slowly escalating feud. I will try to keep you posted. talis

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:16 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Change in phone number

From: Ramon Whittaker [mailto:ramongwhittaker@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 11:15 PM
To: Darrell Reyman; DOUG POLITO; Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); jlracine@embarqmail.com
Subject: Change in phone number

Please notice the phone number change.
Thanks,

Yours in Christ,

Ramon Whittaker
4304 Jadestone Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada 89108

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 7:39 PM
To: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)
Subject: Re: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Then I like him.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 14:03:57

To: "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

He is not only a great guy but a traffic Guide. He took just about all the honors this year at the APHA banquet for all the record setting trophies he and his clients took this year.

-----Original Message-----

From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 12:21 PM

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); ExternalEmailgsp

Subject: Re: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Sure is.

His son Dan was trying to convince candidate Sarah into doing the survival suit races with him for crab fest in '06.

Fun stuff.

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----- Original Message -----

From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Bailey, Frank T (GOV)
Sent: Wed Apr 09 11:36:54 2008
Subject: FW: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

FYI

Richard is a great guy!

From: Richard Rohrer [mailto:RRohrer@alaska.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 11:04 AM
To: Coghill, John (LAA); Buch, Bob (LAA); Crawford, Harry (LAA);
Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA); Doogan, Mike (LAA); Edgmon, Bryce E (LAA);
Fairclough, Anna (LAA); Foster, Neal (LAA); Gara, Les (LAA); Gardner,
Berta (LAA); Gatto, Carl (LAA); Guttenberg, David (LAA); Harris, John
(LAA); Holmes, Lindsey (LAA); Ramras, Jay B (LAA); Kawasaki, Scott JW
(LAA); Kelly, Mike (LAA); Kerttula, Beth (LAA); Ledoux, Gabrielle R
(LAA); Lynn, Bob (LAA); Meyer, Kevin G (LAA); Nelson, Mary (LAA); Joule,
Reggie (LAA); Salmon, Woodie W (LAA); Stoltze, Bill (LAA); Thomas, Bill
(LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Dyson, Fred (LAA); French, Hollis (LAA);
Hoffman, Lyman F (LAA); Kookesh, Albert (LAA); McGuire, Lesil L (LAA);
Olson, Donny (LAA); Stevens, Gary L (LAA); Wagoner, Tom (LAA);
Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA);
Thomas, Joe (LAA); Nizich, Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Dear Legislators,

I am contacting you to encourage your vote to confirm Brenda Rabner's appointment to the Big Game Commercial Services Board. At our recent board meeting in Fairbanks Brenda was seated beside me giving me an opportunity to interact with her about Guided, Sport and Subsistence hunting. I was impressed with how quickly she understood the issues the board was addressing and I believe she will bring a very valuable view to the board.

Some of you have no doubt heard how well the BGCSB members have worked together. Brenda Rabner will be a strong voice for the large Private Landowners in the State and also work well with the existing board members.

Please vote yes to confirm Brenda's appointment.

Thank You, Richard Rohrer (Dick)

Master Guide # 69

Member Big Game Commercial Services Board

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVSP]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:45 AM

To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)

Subject: Re: D.C.

Don't feel bad about this at all. Russ- if you and your family are feeling led to broaden your horizons, take on new challenges, and go through an open door that is there before you, then you are wise to seek confirmation on this and, then, to grab it!

You and Ellen are at a cool point in life where you're seeing new chapters unfold. If working together in DC for Alaska's benefit is appealing to you, I support you and it can be a very good thing for you and our state.

Thank you!

----- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed Apr 09 08:29:42 2008

Subject: D.C.

Governor,

I'm sorry for the mix-up. The D.C. discussion was supposed to occur after session. I was going to ask your permission, once the dust had settled...next week.

I apologize for not having brought it up before you heard from John. That was not my intention and I feel badly about it.

Russ

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:01 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: A Special Message from Governor Palin

From: usabarb4u@aol.com [mailto:usabarb4u@aol.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:00 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: A Special Message from Governor Palin

Dear Sarah:

Thanks for an update on what is happening in Alaska. First time for me to receive anything from a Governor. I like being a part of the decisions. Also, since I saw your signature and I enjoy analyzing handwriting I thought I'd send my analysis of your signature. Keep in mind generally I require a bit more writing for accuracy, however, I'm sure you'll enjoy what I see in your signature, or I hope you enjoy it.

Sarah Palin
Handwriting Analysis
By: Barbara Pack O'Meara

Sarah came into the world so fast, at birth, she was like one rapidly sliding down a slide, and she nearly slid right onto the floor as she gasped her first breath!

Sarah was a devout student of reality. Her youth wasn't spent with fairy tale dreams, she carefully and meticulously remained focused on anything she did, including washing the dishes! At the age of sixteen she strolled along an avenue of desire filled with kisses that had no hope of capturing her heart. She remained ever faithful to her constant life of simply being focused and finding her niche' in life.

Unlike other teens, her social life never took precedence over her family life. Her heart remained determined to look into the mirror of her self and discover something greater than a night out with the girls and boys.

When she finally found Mr. Right, he took her on a trip to discover her self and she became amazed at how perfectly their shadows mingled with the light in their eyes. Love abound and captured their hearts.

Today, though her life flat lined at one point, Sarah doesn't look to the future for answers, she stares straight into the eyes of the citizens she represents and asks them what they think.

Sarah Palin is one fine Governor bound for white marbled stairs that lead to determination's seat where changes are made to better life.

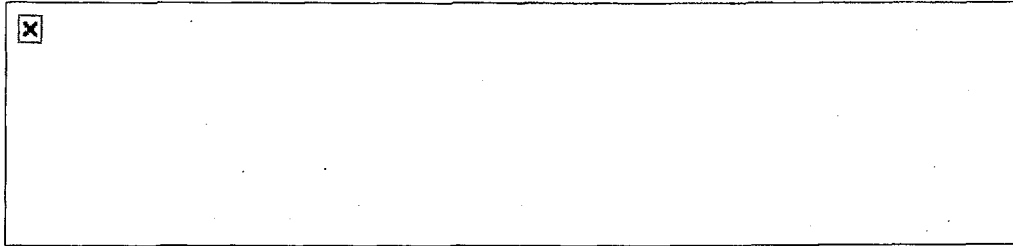
Thank you,
Barbara O'Meara

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) <governor@alaska.gov>

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To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) <governor@alaska.gov>
Sent: Thu, 10 Apr 2008 12:43 pm
Subject: A Special Message from Governor Palin



April 10, 2008

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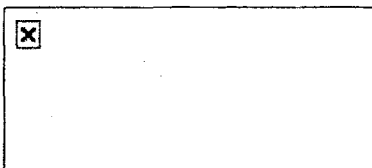
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Until next time,



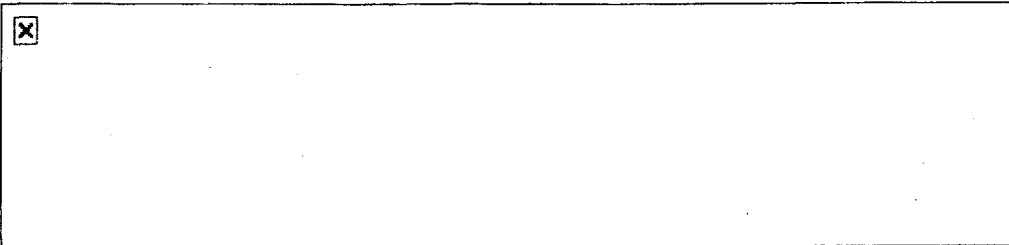
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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:10 AM
To: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Rintala; Jessalynn F (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Morgan; Katryn L (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); Yocom; Lauren J (GOV)
Subject: THIS IS A TEST-PLEASE LET BETH KNOW IF YOU HAVE CHANGES



April 10, 2008

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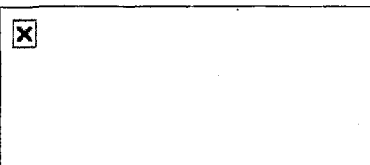
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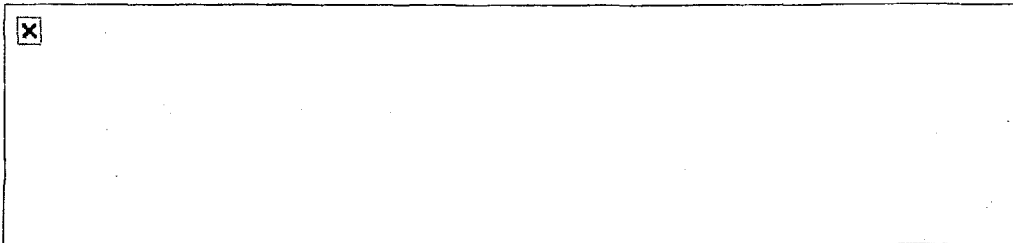
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From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV) [mike.nizich@alaska.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:25 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Rintala; Jessalynn F (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Morgan; Katryn L (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); Yocom; Lauren J (GOV)
Subject: RE: THIS IS A TEST-PLEASE LET BETH KNOW IF YOU HAVE CHANGES
Looks good please send to Michelle so she can ship it out.

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:10 AM
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Morgan, Katryn L (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Rowland, Mindy B (GOV); Yocom, Lauren J (GOV)
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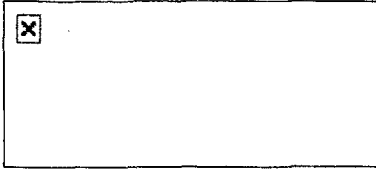
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Until next time,



Governor Sarah Palin

10/22/2009

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From: McBride, Rhonda (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RMFAUBION]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:08 AM
To: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: From John Saxton's Seafood Blog

Finally, yet another study has shown that intake of omega-3 is vital for the development of vision and cognitive development in the final three months before a baby is born. A Quebec research study showed that babies born with higher levels of DHA, a component of Omega-3, in their umbilical cord blood had higher levels of visual and cognitive development in the first nine months of life. This is another reason why it is important for pregnant women to eat more seafood.

Rhonda McBride
Rural Affairs Advisor
Office of the Governor
Atwood Building, Suite 1700
550 West 7th Avenue
Anchorage, Alaska 99501
Tel: (907) 269-7451
E-Mail: Rhonda.McBride@alaska.gov

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 3:32 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: ear

Governor-

Do you want me to have Sheila write anything about Privileged or Pers? She hasn't asked - and I don't suspect she would.

Sharon Leighow
Deputy Press Secretary
Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage
(907) 465-4031 Juneau
(907) 240-7943 cell

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 1:54 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: organ donor?

Governor-

Alaska has reached a milestone. More than half of Alaska's residents are organ and tissue donors. We are the only state to achieve this milestone. I was going to write a quick press release thanking donors. Just checking to see if you are a donor - if so I was going to mention it.

Sharon Leighow
Deputy Press Secretary
Deputy Communications Director

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(907) 465-4031 Juneau
(907) 240-7943 cell

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 7:12 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Cc: Karen Rehfeld; Mike Nizich
Subject: Arctic Power/Funding - CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGE

I understand that the House Finance Committee voted yesterday to double the appropriation for Arctic Power. It's not my business to intervene in State budget matters, but I thought that you might want to see the email below that I sent to Karen Rehfeld and Mike Nizich responding to an inquiry from Karen.

As you will note, Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
Privileged or Personal Material Redacted I think that this is consistent with your previous position on this subject as I recall it from prior emails.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

>>> On 4/10/2008 at 8:21 AM, in message <47FDCE0C.CD3B.0090.3@ALASKADC.org>, John Katz <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org> wrote:

My understanding is that the Governor supports \$120,000, no more. Privileged or Pers
Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 7:01 AM
To: Mike Tibbles; gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: M Nizich; Allison Nyholm; Larry Persily
Subject: Re: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Thanks very much for your response. I want you to feel comfortable with everyone here.

So, I propose to go back to the drawing board for Allison's replacement. I will quietly try to determine **Privileged** previous support for administration policy and also look at other possible candidates. More to come.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

>>> On 4/11/2008 at 10:24 AM, in message <1543071216-1207923853-cardhu_decombobulator_blackberry.rim.net-398531783-@bx014.bisx.prod.on.blackberry>, <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> wrote:

Larry - do you want an Anchorage-based administrative job? Or Juneau? I love working with you, let me know what I can do to help whether you choose inside or outside this political arena! And congratulations on taking a bold step to open new doors. That's always good. Please don't hesitate to tell me what you ideally want to do, as long as I can do you more good than harm I will support, and advocate for, your next adventure.

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Change is good. Thanks for keeping me in the loop. Make sure Allison knows (though it sounds like she's moving to another state) that she -just like Larry - would be welcome to continue serving Alaska in other capacities/areas.

Thanks John!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 09:57:35

To: "Michael Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Mike Nizich" <Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov>, "Larry Persily" <lpersily@ALASKADC.org>

Subject: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Larry Persily has indicated his intention to return permanently to = Alaska sometime this summer. He is not enamored with the public = policy process in DC, particularly what Congress does and doesn't do, and = wants to involve himself directly in Alaska life.

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8/25/2009

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:47 AM

To: Sarah Palin; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Yahoo having problems

We have been in touch with Yahoo and they are experiencing problems with their account. They have technicians working on it at this time. Janice

8/24/2009

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From: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MATIBBLES]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:08 PM

To: Sarah Palin

Subject: update

Kevin Meyer and I went to talk to Bert and Lyman. Kevin has a nice sheet that shows big increases in Bert and Lyman's districts with the bond bill. A result that just adds more to already heavily funded districts. Bert and Lyman did not take the House's concern too seriously. It sounds as if Harris will send a stronger message here on their next break. He wants the Senate to reduce the amount.

Lyman tells me that he has spent a lot of time today working Hollis regarding the predator control bill. The bush caucus told him that it was a priority and he still is unwilling to schedule the bill. I asked him what would happen if an amendment was offered to another bill and he said that it would fail – they can not pull a bill from committee.

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We'll keep working these issues.

Mike

8/24/2009

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 1:54 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: organ donor?

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 6:02 AM
To: Michael Tibbles; Governor Sarah Palin
Cc: Mike Nizich; Larry Persily
Subject: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 5:58 AM
To: Michael Tibbles; Governor Sarah Palin
Cc: Mike Nizich; Larry Persily
Subject: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

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From: krisandclark@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 11:28 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (DOA)
Cc: gov.palin@yahoo.com; fek9wnr@yahoo.com; ftb907@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Fw: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat

Thanks Ivy. Got home tonight and had two messages from Ted about this. He's pretty excited and has been a big help.

Frye, Ivy J (DOA) wrote:

> Fw: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat
> Woo hoo biz license fee is scheduled in sen fin!!!
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: Louanne Christian <Louanne_Christian@legis.state.ak.us>
> To: lhfccltc+senateschedule@legis.state.ak.us
> <lhfccltc+senateschedule@legis.state.ak.us>
> Sent: Fri Apr 11 18:19:30 2008
> Subject: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat
> HB 111-BUSINESS LICENSE FEE
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 11:18 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Kelsey; Mark D (GOV)
Cc: fek9wnr@alaska.gov
Subject: Re: Schmidt/MEA

Thank you!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 22:50:03

To: "Kelsey, Mark D (GOV)" <mark.kelsey@alaska.gov>, gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: fek9wnr@alaska.gov

Subject: Re: Schmidt/MEA

Thanks for your follow-up Mark...not surprising.

----- Original Message -----

From: Kelsey, Mark D (GOV)

To: ExternalEmailgsp

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); fek9wnr@alaska.gov <fek9wnr@alaska.gov>

Sent: Fri Apr 11 22:40:38 2008

Subject: Schmidt/MEA

After playing phone tag all day, Joe Schmidt and I finally made a connection tonight. He said he had no contact with MEA about their request and confirmed that there is no urgency to get the work done. Dwayne Peeples, whom I spoke with earlier, said all the same things.

Mark D. Kelsey

Special Assistant to the Governor

Office of Gov. Sarah Palin

907.269.7450, Anchorage

Unknown

From: ftb907@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:46 PM
To: krisandclark@yahoo.com
Cc: Frye; Ivy J (DOA); gov.palin@yahoo.com; Todd Palin
Subject: Re: Re: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat

Hilarious!

Reminds me of the Homer Library luncheon where Lt Gov Leman's lunch barely fetched \$200, and Candidate Palin's lunch fetched \$650 for the Library Foundation.

John and Nicole? Harris is married??

-----Original Message-----

From: "krisandclark@yahoo.com" <krisandclark@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 23:39:07

To: "ftb907@yahoo.com" <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Cc: "ivy.frye@alaska.gov" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>, "gov.palin@yahoo.com" <gov.palin@yahoo.com>, "fek9wnr@yahoo.com" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Re: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat

Clark and I were at a fundraiser tonight for Special Olympics and one of the auction items was a package trip to Fairbanks in the old Murkowski jet for 7, a stay at Pikes and lunch w/Binkley and his wife. It was secured by John and Nicole Harris. There was only one bidder and it was Nicole Harris. It was valued at \$4,000 and she got it for \$1,500. :)

ftb907@yahoo.com wrote:

> Nice....maybe 30,000 emailed contacts made a difference.

> -----Original Message-----

> **From:** "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

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> **Date:** Fri, 11 Apr 2008 18:21:00

> **To:** gov.palin@yahoo.com, fek9wnr@yahoo.com,
> ftb907@yahoo.com, krisandclark@yahoo.com

> **Subject:** Fw: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat

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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 6:22 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (DOA); gov.palin@yahoo.com; Todd Palin; krisandclark@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat

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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 5:12 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Todd
Cc: Bailey; Frank T (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frye; Ivy J (DOA)
Subject: Re: the ear

Foster would be happy to talk about this if Shelia wants to chat with him, per Tibbles.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 16:45:40

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Subject: the ear

Okay-

I am pretty sure that the Foster fundraising stuff won't make it in the ear. If by chance it does - we will be in there refuting it. I reminded Sheila of the bill signing in Foster's office WITH HIS SON. I also told her that Todd called Foster in the hospital. I told her that the thought of the governor refusing to do anything to help him is sick. She agreed.

What is definitely going to make it in this weekend is that fact that Tuckerman threatened Linda Menard! Sheila is not going to contact Tuckerman before it runs. And yes, I am smiling as I write this. J

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From: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RHUGHES]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 4:14 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Fw: Messaging -- end of session

Governor this is Mike N's input.

----- Original Message -----

From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)
To: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Sent: Fri Apr 11 13:02:56 2008
Subject: RE: Messaging -- end of session

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From: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 12:17 PM
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Messaging -- end of session

As we're assisting the governor regarding her message tomorrow, please add your thoughts. Feel free to change/add/delete - need your input. Thx.

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Rosanne Hughes

Press Secretary and Communications Director

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From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RTKELLY]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 4:09 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Fagerstrom; Erika (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: Re: from Sheila Toomey

Spoke to Richard for about 20 mins just now. He's disgusted and said if someone had a concern they should come to him...and he'd tell them it was BS.

He said the gov has been great to him and she's probably the best gov we've ever had.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
Cc: Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Frye, Ivy J (DOA)
Sent: Fri Apr 11 15:33:57 2008
Subject: Re: from Sheila Toomey

Very hurtful that someone would try to put that wedge between an ill legislator and any of us. Deceitful.

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From: frank bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 16:29:57
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Sharon Leighow <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, Erika Fagerstrom <erika.fagerstrom@alaska.gov>, Janice Mason <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, Mike Tibbles <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 3:47 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Todd
Subject: Re: ear

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I was shocked last week to hear that a former Legislative Aide approached my sister at church in Wasilla about Privileged or Personal .. that's the one that got traced back to Lyda's staff spreading it.

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From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 15:31:54

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: ear

Governor-

Do you want me to have Sheila write anything about Privileged or Personal? She hasn't asked - and I don't suspect she would.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 3:24 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: organ donor?

Read your presser on it, looks great, thank you!

Wonder where Shelia got that bs info on my "refusal" to host a Foster fundraiser? Let me know when you get my email in response to that one.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

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To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

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From: gov.palin@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 2:48 PM
To: Frank Bailey; Todd; Ivy personal; K Perry Yahoo; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: kbyr now

Oh man - so glad he grasps the significance of these bills. And if there were other taxes we found on Alaska's moms and pops we'd be proposing to eliminate them too.

-----Original Message-----

From: Frank Bailey
To: Todd
To: Sarah's Personal Email
To: Ivy personal
To: K Perry Yahoo
To: Sharon Leighow
Sent: Apr 11, 2008 2:46 PM
Subject: kbyr now

apparently he's ripping lyda a new one. saying holding up Biz License and Studded Tires "is all about vanity, self-preservation, and kicking republicans to the curb"

Unknown

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 2:27 PM
To: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Confidential. PT

Yes, I received that email, so asked Janice to contact you to set up that mtg where I'll be briefed on the PT findings. Thanks

-----Original Message-----

From: "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 14:24:19

To: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Subject: Confidential. PT

Governor, I sent an email two days ago that said Marty, Nan, and I would like to meet with you latter next week so we could update you on the status of the decision.

I would never let something like this go public until we had a chance to let you know. We have a great team and that means communicating with the team especially the boss!

Right now I am reading draft version 6. All have the same conclusion. Call anytime and I will share the last paragraph.

Janice said you could make a meeting a week from Monday in Anchorage. That would work great. God bless Tom

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 12:31 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Pressure on Tires

Pls cont to put pressure on Kookesh and everyone else on tire tax repeal. Amazing that I have so few bills that were even introduced the past two years, and they're all good for AK, but even more amazing is that we're not succeeding with some of these even after giving up so much to the lawmakers. Seems a lot of actions have been one-way negotiations where they're winning their projects and bills, but we're still not getting the few and far-between requests I've had: tire tax, small business fees, CON, predator control, etc. Are we not pushing hard enough, but instead seeming to cave to their wants?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 12:21 PM
To: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Re: Press Release

Thanks

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 08:54:32

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Press Release

Mike N. tells me I'm about ready to inherit his Blackberry, so you'll be able to get ahold of me without any problems within a day or two.

Rosanne Hughes

Press Secretary and Communications Director

465-3995

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:31 AM

To: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Re: Press Release

This was done differently, involving students - so maybe this will be considered differently, and can credit the student government participants.

-----Original Message-----

From: Rosanne Hughes

To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Apr 11, 2008 8:20 AM
Subject: Press Release

Governor,

Regarding yesterday's event -- we were going to send out a presser this morning to get better media coverage. Need to see Andy's photos - we can attach some. Will get it to you in 15-20 minutes.

Sharon tells me we haven't been getting much media coverage out of pressers on bill signings unless it's something pretty big. We got a bit of coverage out of the revenue sharing release, for example.

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465-3995

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 11:53 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:53 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Michelle Mitchell
address: 3015 Seawind Drive Anchorage AK 99516
907 279-0032

MESSAGE:

Late last month I wrote to request an interview with Governor Palin about the upcoming birth of her fifth child for my blog, Scribbit: Motherhood in Alaska.

Yesterday the Wall Street Journal published a list of the Top Motherhood Blogs and I was listed as number five.

Here is the link to the article:

http://online.wsj.com/article/SB120778656388403417.html?mod=psp_editors_picks

I know my audience would love to hear the Governor's views on motherhood in Alaska--could I please have a few moments of her time for some questions?

Sincerely,

Michelle Mitchell

see Scribbit at www.scribbit.blogspot.com

scribbit@gmail.com

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 11:45 AM
To: Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Wilachowski's aide (sp?)

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 19:41:16

To: "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: Wilachowski's aide (sp?)

just told house finance that I DO support her testimony on on-line checkbook. What specifically did I support, according to her testimony in answer to Rep. Kelly's questions?

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 2:00 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: organ donor?

great idea.

and yes, i just double-checked my driver's lic, I am an organ donor - and i know everyone of driving age in my family is also (I checked with Bristol and Todd, and i know Track is).

--- On Fri, 4/11/08, Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov> wrote:

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>
Subject: organ donor?
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Date: Friday, April 11, 2008, 1:53 PM

Governor-

Alaska has reached a milestone. More than half of Alaska 's residents are organ and tissue donors. We are the only state to achieve this milestone. I was going to write a quick press release thanking donors. Just checking to see if you are a donor - if so I was going to mention it.

Sharon Leighow
Deputy Press Secretary
Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage
(907) 465-4031 Juneau
(907) 240-7943 cell

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:37 AM
To: 'lockhart@mtaonline.net'
Subject: RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:21 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Linda Lockhart
address: HC 34 Box 2560 Wasilla AK 99654
907-892-8119

MESSAGE:

I understand you will be making an appearance at the re-dedication/open house at Curves in Big Lake on the 19th of April. Curves has had a dramatic impact on the women in this area and I am so glad to hear you are lending your support to this vital establishment.

I also like to invite you to support the Mid-Valley Senior Center on the same Saturday. The center is about a mile from Curves, and on that day the North Root Big Lake Gardeners will be hosting our Spring Gardening Symposium there from 9am until 5:30 pm. We currently have a sold-out event (with many on a "stand-by" list) with a wide range of speakers, lunch and a silent auction. All proceeds from this event will benefit the Mid-Valley Senior Center. Last year we raised \$1800--and this year we expect to raise more than \$3000 for the center. I know you have a very full schedule, but we would love for you to join us any time for a brief appearance or come for lunch if possible.

Thank you for your consideration
(and doing a great job in Juneau)

Linda Lockhart
president, North Root Big Lake Gardeners

lockhart@mtaonline.net

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:23 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Kelsey; Mark D (GOV)
Cc: Todd
Subject: Re: more MEA/capital budget stuff

Run it by Joe S too if MEA is using his prison as an excuse to bloat.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 10:12:51

To: "Kelsey, Mark D (GOV)" <mark.kelsey@alaska.gov>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: fek9wnr@yahoo.com

Subject: RE: more MEA/capital budget stuff

Thanks Mark! Good information.

The more help the better in going through this disappointingly bloated budget....please give me your input on other projects you come across.

From: Kelsey, Mark D (GOV)

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:06 AM

To: ExternalEmailgsp

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); fek9wnr@yahoo.com

Subject: more MEA/capital budget stuff

Hi all:

I noticed last night while going over the latest version of capital budget projects that the wording on MEA's request had changed to include line extensions to Point McKenzie for the prison. I think the amount was up, too, although I could be wrong. It's at \$25 million now.

I called Steve H. to find out about the details, but he's out til Monday. So I called Jim Strandberg at AEA. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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Not sure where we are on all of this, but I thought the information might be useful.

Mark

Mark D. Kelsey

Special Assistant to the Governor

Office of Gov. Sarah Palin

907.269.7450, Anchorage

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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 9:34 AM
To: Thompson; Barbara A (EED); Smith; Lynne M (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: Educ

Thanks- something was up or down) with some emails yesterday.

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Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 09:22:54

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Smith, Lynne M (GOV)" <lynne.smith@alaska.gov>, "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

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To: Thompson, Barbara A (EED); Smith, Lynne M (GOV); Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 9:25 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Ivy personal; Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo
Subject: Fw: Budget

Pls give to Rosanne until I figure out why she's not able to receive my emails. We're going to have to strategize on messaging budget - it's a crazy situation but they're going to pass it knowing I'll have to be the bad guy and cut a bunch of their adds. They've been quite irresponsible the last couple of days with adding nearly a billion dollars in projects from where we started with our proposal. They know I'll veto, that's why they have nothing to lose by crushing the budget with even more projects. See below:

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 17:21:15

To: "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Click Bishop" <clark.bishop@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Sean Parnell" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Budget

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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:40 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Leschper, Beth (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Presser

I just forwarded to Roseanne. I will check with her in the office this a.m. Janice

Sent using BlackBerry

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Fri Apr 11 06:59:44 2008
Subject: Fw: Presser

Pls forward to Rosanne. For some reason her address isn't accepting my email from either one of my addresses. I need the Comm Dept to confirm a presser went out after yesterday's bill signing - along with any pics of the students at the ceremony taken by Andy.

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 14:57:10

To: "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Rhonda (GOV) McBride" <rhonda.mcbride@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Presser

Hi Rosanne- pls make sure we released a presser on yesterday's Silver Hand bill signing at the high school so all those students can get credit/recognition for a neat way to participate in the legislative process. Thanks. You have my notes re: what I ended up saying to the student government students about the bill's relevance to justice, fairness

and respect for Native culture.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:35 AM
To: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Katz; John W (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Bishop; Samuel T (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Re: Polar Bear/Public Relations Campaign - PRIVILEGED ANDCONFIDENTIAL-ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGE

Not necessarily. There are many things that seem to be popping up that I have had no clue about in this budget process, despite the endless meetings. Between the status of our legislative pieces in front of lawmakers and these budget adds, there's plenty to surprise me every day lately.

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I am sure we would have heard about the funding if it was going to be put in, we have heard from them on about everything else having to do with Polar Bears and ESA in general.

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Hopefully it's already out. I'll take it out if not.

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From: "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 07:45:17

To: "Katz, John W (GOV)" <jwkatz@alaskadc.org>, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

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Subject: Polar Bear/Public Relations Campaign - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGE

I read in this morning's Fairbanks News-Miner that the Legislature wants to appropriate \$2 million to itself for a national conference and public relations campaign to educate Americans about the impacts of a polar bear listing under the Endangered Species Act.

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jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:31 AM
To: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Re: Press Release

This was done differently, involving students - so maybe this will be considered differently, and can credit the student government participants.

-----Original Message-----

From: Rosanne Hughes
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Apr 11, 2008 8:20 AM
Subject: Press Release

Governor,

Regarding yesterday's event -- we were going to send out a presser this morning to get better media coverage. Need to see Andy's photos - we can attach some. Will get it to you in 15-20 minutes.

Sharon tells me we haven't been getting much media coverage out of pressers on bill signings unless it's something pretty big. We got a bit of coverage out of the revenue sharing release, for example.

Rosanne Hughes
Press Secretary and Communications Director
465-3995

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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:30 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
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There will be many things we have not been privy to re: budget items hidden within - just like this PR effort that is so costly and not supported. We have to scour this thing and I will be cutting items that are not in the state's best interest, and I will need a lot of help to accomplish this. I'm not sure what good it will do to ask Lyda what her intention is on this one, she probably doesn't know. And if this is another PacWest-type PR campaign, all the more reason to eliminate it.

Same applies to additional Arctic Power funds.

Amazing that someone tipped off the ADN reporter to a \$10-12 thousand dollar AGIA "PR contract" and that made front page news, yet something like this, costing that amount, is thus far hidden within a proposed budget with no public comment?

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OK - we found it! Buried in Section 62(b) of SB221, page 206, line 18 - it is a reappropriation of legislative appropriations - reads as follows:

(b) The unexpended and unobligated balances, not to exceed \$2,000,000, of the appropriations made in sec. 1, ch. 28, SLA 2007, page 42, line 22 (Budget and Audit Committee - \$14,219,300); sec. 1, ch. 28 SLA 2007, page 42, line 28 (Legislative Council - \$30,201,500); and sec. 1, ch. 28, SLA 2007, page 43, line 6 (Legislative Operating Budget - \$9,682,300) are reappropriated to the Legislative Council for the Alaska Conference on State and Federal Responsibility Related to Economic Impacts of ESA Listings for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2009, and June 30, 2010.

Perhaps we can find out more from Rep. Harris and Senator Green what they have in mind - KJR

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From: John Katz [mailto:jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 5:12 AM

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Cc: Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Bishop, Samuel T (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); ExternalEmailgsp

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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:29 AM
To: Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Katz; John W (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Persily; Larry A (GOV); Bishop; Samuel T (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR)
Subject: Re: Polar Bear/Public Relations Campaign - PRIVILEGEDANDCONFIDENTIAL-ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGE

There will be many things we have not been privy to re: budget items hidden within - just like this PR effort that is so costly and not supported. We have to scour this thing and I will be cutting items that are not in the state's best interest, and I will need a lot of help to accomplish this. I'm not sure what good it will do to ask Lyda what her intention is on this one, she probably doesn't know. And if this is another PacWest-type PR campaign, all the more reason to eliminate it.

Same applies to additional Arctic Power funds.

Amazing that someone tipped off the ADN reporter to a \$10-12 thousand dollar AGIA "PR contract" and that made front page news, yet something like this, costing that amount, is thus far hidden within a proposed budget with no public comment?

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 08:17:12

To: "Katz, John W (GOV)" <jwkatz@alaskadc.org>, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

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OK - we found it! Buried in Section 62(b) of SB221, page 206, line 18 - it is a reappropriation of legislative appropriations - reads as follows:

(b) The unexpended and unobligated balances, not to exceed \$2,000,000, of the appropriations made in sec. 1, ch. 28, SLA 2007, page 42, line 22 (Budget and Audit Committee - \$14,219,300); sec. 1, ch. 28 SLA 2007, page 42, line 28 (Legislative Council - \$30,201,500); and sec. 1, ch. 28, SLA 2007, page 43, line 6 (Legislative Operating Budget - \$9,682,300) are reappropriated to the Legislative Council for the Alaska Conference on State and Federal Responsibility Related to Economic Impacts of ESA Listings for the

fiscal years ending June 30, 2009, and June 30, 2010.

Perhaps we can find out more from Rep. Harris and Senator Green what they have in mind -
KJR

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To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Budget

Sharon- My emails arent reaching Rosanne. Would you make sure she gets this FYI on the budget?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 15:28:54

To: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Subject: Fw: Budget

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 15:27:58

To: "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Budget

Yikes- it's frightening reading all the adds in the budget! I tell ya- the public will not stand for all this. And the construction industry and economy will not be able to handle all this. Prices will escalate because no road construction companies, especially, will have to compete for any work. Scares me to think of all the Outside workers that will head up here to tackle an over-heated economy, thanks to all govt spending.

We need to hustle on strategy to allow us to sensibly and fairly consider all items in this bloated budget. The sooner the better. And we'll need more people than we had last time as we pare it down. Our commissioners need to start looking at items that affect their depts and tell us asap what is absolutely necessary and what can be cut. Thanks

Also- what's the timeline for consideration of items, and deadline for vetoes?

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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 7:00 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Fw: failure notice

This won't send to Rosanne. Ugh.

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From: MAILER-DAEMON@yahoo.com

Date: 11 Apr 2008 14:59:57

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: failure notice

Hi. This is the qmail-send program at yahoo.com.

I'm afraid I wasn't able to deliver your message to the following addresses.

This is a permanent error; I've given up. Sorry it didn't work out.

<rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>:

64.18.5.10 does not like recipient.

Remote host said: 553 5.1.4 duplicate/ambiguous directory match: rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov

Giving up on 64.18.5.10.

--- Below this line is a copy of the message.

Return-Path: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Received: (qmail 29428 invoked from network); 11 Apr 2008 14:59:56 -0000

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s=s1024; d=yahoo.com;

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Reply-To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

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Sensitivity: Normal

Importance: Normal

To: "Janice Mason" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Subject: Fw: Presser

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 14:59:44 +0000

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Cc: Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fw: Presser

Pls forward to Rosanne. For some reason her address isn't accepting my email from either one of my addresses. I need the Comm Dept to confirm a presser went out after yesterday's bill signing - along with any pics of the students at the ceremony taken by Andy.

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Hi Rosanne- pls make sure we released a presser on yesterday's Silver Hand bill signing at the high school so all those students can get credit/recognition for a neat way to participate in the legislative process. Thanks. You have my notes re: what I ended up saying to the student government students about the bill's relevance to justice, fairness and respect for Native culture.

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To: Mike Tibbles; John Katz
Cc: M Nizich; Larry Persily
Subject: Re: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Larry - do you want an Anchorage-based administrative job? Or Juneau? I love working with you, let me know what I can do to help whether you choose inside or outside this political arena! And congratulations on taking a bold step to open new doors. That's always good. Please don't hesitate to tell me what you ideally want to do, as long as I can do you more good than harm I will support, and advocate for, your next adventure.

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Change is good. Thanks for keeping me in the loop. Make sure Allison knows (though it sounds like she's moving to another state) that she -just like Larry - would be welcome to continue serving Alaska in other capacities/areas.

Thanks John!

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Cc: "Mike Nizich" <Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov>, "Larry Persily" <lpersily@ALASKADC.org>

Subject: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Larry Persily has indicated his intention to return permanently to = Alaska sometime this summer. He is not enamored with the public = policy process in DC, particularly what Congress does and doesn't do, and = wants to involve himself directly in Alaska life.

He asked me to emphasize that his decision is not related to the = Palin administration or this office. Larry has been an invaluable = member of the DC staff and is a good friend and colleague of everyone = here.

My current thought is Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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Change is always difficult, but I respect the decision of the = staffers leaving here to pursue their personal priorities. I believe = that our new people are capable to doing the same excellent work as = did their predecessors.

I would appreciate any thoughts you might have on the course of = action outlined here. I have copied Larry on this email so that he = can add any comments of his own.

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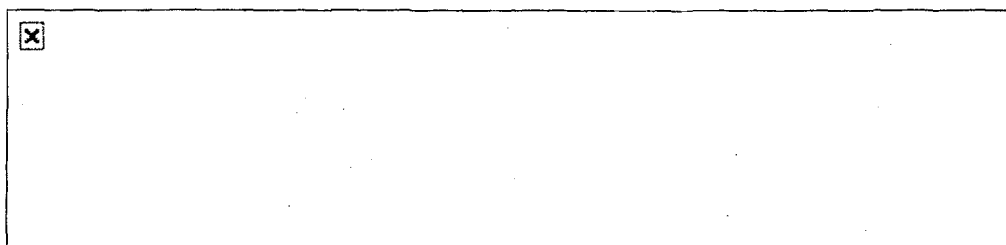
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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 1:16 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: FW: A Special Message from Governor Palin

Here is the message that went out to an email group of 22,940. The message went only to the business license holders email group. The list was originated through DCCED Business Licensing section. I did receive 1296 "undeliverable" responses.

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 12:43 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: A Special Message from Governor Palin



April 10, 2008

Dear Fellow Alaskan,

With just a few days left in the 25th Alaska Legislature, the final actions taken by lawmakers will have a major impact on Alaska and Alaskans. HB 111, a critical bill which would lower the Business License Fee, is currently stalled.

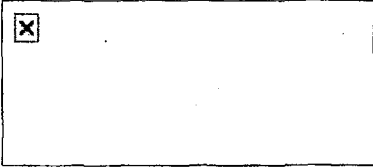
The Alaska economy is blessed by people with an entrepreneurial spirit. Business leaders provide new ideas and develop innovative products and services. By investing in their businesses, small firm owners make a major contribution to our economy.

The original version of HB111 that I proposed would have returned the business license fee, which was increased to \$100 under the former administration, to \$25. The fee increase has caused a hardship for those who are helping grow our economy, especially people who operate home-based and part-time businesses.

The House Finance Committee amended the bill to set the fee at \$50 and it sailed through the House because it makes good business sense. HB 111 is currently stalled in the Senate Finance Committee. I urge you to contact your senator TODAY and let him or her know that HB111 is good for Alaskans, who should not be penalized for stimulating economic growth.

Until next time,

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Governor Sarah Palin

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From: frank bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 6:32 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Sarah Palin; Todd Palin; ivyfyre@yahoo.com; krisandclark@yahoo.com
Subject: Cowdery Chronicles - HB281

Another Ear item but I know its past your deadline. Cowdery was the ONLY vote against Bob Lynn's HB281 that passed the Senate 19-1. It had already passed the House 39-0. So out of 59 possible votes (Foster was out due medical for that vote)...Cowdery was the only Legislator to vote against it.

Funny, but I can't figure out why he'd be against revealing who gives him cash??

http://www.legis.state.ak.us/basis/get_bill_text.asp?hsid=HB0281G&session=25

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:41 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
Subject: FW: April 2008 Chancellor's Report

From: Scott McCrea [mailto:marketing@uaf.edu]
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 4:54 PM
To: marketing@uaf.edu
Subject: April 2008 Chancellor's Report

Greetings,

The April 2008 issue of Steve Jones' Chancellor's Report highlighting recent achievements and developments at UAF is now available for your review at <http://www.uaf.edu/chancellor/report/index.html>. The report is published five times a year and is included in the informational packets at each regular meeting of the UA Board of Regents.

If you have any trouble accessing these files, or would prefer a hard copy of the report, contact UAF Marketing and Communications at 907-474-6281 or via e-mail at marketing@uaf.edu.

Sincerely,

Scott McCrea, Director

UAF Marketing and Communications

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From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]
Sent: Saturday, April 12, 2008 1:28 PM
To: Hughes; Rosanne (GOV); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Leschper; Beth (GOV)
Subject: Wesley Loy

Just spoke with Wesley Loy about the special message email. He is going to do a story on this later this afternoon. I let him know that it is government's job to inform Alaskans on issues that can have an impact on them. I reiterated that this is nothing new, previous administrations have done it, lawmakers send out newsletters, agencies send out newsletters to constituents etc etc. I asked him - what's the difference if the Governor holds a news conference or goes on a radio show to push what she feels is important? Wesley wants to ask Mike Nizich about what specific examples from previous administrations. He also wants to know if he can have access to the lists. He is going to call me later when he starts writing the email story. BTW- he admitted he was a hothead to Mike last night and apologized.

In the meantime- he is also working on a budget story for tomorrow and wants to know if anyone wants to comment.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 12, 2008 11:14 PM
To: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Re: Budget message

Thank you! We're so happy you're here!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 12 Apr 2008 21:56:51

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Budget message

Did I tell you how happy I am to work for you?

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)

Sent: Sat Apr 12 21:54:56 2008

Subject: Re: Budget message

Right on and amen.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 12 Apr 2008 21:54:26

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Budget message

God knows the truth.-- that we're being falsely accused of having done something wrong.
Defend us, Lord.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)
Sent: Sat Apr 12 21:28:12 2008
Subject: Re: Budget message

Ugh. Well, I'll be praying for justice even with this story. Thanks!
Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 12 Apr 2008 21:27:32
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Budget message

Yep. Bound and determined. He told us Huggins was the one saying we had done something wrong. I asked Wesley if he asked lawmakers if they do the same thing and of course he said no.

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Shoot. Sorry! Is he still going to write on the email?
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From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

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To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Budget message

Well, our meeting with Wesley wasn't pretty. We tried. He seems bound and determined to screw us over. We'll give you the lowdown tomorrow. It was Tibbles, Nizich, Karen, Sharon and I and everyone did a great job. He's just a weird guy.

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Sent: Sat Apr 12 17:30:28 2008

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From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 12 Apr 2008 17:25:44

To: ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Budget message

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465-3995

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Sent: Saturday, April 12, 2008 12:44 PM
To: Hughes; Rosanne (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'Sean Parnell'
Subject: this includes Bruce's edits

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Sent: Saturday, April 12, 2008 1:04 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: final

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