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Mayor Dan Sullivan City Hall 632 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 840 Anchorage, AK 99501

Dear Mayor Sullivan,

We are writing to express support for projects that expand the economic capacity and recreational opportunities that benefit the Eagle River community. Eklutna, Inc. has actively supported various projects that have done precisely that such as Mt. Baldy and Beach Lake; one such opportunity could be to add the Wallace Homesteads to the Chugach State Park. We believe considering this purchase would bring value to the tourism industry and expand the recreational opportunities in the area. Eklutna, Inc. would be willing to work with the community and the Chugach State Park to address their collective needs and evaluate the projects best suited to meet those needs.

Eklutna, Inc. continues to look for economic opportunities that not only benefit its shareholders, but preserves our native culture and supports the Alaskan economy as a whole. If there is anything Eklutna, Inc. can do specifically to engage in this process, please contact us.

Many Regards,

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