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The Honorable Mike Dunleavy Governor Office of the Governor PO Box 110001 Juneau, AK 99811-0001

Dear Governor Dunleavy,

In the wake of our recent annual membership meeting, Alaska Power Association (APA) would like to reiterate our sincere thanks for the commitment you made during last year's Alaska Federation of Natives conference to work with lawmakers to ensure the long-term protection of the Power Cost Equalization Endowment. Maintaining the endowment ensures that affordable electricity for rural Alaska is never in doubt.

Your continued support is especially important considering the COVID-19 pandemic and the significant impact it has had on Alaska's communities. Economic certainty is essential for these communities to fully recover once the pandemic is under control, and a stable PCE program funded from its long-established endowment provides that certainty.

As you know, APA is the statewide trade association for electric utilities throughout our state. We and our members are always ready to work with you and your administration on PCE and other issues that impact Alaska's electric consumers.

Sincerely,

Crystal Enkvist Executive Director