A Resolution to institute an Alaskans Tribal Federal Coastal Management Program

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WHEREAS adequate management of coastal programs that include local knowledge and traditional wisdom and involve local leadership is imperative to address the protection of communities in a changing climate; and

WHEREAS subsistence is the highest priority use of resources and must be protected for the quality of life of Alaskans, especially in rural areas.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Democratic Party urges swift action of the federal and state government to reinstate the Alaskan Coastal Management Program, with an emphasis on tribal government involvement.

And be it Further Resolved that this resolution will be sent to the:

President of the United States
Democratic National Committee