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Re: Highway Easement Deed

Dear Ms. Snyder,

I am an Assistant Attorney General for the State of Alaska, Transportation Division. I have reviewed the form of attached Highway Easement Deed from the United States of America, acting by and through the Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration to the State of Alaska, Department of Transportation and Public Facilities (the "Easement Deed"). I understand that the Easement Deed was prepared by representatives of the federal government and assume that the Easement Deed includes all the clauses required by the FHWA and by 49 C.F.R. 21.7(A)(2). I also assume that the legal description contained in the Easement Deed is correct and I have not independently verified its accuracy.

Subject to the above, I hereby certify that the Easement Deed may be executed and that it is legally sufficient to convey from the United States of America to the State of Alaska, Department of Transportation and Public Facilities, a nonexclusive right-of-way easement for the operation and maintenance of a public highway and the use of the space above and below the established grade line of the highway for highway purposes, across, and upon the property described therein, subject to the express and implied limitations of the Easement Deed.

Thank you for your attention. Best regards.

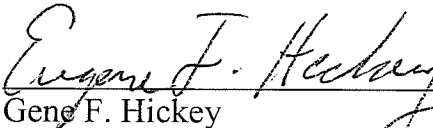
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Sincerely,

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