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MAJ Lissa Young  
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Dear Major Young,

All of the members of the Alaska Legislature's Joint Armed Services Committee join us in sending our most enthusiastic thanks for your leadership in making our visit to Fort Wainwright on September 29 an overwhelming success.

Explaining military operations to a group of novices is a real challenge. You and your soldiers met that challenge brilliantly. The briefings on the MAST and HART missions, which the members of your unit fly with unmatched skill and dedication, have given us a profound appreciation of the selfless service and support which the Army provides to Alaska's citizens. We were especially impressed as we watched the pride and professionalism with which your soldiers demonstrated the use of their equipment. And sharing MREs with them in the field was an unforgettable experience. Their exemplary enthusiasm and dedication reflect great credit on your leadership.

Handwritten signature of Tim Kelly.

TIM KELLY  
Senate Co-Chair

HOOAH!

Handwritten signature of Eldon Mulder.  
ELDON MULDER  
House Co-Chair