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Mr. Gordon,

Please see the attached letter dated May 31, 2016 RE: Support for Alternative 2 in the Donlin Gold Project EIS, signed by Mr. Norman Resnick.

Thank you,

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May 31, 2016

Mr. Keith Gordon, Project Manager
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Dear Mr. Gordon:

Please accept this letter as my unwavering support for Alternative 2 in the Draft EIS for the Donlin Gold Mine Project. All responsible and objective environmental and other reports indisputably reflect that the Project can and will be constructed and operated in a manner that will protect and respect the Calista Region, its people, land, fish and wildlife, and the Region's subsistence lifestyle. It is incontrovertible that the Project will offer economic opportunities by furnishing high paying positions in an area that is one of the poorest in the nation. And, critically important is the fact that local men and women will learn new skills that will last a lifetime. The positive economic impacts will be experienced in the Region and elsewhere in the State of Alaska.

Significantly, the natural gas pipeline will provide the Region with less expensive fuel which allow the Region to affordably continue with subsistence and related activities. As an employee of Calista Corporation, I am keenly aware of the economic and other challenges faced by many people in the Region. It would be shameful to hinder, delay or eliminate the vast and life changing prospects the Project offers.

Thank you for your courtesy and consideration in reviewing this letter and my concerns for the future of the Calista Region.

Sincerely,

Norman Resnick
Associate General Counsel