

SENATE BILL NO. 159

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY SENATOR MENARD

Introduced: 1/17/12

Referred: Resources, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act establishing the Susitna State Forest; and providing for an effective date."**

2 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

3 *** Section 1.** AS 41.17 is amended by adding a new section to read:

4 **Sec. 41.17.600. Susitna State Forest.** (a) Subject to valid existing rights, the
5 state-owned or acquired land and water lying within the parcels described in (d) of this
6 section is designated as the Susitna State Forest.

7 (b) The commissioner shall prepare a management plan for the Susitna State
8 Forest under AS 41.17.230.

9 (c) The commissioner may establish transportation corridors within the
10 Susitna State Forest.

11 (d) The Susitna State Forest includes the state-owned or acquired land within
12 the following described parcels:

13 (1) Alexander Creek

14 (A) Township 18 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian

15 Section 18

1 Section 19
 2 Sections 28 - 33
 3 (B) Township 18 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
 4 Sections 1 - 4
 5 Sections 6 - 8
 6 Sections 10 - 18
 7 Sections 20 - 28
 8 Section 33
 9 Section 34
 10 Section 36

11 (2) East Petersville

12 (A) Township 24 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
 13 Sections 3 - 6
 14 Sections 8 - 10
 15 (B) Township 25 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
 16 Section 3
 17 Section 4
 18 Sections 8 - 10
 19 Sections 15 - 17
 20 Sections 20 - 23
 21 Sections 26 - 29
 22 Sections 32 - 35

23 (C) Township 26 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian

24 Section 20
 25 Section 21
 26 Sections 27 - 29
 27 Section 33

28 (3) East Skwentna

29 (A) Township 20 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 30 Sections 1 - 13
 31 Sections 15 - 24

- 1 (B) Township 20 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
 2 Sections 1 - 6
 3 Sections 8 - 12
 4 Section 15
 5 Section 16
 6 (C) Township 21 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
 7 Section 30
 8 Section 31
 9 (D) Township 21 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 10 Sections 1 - 36
 11 (E) Township 21 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
 12 Sections 1 - 5
 13 Sections 8 - 17
 14 Sections 20 - 36
 15 (F) Township 22 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
 16 Sections 5 - 9
 17 Sections 16 - 18
 18 (G) Township 22 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 19 Sections 1 - 24
 20 Sections 26 - 35
 21 (H) Township 22 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
 22 Section 1
 23 Section 12
 24 Section 13
 25 Sections 32 - 36
 26 (I) Township 23 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
 27 Sections 5 - 8
 28 Section 18
 29 Section 19
 30 Section 30
 31 Section 31

- 1 (J) Township 23 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 2 Sections 1 - 36
- 3 (K) Township 23 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
 4 Section 13
 5 Section 25
 6 Section 36
- 7 (L) Township 24 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
 8 Section 31
 9 Section 32
- 10 (M) Township 24 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 11 Section 15
 12 Section 16
 13 Sections 21 - 23
 14 Sections 26 - 28
 15 Sections 33 - 36
- 16 (4) Houston
- 17 (A) Township 18 North, Range 2 West, Seward Meridian
 18 Sections 6 - 10
 19 Sections 16 - 18
- 20 (B) Township 18 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
 21 Sections 1 - 8
 22 Section 10
 23 Section 11
 24 Section 16
- 25 (C) Township 19 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
 26 Section 7
 27 Section 8
 28 Sections 17 - 20
 29 Sections 28 - 35
- 30 (D) Township 19 North, Range 4 West, Seward Meridian
 31 Section 36

- 1 (5) Kashwitna
- 2 (A) Township 22 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
- 3 Sections 1 - 4
- 4 Sections 9 - 12
- 5 Section 15
- 6 Section 16
- 7 (B) Township 23 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
- 8 Section 1
- 9 Sections 11 - 16
- 10 Sections 21 - 28
- 11 Sections 34 - 36
- 12 (6) Mount Susitna
- 13 (A) Township 14 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
- 14 Section 3
- 15 (B) Township 15 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 16 Sections 3 - 7
- 17 (C) Township 15 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
- 18 Sections 1 - 22
- 19 Sections 29 - 31
- 20 (D) Township 15 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
- 21 Sections 1 - 4
- 22 Sections 10 - 15
- 23 Sections 22 - 27
- 24 Sections 34 - 36
- 25 (E) Township 16 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 26 Sections 1 - 3
- 27 Sections 10 - 15
- 28 Sections 22 - 24
- 29 Section 27
- 30 Sections 34 - 36
- 31 (F) Township 16 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian

1	Sections 1 - 3
2	Sections 9 - 16
3	Sections 21 - 25
4	Section 27
5	Section 28
6	Sections 32 - 36
7	(G) Township 16 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
8	Sections 1 - 23
9	Sections 26 - 36
10	(H) Township 16 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
11	Section 1
12	Section 2
13	Section 12
14	Section 13
15	Section 24
16	(I) Township 17 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
17	Sections 4 - 6
18	Section 8
19	Section 9
20	Section 16
21	Section 17
22	Sections 19 - 23
23	Sections 25 - 28
24	Section 30
25	Section 31
26	Sections 34 - 36
27	(J) Township 17 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
28	Sections 1 - 11
29	Sections 14 - 19
30	Sections 22 - 27
31	Sections 29 - 32

- 1 Sections 34 - 36
- 2 (K) Township 17 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
- 3 Sections 1 - 6
- 4 Sections 8 - 17
- 5 Sections 20 - 29
- 6 Sections 32 - 36
- 7 (L) Township 17 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
- 8 Sections 1 - 3
- 9 Sections 11 - 14
- 10 Sections 23 - 26
- 11 Section 35
- 12 Section 36
- 13 (M) Township 18 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 14 Section 31
- 15 (N) Township 18 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
- 16 Section 7
- 17 Section 8
- 18 Section 14
- 19 Sections 17 - 36
- 20 (O) Township 18 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
- 21 Sections 1 - 20
- 22 Sections 22 - 27
- 23 Sections 30 - 36
- 24 (P) Township 18 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
- 25 Sections 4 - 6
- 26 Section 8
- 27 Section 9
- 28 Section 15
- 29 Section 16
- 30 Sections 21 - 27
- 31 Sections 34 - 36

- 1 (Q) Township 19 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 2 Sections 4 - 7
 3 Section 9
 4 Sections 16 - 22
 5 Sections 25 - 29
 6 Sections 32 - 35
 7 (R) Township 19 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
 8 Sections 1 - 8
 9 Section 12
 10 Section 13
 11 Sections 17 - 20
 12 Sections 26 - 34
 13 (S) Township 19 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian
 14 Sections 1 - 3
 15 Section 10
 16 Section 15
 17 Section 22
 18 Section 25
 19 Section 26
 20 Section 35
 21 Section 36
 22 (T) Township 20 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 23 Sections 29 - 32
 24 (U) Township 20 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
 25 Section 21
 26 Section 22
 27 Sections 25 - 36
 28 (V) Township 20 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian
 29 Section 25
 30 Section 35
 31 Section 36

- 1 (7) Red Shirt Lake
- 2 (A) Township 17 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
- 3 Sections 2 - 4
- 4 Sections 7 - 10
- 5 Sections 17 - 19
- 6 (B) Township 17 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
- 7 Sections 25 - 27
- 8 Sections 34 - 36
- 9 (C) Township 18 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
- 10 Section 1
- 11 Section 2
- 12 Sections 11 - 15
- 13 Sections 22 - 27
- 14 Sections 33 - 36
- 15 (D) Township 19 North, Range 5 West, Seward Meridian
- 16 Sections 19 - 22
- 17 Sections 28 - 33
- 18 (E) Township 19 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
- 19 Section 25
- 20 Section 36
- 21 (8) South Skwentna
- 22 (A) Township 19 North, Range 13 West, Seward Meridian
- 23 Sections 3 - 5
- 24 Sections 8 - 15
- 25 Section 24
- 26 (B) Township 20 North, Range 13 West, Seward Meridian
- 27 Section 4
- 28 Section 5
- 29 Sections 8 - 10
- 30 Sections 14 - 17
- 31 Sections 20 - 29

- 1 Sections 32 - 36
- 2 (C) Township 21 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian
- 3 Sections 30 - 32
- 4 (D) Township 21 North, Range 13 West, Seward Meridian
- 5 Sections 21 - 28
- 6 Sections 33 - 36
- 7 (9) Susitna
- 8 (A) Township 18 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
- 9 Section 2
- 10 Section 10
- 11 Section 11
- 12 (B) Township 19 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
- 13 Sections 4 - 6
- 14 Section 8
- 15 Section 9
- 16 Section 15
- 17 Section 16
- 18 Section 21
- 19 Section 22
- 20 Section 27
- 21 Section 28
- 22 (C) Township 19 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
- 23 Section 3
- 24 Section 4
- 25 Section 10
- 26 (D) Township 20 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
- 27 Section 5
- 28 Section 6
- 29 Section 8
- 30 Section 17
- 31 Section 20

- 1 Section 21
- 2 Sections 28 - 33
- 3 (E) Township 20 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
- 4 Sections 1 - 11
- 5 Sections 14 - 23
- 6 Sections 25 - 36
- 7 (F) Township 20 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 8 Sections 1 - 28
- 9 Sections 34 - 36
- 10 (G) Township 21 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
- 11 Sections 5 - 8
- 12 Section 18
- 13 Section 19
- 14 Sections 30 - 32
- 15 (H) Township 21 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
- 16 Sections 1 - 21
- 17 Sections 23 - 25
- 18 Sections 27 - 34
- 19 Section 36
- 20 (I) Township 21 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 21 Sections 1 - 36
- 22 (J) Township 21 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
- 23 Section 1
- 24 Section 2
- 25 Sections 7 - 9
- 26 Sections 11 - 14
- 27 Section 16
- 28 Section 17
- 29 Sections 20 - 28
- 30 Sections 34 - 36
- 31 (K) Township 22 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian

- 1 Sections 15 - 22
- 2 Sections 27 - 34
- 3 (L) Township 22 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 4 Section 1
- 5 Section 5
- 6 Section 6
- 7 Sections 8 - 36
- 8 (M) Township 22 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
- 9 Sections 13 - 15
- 10 Sections 22 - 27
- 11 Section 35
- 12 Section 36
- 13 (N) Township 23 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 14 Sections 17 - 20
- 15 Section 25
- 16 Section 29
- 17 Sections 30 - 32
- 18 Section 36
- 19 (O) Township 23 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
- 20 Section 1
- 21 Section 2
- 22 Sections 11 - 13
- 23 Section 24
- 24 (10) Talkeetna
- 25 (A) Township 23 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
- 26 Section 2
- 27 Section 3
- 28 Section 9
- 29 Section 10
- 30 (B) Township 24 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
- 31 Sections 1 - 5

- 1 Sections 8 - 16
- 2 Sections 22 - 27
- 3 Sections 34 - 36
- 4 (11) West Petersville
- 5 (A) Township 24 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
- 6 Sections 18 - 20
- 7 Sections 28 - 31
- 8 (B) Township 24 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 9 Sections 2 - 23
- 10 Section 26
- 11 Section 27
- 12 (C) Township 24 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
- 13 Section 1
- 14 Sections 10 - 15
- 15 (D) Township 25 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
- 16 Section 6
- 17 Section 7
- 18 (E) Township 25 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 19 Sections 1 - 5
- 20 Sections 8 - 36
- 21 (F) Township 25 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
- 22 Section 25
- 23 Section 36
- 24 (G) Township 26 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 25 Sections 4 - 9
- 26 Sections 16 - 21
- 27 Section 28
- 28 Section 29
- 29 Section 32
- 30 Section 33
- 31 (H) Township 26 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian

- 1 Section 1
- 2 Section 2
- 3 Section 12
- 4 Section 13
- 5 (12) West Skwentna
- 6 (A) Township 21 North, Range 15 West, Seward Meridian
- 7 Sections 1 - 4
- 8 Sections 9 - 11
- 9 Section 16
- 10 (B) Township 22 North, Range 14 West, Seward Meridian
- 11 Sections 4 - 10
- 12 Sections 16 - 21
- 13 (C) Township 22 North, Range 15 West, Seward Meridian
- 14 Sections 1 - 3
- 15 Sections 10 - 24
- 16 Sections 28 - 30
- 17 Section 35
- 18 Section 36
- 19 (D) Township 22 North, Range 16 West, Seward Meridian
- 20 Sections 13 - 17
- 21 Sections 20 - 29
- 22 (E) Township 23 North, Range 14 West, Seward Meridian
- 23 Section 7
- 24 Section 8
- 25 Sections 17 - 21
- 26 Sections 28 - 33
- 27 (F) Township 23 North, Range 15 West, Seward Meridian
- 28 Sections 3 - 6
- 29 Sections 9 - 17
- 30 Sections 19 - 36
- 31 (G) Township 23 North, Range 16 West, Seward Meridian

- 1 Sections 23 - 26
- 2 Section 35
- 3 Section 36
- 4 (13) Willer-Kash
- 5 (A) Township 20 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
- 6 Sections 3 - 10
- 7 Sections 15 - 18
- 8 Sections 20 - 22
- 9 Sections 26 - 29
- 10 (B) Township 21 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
- 11 Sections 2 - 10
- 12 Section 15
- 13 Sections 17 - 22
- 14 Sections 27 - 34
- 15 (C) Township 22 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
- 16 Sections 13 - 15
- 17 Sections 21 - 28
- 18 Sections 33 - 36
- 19 (14) Yentna
- 20 (A) Township 24 North, Range 13 West, Seward Meridian
- 21 Sections 29 - 32
- 22 (B) Township 24 North, Range 14 West, Seward Meridian
- 23 Sections 2 - 11
- 24 Sections 14 - 33
- 25 Section 35
- 26 (C) Township 24 North, Range 15 West, Seward Meridian
- 27 Sections 1 - 3
- 28 Sections 10 - 15
- 29 Sections 22 - 24
- 30 (D) Township 25 North, Range 14 West, Seward Meridian
- 31 Sections 6 - 8

