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The Honorable Don Young
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Dear Congressman Don Young,

On behalf of the 5,932 working men and women of the Alaska Teamsters Local 959, I am honored to announce our support and endorsement of your candidacy for the U.S. House of Representatives.

Teamsters Local 959 proudly represents a diverse group of Alaskans, spanning nearly every sector, occupation and trade in our state and local economies. Our membership continues to be a driving force behind the many industries vital to Alaska's growth, development, and social and economic wellbeing; including healthcare, education, transportation and construction. Throughout your time in Congress we have always counted on and received your support on the many issues that affect Teamsters and the countless working men and women of Alaska. For this, we are thankful.

As Alaska's sole Congressman, your passion and dedication for developing new jobs and opportunities for our workforce is unquestionable. Your leadership in Congress, particularly the vital role you played in securing the passage of the recent 5-year highway transportation bill, continues to create new wealth and certainty for our state. Your consistent support for workers' rights, fair wages, and organized labor efforts to protect American workers has earned you our overwhelming support and endorsement this year.

Even in these times of growing partisanship, your policies and politics have always transcended party in order to build a strong, more prosperous Alaska. We wish you all the best this November and look forward to working with you on the many issues impacting our economy and the dedicated working men and women of Alaska.

Sincerely,

GENERAL TEAMSTERS LOCAL 959

Rick Boyles
Secretary-Treasurer

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