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Lieutenant Governor Loren Leman

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Re: Zahasky Family String Band

I have enjoyed listening to the wholesome and uplifting music from the Zahasky family during the past nearly four years I have served as Alaska's Lieutenant Governor. This family has provided music for the Governor's Prayer Breakfasts in Juneau, which I have hosted. I have also heard other previous performances when I served as a State legislator.

The Zahasky family is obviously talented musically. However, even more important than that, they project an image that I believe is important for Alaska—a family that works and recreates together. They have fun being with each other.

As a somewhat budding musician myself, although not in the class of the Zahaskys, I enjoy observing other musicians—especially when they do their music well. The Zahasky mix of bluegrass, swing and traditional music provides something for just about everybody.

I encourage you to consider investing in the Zahasky Family String Band music ministry, so the family may expand its outreach to other areas in Southeast Alaska. I believe it will be a worthwhile investment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Loren Leman".

Loren Leman
Lieutenant Governor