

SOUTHEAST CONFERENCE

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING COMPLETION OF AND STATE FUNDING FOR THE SWAN-TYEE INTERTIE PROJECT

(Resolution 07-05)

WHEREAS, the Swan-Tyee Intertie will interconnect the Tyee lake hydroelectric project with the Swan lake hydroelectric project in Southeast Alaska; and

WHEREAS, this 57-mile interconnection will complete the transmission link from Ketchikan to Petersburg, and

WHEREAS, the Tyee Lake hydro project has surplus energy available which will be transmitted to Ketchikan to meet their increasing loads including the Veneer Plant, Shipyard expansion, and Gravina Island development; and

WHEREAS, the Sway-Tyee Intertie has been designed, permitted, and installation of the tower foundations are approximately 50% complete; and

WHEREAS, completion of this intertie segment is necessary for the development and transmission of hydro power from southern Southeast Alaska to Canada and the lower 48 over the proposed ALCAN Intertie; and

WHEREAS, this project has been prioritized by the Energy Committee of Southeast Conference along with the Juneau to Hoonah and the Petersburg to Kake Intertie segments; and

WHEREAS, the Swan-Tyee Intertie will provide critical electrical transmission infrastructure which will allow the development and transmission of renewable hydro power to communities in Southeast Alaska thereby displacing costly diesel generation with its associated environmental impacts.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Southeast Conference supports the completion of and State funding for the Swan-Tyee Intertie segment in Southeast Alaska.

**ADOPTED BY THE SOUTHEAST CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP ON
SEPTEMBER 21, 2006 at Ketchikan, Alaska.**

Witnessed by:



Carol Rushmore
President

Attested by:



Murray Walsh
Executive Director