

**SEISMIC HAZARDS SAFETY COMMISSION**

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**STATE OF ALASKA**

**SEISMIC HAZARDS SAFETY COMMISSION RESOLUTION NO. 2006-03**

**A RESOLUTION REGARDING SELECTING ANCHORAGE, ALASKA AS THE SITE  
FOR THE NATIONAL EARTHQUAKE ENGINEERING CONFERENCE IN THE  
YEAR 2014**

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WHEREAS, Alaska is one of the most seismically active region in the world; and

WHEREAS, the year 2014 will be the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Great Alaska Earthquake of 1964; and

WHEREAS, the National Earthquake Engineering Conference in the year 2014 can serve to commemorate this earth-shaking event; and

WHEREAS, this seismic event led to major changes in earthquake engineering design; and

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska will continue to experience earthquakes with potentially damaging effects

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Seismic Hazards Safety Commission requests that Anchorage, Alaska be selected as the site for the 2014 National Earthquake engineering Conference

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Alaska Seismic Hazards Safety Commission on this 5th day of December 2006.



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