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Governor Bill Walker STATE OF ALASKA

Dear Friends,

Welcome to Anchorage for the twelfth annual Alaska Oil and Gas Congress 2016! It is an honor to be among the industry's leaders from across the United States, Canada, and abroad.

I have been personally invested in oil and gas development issues for many years – ever since working in the trades during the building of the Trans-Alaska Pipeline System.

My administration has been aggressively working to bring Alaska's vast natural gas resources to Alaskans and world export markets. The Alaska LNG Project is about innovative people and technology coming together to develop Alaska's resources in a safe and efficient manner. In addition to generating billions of dollars in revenue for Alaska, and providing more affordable energy for Alaskans, the Alaska LNG Project would be the single largest infrastructure investment in Alaska's history.

I look forward to working with industry leaders as we continue to develop resources to improve the quality of life for Alaskans.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bill Walker".

Bill Walker
Governor

