I, BYRON I. MALLOTT, Commissioner of the Department of Community
and Regional Affairs, do hereby certify that the attached recommendation for a local
government boundary change entitled:

Recommendation for Changing the
Corporate Boundaries of the City
of Whittier


A PETITION requesting the annexation of adjoining territory east of their
corporate limits was submitted by the City of Whittier and received by the Depart-
ment of Community and Regional Affairs on May 11, 1972. The Department completed
its investigation of the petition and the Local Boundary Commission called for and
held a public hearing in Whittier on October 17, 1972. A formal business meeting
was held by the Commission in Anchorage on December 5, 1972, at which time a
majority of the members of the Commission voted to alter the boundaries as sought
by the petitioners: to accept the amended petition and to recommend to the legislature
the boundary change presented therein.

THE COMMISSION'S recommendation was presented to the State Legislature
pursuant to Section 12, Article X of the Constitution of the State of Alaska:

Section 12. Boundaries. A local boundary commission or board
shall be established by law in the executive branch of the state
government. The Commission or board may consider any pro-
aposed local government boundary change. It may present pro-
aposed changes to the legislature during the first ten days of any
regular session. The change shall become effective forty-five
days after presentation or at the end of the session, whichever
is earlier, unless disapproved by a resolution concurred in by
a majority of the members of each house.

THE FIRST SESSION of the Eighth State Legislature received the Commiss-
sion's recommendation on January 17, 1973, the tenth day of the legislative
session. A resolution of disapproval was introduced but not adopted by a majority
of the members of each House. The Local Boundary Commission's "Recommendation
for changing the Corporate Boundaries of the City of Whittier, Alaska"
became effective on March 4, 1973, the forty-sixth day after presentation to the legislature. The boundaries of the City of Whittier are now, therefore, as described by the Local Boundary Commission's recommendation, to wit:

Beginning at the SE corner of Section 2 Unsurveyed T8N, R5E, projected Seward Meridian, Alaska; thence west to the southwest corner of Section 2 T8N, R5E; thence north to the SW corner of the NW ¼ of Section 2, T8N, R5E; thence west to the SW corner of the NE ¼ of Section 4, T8N, R5E; thence south to the SW corner of the SE ¼ of Section 4, T8N, R5E; thence west to the NW corner of Section 10, T8N, R4E; thence south to the SW corner of Section 22, T8N, R4E; thence east to the SE corner of Section 24, T8N, R4E; thence north to the SW corner of Section 18, T8N, R5E; thence east to the SE corner of Section 14, T8N, R5E; thence north to the point of beginning, containing 19.75 square miles more or less.

GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the State of Alaska, in the City and Borough of Juneau, on this 6th, day of April, 1973.

[Signature]
Commissioner
Department of Community and Regional Affairs

ATTEST: [Signature]
Lieutenant Governor

[Recorded Information]
Whittier REC. DIST.
DATE May 2 1973
TIME 3:30 PM
Requested by William M. Twitchell
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