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Dear Director,

A moving scare convinced me I have been hanging on to this far too long.

In 1987 I corresponded with Lisa D. Chavez about the enclosed tapes, produced during research for my book Alaska Nicknames. The tapes record a meeting on March 5, 1987 with old timers from the Kenai area: William J. Imlach, Jr, Aleck and Stella O. Griechen, and Lowell J. Thorsness.

I had attempted to transcribe the tapes but never completed the project. The transcription was rough, and the tape counting numbers were off. Also, I went through a succession of new computers that wouldn't read the old files. So, it sat on my desk all these years. But no more.

Tag, you're it.

Yours very truly,



Kathy Hunter