



March 27, 2023

Petersburg Borough Assembly  
PO Box 329  
Petersburg, AK 99833

Re: Designation of New Assets

Dear Mayor Jensen and Assembly Members:

The Devil's Thumb Shooters, Petersburg's youth shotgun marksmanship club, works very hard each year to raise money to help with purchasing supplies necessary to conduct both a spring and fall program; provide needed safety instruction and equipment for the sport; provide competition opportunities to those members who desire to travel to both Juneau and Anchorage to participate in tournaments; and to provide the ever needed on-going maintenance to the shotgun venue at the range. Over the past two seasons the DTS organization has also worked diligently to promote two costly upgrades to Petersburg's public gun range without aid of taxpayer funding: 1) constructed a new covered 10 x 32 foot covered shelter, and 2) purchased a new wobble trap machine. These two public improvements exceed \$27,000 in value.

To assure there is no question in the future as to whom these assets belong, the Devil's Thumb Shooter's Board of Directors hereby dedicates/transfers the shotgun shelter structure and the new PatTrap unit (located within the most westerly trap house on the gun range premises) to the public gun range with hopes that the assets will continue to be used by borough residents, organizations, businesses, and visitors.

These two specific improvements would not have been realized without help from: A grant from the Petersburg Community Foundation; In-Kind labor from Jesse West/Rainforest Contractors; Petersburg Rod and Gun Club; Cash donations from community members and visitors; and OBI.

The DTS organization is very grateful to the many residents, businesses and service organizations that consistently show support to our program by gifts of cash, discounts, donated materials and labor, and outright positive encouragement to our youth team members. The Petersburg community is truly amazing!!

Sincerely,

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