

# Memorial Service for Congressman Nick Begich January 7

ANCHORAGE : A Memorial Service will be held for Congressman Nick Begich on January 7, 1973, Gene Kennedy, Administrative Assistant to the Congressman, announced from the Anchorage office.

The public service will be in

the auditorium of East Anchorage High School at two o'clock and all of the Congressman's many friends have been invited to attend.

Congressman John A. Blatnik of Minnesota is assisting in coordinating the Congressional

participation in the service which will be attended by Mrs. Pegge Begich, the Begich children, Mr. and Mrs. John Begich, the Congressman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jendro, Mrs. Begich's parents, the staff of the Washington office and a

large Congressional delegation.

Those participating in the memorial event will be State Representative Gene Guess as Master of Ceremonies, Joe Josephson, Chairman of the Federal-State Land-Use Planning Commission, Dewey Ehling of

the University of Alaska, and Mrs. Margaret Pohjola. Members of Congress will also participate in the event.

The eulogy will be delivered by Emil Notti, a long-time friend of Congressman Begich and State Co-Chairman for four of the six statewide campaigns in which the Congressman ran for public office.