

Organization to Aid Land Claims

Support of an equitable and prompt settlement of Alaska Native land claims is the goal of a statewide organization formed in Anchorage last Tuesday.

Richard A. Miller of Sitka, acting chairman, said the principal activity of the group, "Supporters of Settlement," Alaska

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Native Land Claims Committee, is to help inform the Alaska public of the foundations of native claims, and legal, moral and historical issues, to provide a broadly-based support to natives in their efforts to obtain prompt and equitable settlement.

The steering committee, named following a public meeting Monday evening, is preparing bylaws and organizational plans for public meetings elsewhere in the state.

Miller said membership in the organization is open to all Alaskans. Persons in Anchorage who are interested in membership should contact Miller at Box 847, Sitka. ▶

The interim steering committee members who will serve until a larger, statewide base is established are Wendell P. Kay, David B. Ring, Max G. Dreier, Mrs. M.S. Frankel, and Richard A. Miller.