

Senator Stevens Would Like Rotating Native Art Exhibits

Indian and Alaskan art work may soon be on display in the Washington, D.C. office of Senator Ted Stevens.

In a letter to Howard Rock, one of the commissioners of the Indian and Arts and Crafts Board of the Department of Interior, Stevens said:

"I am very much interested in displaying Indian and Alaskan art work in my front office for all to enjoy. This would include paintings, sketches and other art pieces we could hang that would typify Alaska and would be done by artists in our State."

Stevens asked Rock to look "into the possibility of a potential art loan program for my office. . ."

Rock says he has talked with Ron Senungetuk, director of the Extension Center in Arts and Crafts under Statewide Services with the University of Alaska, to ask him to consider the possibility of coming up with a rotating art show for Senator Stevens' office.