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TUNDRA TIMES TO REMAIN IN FAIRBANKS

Stockholders of the Tundra Times voted Monday night to retain the weekly newspaper's headquarters in Fairbanks.

The action was taken after the stockholders failed to ratify

a motion made a few months ago by the board of directors to move the Eskimo, Indian, Aleut paper to Anchorage by May 3.

In effect, the stockholders acted on Rock's recommenda-

tion that the paper remain Fairbanks-based, but with the door left open to a future Anchorage move if such a move emerges as beneficial.

In his president's report to

the annual stockholders meeting at The Switzerland, publisher-editor Howard Rock said the paper will solicit articles from Anchorage written by professional free-lance writers.

The number of directors was reduced from 15 to 11 and the following officers were elected: Rock, president; Chris Anderson, executive vice president (a

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newly-created position); Elfrieda Kushida, first vice president; Daphne Gustafson, second vice president; James Immel, treasurer, and Mary Jane Fate, secretary.

Board members elected were Rock, chairman, Kushida, Gustafson, Anderson, Mary Jane Fate, Ron Senungetuk, Immel, Betty Johnson, Charles Cole, Jim Bedford and Karen Perdue.

Advisory board members named are Laura Bergt, Dr. Mildred Matthews, Toni Jones,

Fred Brown, David Stein, Dean Wariner, John Shively, Bill Timme, Professor Victor Fischer, Lauri Herman, Tom Richards Sr., George Bell, Ron Crowe, John Sackett and Barry Jackson.

Stein was presented a tan corduroy parka, trimmed with wolf and wolverine, and made by Mrs. Olive Anderson. The gift was in appreciation of his efforts on behalf of the Tundra Times. Stein is general manager of the Anchorage Daily News.