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The proposed changes would essentially eradicate any small dairy due to the cost prohibition of building infrastructure to meet requirements and subsequently make the food supply in Alaska less secure. Sanitation and food safety can be accomplished even at a two or three head dairy, but these proposed changes are geared toward much larger dairies and are completely economically unfeasible for any small dairy. Especially in these trying supply chain times, any changes that threaten the food supply within the state without providing a clear overwhelming benefit to the public should be scrutinized closely and weighed against possible outcomes. It seems a food safety label would be a much more feasible requirement that would cost the state less while also helping to maintain the food security of all Alaskans. Should people know the risks of a food? Yes. Can this be accomplished without over regulating and subsequently reducing food security? Also yes.