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October 16, 2012

Department of Environmental Conservation
Division of Water
P.O. Box 111800
Juneau, AK 99811-1800
Fax: (907) 465-5177

Attn: Chris Foley
Re: Notice of Intent and Best Management Practices Plan

Mr. Foley,

The City of Homer, Port and Harbor Fish Waste Grinding and Disposal Facility operates under APDES Permit No. AK-G52-0518. Enclosed is our Notice of Intent application designating the City of Homer as the owner and operator of the fish grinding facility. The City oversees the use and responsibilities of this facility and outfall line, thus we are accountable for the required permitting to ensure continued compliance. As per NOI requirements, the City of Homer Port and Harbor has a Best Management Practices Plan in place, and to which the facility operates under.

Please contact me at 907-235-3160 with any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Bryan Hawkins
Port Director/Harbormaster

Attached: NOI APDEC Seafood Processor General Permit AK-G52-0518
Bathymetric Map of Receiving Water & Area
Location & Water Line Flow Map

NOTICE OF INTENT

to be covered under

APDES GENERAL PERMIT AK-G52-0000

for

SEAFOOD PROCESSORS IN ALASKA

(See Part IV.C. of the Permit, reissued 2001)

Please submit this NOI to:

Department of Environmental Conservation
Division of Water

555 Cordova Street
Anchorage, AK 99501

Submittal of this document constitutes notice that the party identified in Section 1 intends to be covered by the APDES general permit authorizing discharges from seafood processing activities in Alaska and obligates the permittee to comply with the terms and conditions of the permit.

Please fill in all information. Attach supplemental information sheets as appropriate.

SECTION 1 - PERMIT INFORMATION

APDES PERMIT NO. AK-G52 - 0518	ADEC Number (Seafood Processor License)

SECTION 2 - OPERATOR INFORMATION (Part IV.C.2)

Company Name City of Homer Port & Harbor	
Address 4350 Homer Spit Road	Phone 907-235-3160
City/State/Zip Homer, AK 99603	FAX 907-235-3152
Representative/Title Bryan Hawkins, Port Director/Harbormaster	E-mail bhawkins@ci.homer.ak.us

SECTION 3 - OWNER INFORMATION (Part IV.C.3)

Owner Name City of Homer Port & Harbor	
Address 4350 Homer Spit Road	Phone 907-235-3160
City/State/Zip Homer, AK 99603	FAX 907-235-3152
Representative/Title Bryan Hawkins, Port Director/Harbormaster	E-mail bhawkins@ci.homer.ak.us

SECTION 4 - FACILITY or VESSEL INFORMATION (Part IV.C.4)

Facility/Vessel Name City of Homer Port & Harbor	No of Employees
Address 4350 Homer Spit Road	Phone 907-235-3160
City/State/Zip Homer, AK 99603	FAX 907-235-3152
Latitude and Longitude of Discharge(s) 59° 36.18' N / 151° 24.68' W	
Previous facility/vessel name(s) n/a	

Type of vessel n/a	USCG no. n/a	Vessel length n/a

SECTION 5 - FACILITY CLASSIFICATION (Part IV.C.5; Check each that applies)

☐	Offshore floating seafood processor: operating and discharging between 1 and 3 nautical mile from shore at MLLW
☐	Nearshore floating seafood processor: operating and discharging from one (1) to one half (0.5) nautical mile from shore at MLLW
✓	Shore-based seafood processor: operating and discharging less than one half (0.5) nautical mile from shore at MLLW (Includes vessels that meet discharge location criteria)

SECTION 6 - PROJECTED PRODUCTION INFORMATION (Part IV.C.6; Check all that apply)

	Whole	✓	Head-on & Gutted	✓	Headed & Gutted		Fillets		Cured, salted or smoked
	Canned		Fish meal		Surimi, fish paste		Mince, dry/ washed		Mince, wet/ unwashed
	Roe		Crab: whole, pieces		Shrimp, scallops, clams, oysters, snails, urchins, cucumbers (circle appropriate items)				Other (identify):

Type Processed (by type, e.g., cod, pollock, salmon)	Finished Product (by type, e.g., fillets, surimi, canned)	24-hour Design Capacity in lbs of processing raw product	Location (Lat/Long or ADF&G areas)	Anticipated Processing Activity -- Number of days per month											
				Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Sport Fish	carcasses	n/a	59°36.18'N 151°24.68'W	0	0	0	0	6	10	13	12	9	0	0	0
Charter Fish	carcasses	n/a	59°36.18'N 151°24.68'W	0	0	0	3	6	16	22	18	7	1	1	0
Commercial Fish	carcasses	n/a	59°36.18'N 151°24.68'W	11	11	14	6	5	10	16	7	4	5	2	0

SECTION 7 - RECEIVING WATER INFORMATION (Part IV.C.7)

Name(s) of waterbody(ies) receiving discharges of the facility Kachemak Bay, Alaska

Name of any larger, adjacent receiving waterbody(ies) Cook Inlet, Alaska

List any areas within three (3) nautical miles of operation which are excluded from coverage under the General Permit (e.g., Parks, Preserves, Refuges, Critical Habitats etc.)

Kachemak Bay State Critical Habitat Area

Nature of Receiving Water: Discharge is to marine water ✓ Discharge is to fresh water ☐ Discharge is to estuary or tidal tributary ☐

Attention: Nearshore and Shore-based Processors must submit a bathymetric map of the receiving water within one (1) nautical mile of the discharge showing the location of the facility and all discharge point(s)

SECTION 8 - DESCRIPTION of DISCHARGES (Part IV.C.8)

Sanitary Wastes n/a - no sinks, showers, toilets in facility

	Package Treatment Plant		Municipal System
	On-site septic system		Community Septic system
	USCG Approved System (MSD) Type:		Capacity (gals/day):

Seafood Processing Wastes

Outfall depth: -28 ft. MLLW | Outfall distance from shore: 150 ft. | Water depth at outfall: -28 ft.

Vessels indicate the range of water column depths at which vessel discharges processing wastes: n/a to ft.

Grinder - Type/Name: AUTIO 801 GHP Grinds seafood wastes to: 1/2 inch width

Other Wastewaters (Check all that apply)

	Process disinfectants		Transfer water
	Cooling water		Gray water
	Boiler water		Live tank water
	Cooking water		Air scrubber water
	Refrigerated seawater	✓	Other (name): non-contact saltwater for cooling

Projected Maximum Quantity in lbs of Process Waste Solids that are Discharged

Specific Species Processed	TOTAL DAILY Amount of Solids Discharged	TOTAL ANNUAL Amount of Solids Discharged
See Annual Report	0 to 76,000 lbs.	1,500,000 to 2,000,000 lbs.
(Salmon, Halibut, Cod, Sablefish)	lbs.	lbs.
	lbs.	lbs.

SECTION 9 - REFUELING CAPABILITY and PROXIMITY TO FUELING STATIONS (Part VI.C.9)

Does your facility/vessel refuel fishing vessels? Yes ☐ No ✓
If yes, what is the capacity of your refueling tanks?

If no, what is the location and distance to the nearest refueling station? Pioneer Dock-Commercial Fuel 380'

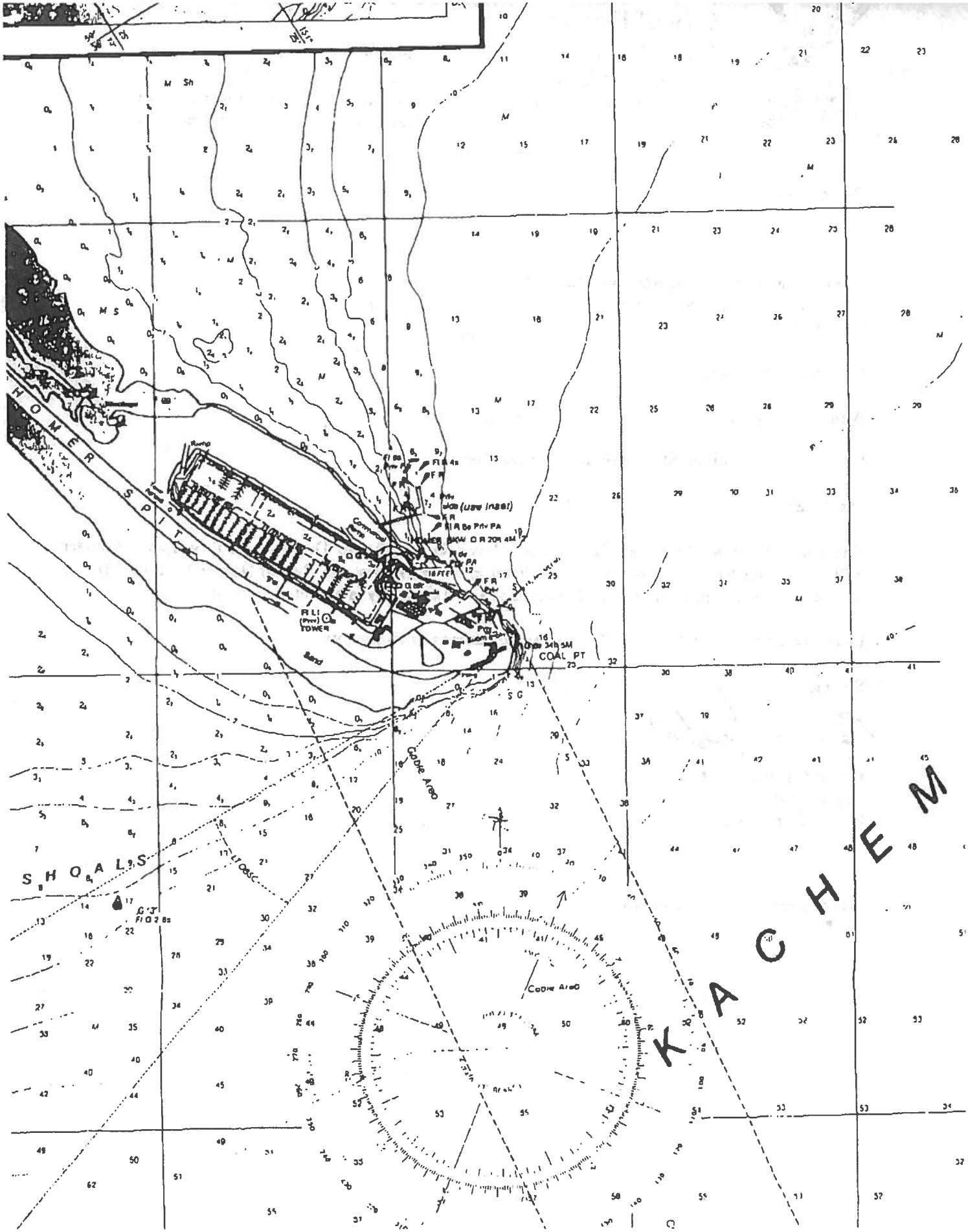
SECTION 10 - SUBMITTALS (Part IV.C.10; to be attached to this NOI) * shore-based & near-shore processors only

✓	Letter certifying that the facility has developed and operates in accordance with a Best Management Practices Plan
✓	Location Map showing the location of the facility in the context of the coastal area of Alaska *
✓	Bathymetric Map of Receiving Water showing facility, outfall and water depths within one mile of the discharge *
	Waiver Request (for seafloor survey, discharging to excluded areas (Part III.A,B,C), if applicable

SECTION 11- SIGNATURE and CERTIFICATION (Part IV.C.11)

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Signature Principal or Partner	Title/Company Port Director/Harbormaster, City of Homer
Print Name Bryan Hawkins	Date October 16, 2012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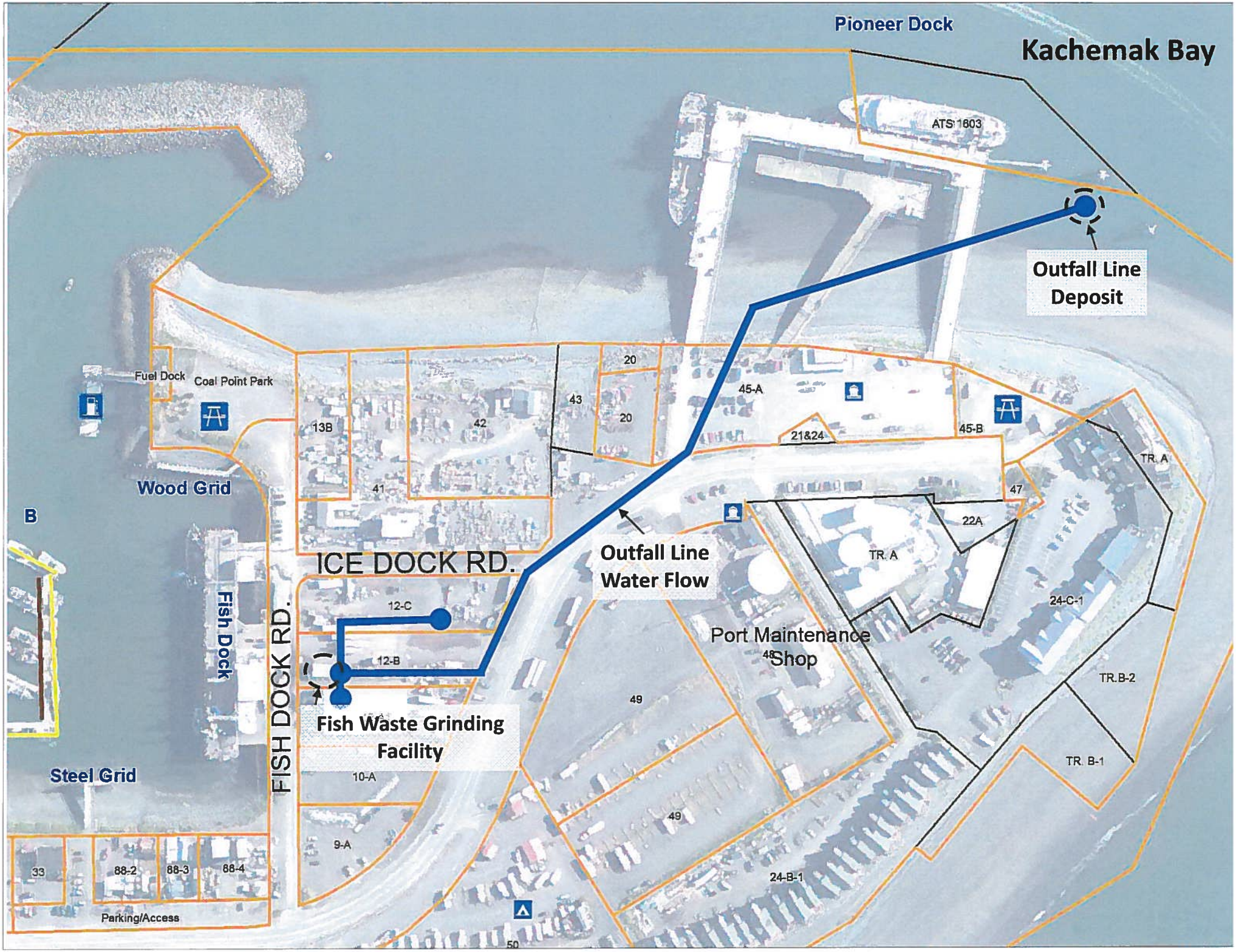
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Kachemak Bay
ATS 1603
Outfall Line
Deposit
Fuel Dock
Coal Point Park
Wood Grid
B
Fish Dock
Steel Grid
FISH DOCK RD.
ICE DOCK RD.
13B
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45-A
21&24
45-B
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22A
TR. A
TR. A
24-C-1
TR.B-2
TR. B-1
Outfall Line
Water Flow
Port Maintenance
Shop
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24-B-1
12-C
12-B
Fish Waste Grinding
Facility
10-A
9-A
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88-2
88-3
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Parking/Access
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