

SUMMARY OF JUNEAU PUBLIC MEETINGS

December 18, 2001

Meeting Time and Location

A public hearing was conducted December 18, 2001, 12:00-1:30 p.m. at ADEC Juneau offices and 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. at University of Alaska Southeast.

Publicity and Promotion

- Public notice published in local paper, *Juneau Empire* on December 12 and 16.
- News article on the hearing and GRS process appeared in December 16 *Juneau Empire*.
- Public announcement/testimony at Juneau City Assembly, December 17. Broadcasted live on KTOO public radio.
- Interview and news story on KINY (January 15, 2002)
- News announcement on KTOO radio.
- E-mail notice through master contact list.

Feedback

Eight people attended the public hearings. After listening to an overview of the GRS process, and receiving a handout that described the process and listed the candidate sites, the attendees provided the following comments:

1. Generally approved of the priority selections for the Juneau area zone.
2. Taku Inlet (Dorothy Creek): Sea lions frequent the area in the spring. Sport and commercial fishing prominent in the summer. The waters near Dorothy Creek are a natural collection point.
3. Admiralty Cove: Important for its geese, wetlands and bear.
4. Spasski Bay: Has a natural collection eddy. Important for its sea birds, salmon and wetlands.
5. Barlow Cove: Also has collection eddy. Salmon stream, seals and crab significant.