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## 9770.6 – North Slope

The following presents regional organizational information for the North Slope Subarea:

*(The area code for all phone and fax numbers is 907, unless otherwise indicated)*

Borough:

**North Slope Borough**, P.O. Box 69, Barrow, AK 99723;

*Phone: 852-2611; Fax: 852-0337;*

*E-mail: [charlotte.brower@north-slope.org](mailto:charlotte.brower@north-slope.org) Web: <http://www.north-slope.org/>*

Regional Native Corporation:

**Arctic Slope Regional Corp.**, P.O. Box 129, Barrow, AK 99723;

*Phone: 852-8633; Fax: 852-5733*

School District:

**North Slope Borough Schools**, Box 169, Barrow, AK 99723-0169;

*Phone: 852-5311; Fax: 852-5984*

Regional Development:

**North Slope Borough, Mayor's Office** P.O. Box 69, Barrow, AK 99723;

*Phone: 852-2611; Fax: 852-0337;*

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Housing Authority:

**Tagiugmiullu Nunamiullu Housing Authority**, P.O. Box 409, Barrow, AK 99723;

*Phone: 852-0290; Fax: 852-0373*

Regional Health Corporation:

Arctic Slope Native Association, Box 1232 Barrow, AK 99723

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION:

ARCTIC COUNCIL WEBSITE: [HTTP://WWW.ARCTIC-COUNCIL.ORG/INDEX.PHP/EN/](http://www.arctic-council.org/index.php/en/)

**9770.6.01 – Anaktuvuk Pass**

**ANAKTUVUK PASS**

**Pronunciation:** an-ack-TOO-vick

a.k.a. Naqsrarmiut Tribe

**Population:** 324 (2010 U.S. Census Population)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** North Slope Borough

**Location & Climate:**

Anaktuvuk Pass is located at 2,200 feet elevation on the divide between the Anaktuvuk and John Rivers in the central Brooks Range. The village lies about 250 miles northwest of Fairbanks and about the same distance southeast of Barrow. Anaktuvuk Pass is one of the most scenic villages on the North Slope, surrounded by tall mountains and near rivers and lakes. The community is located in the Gates of the Arctic National Parks and Preserve.

68.143 North Latitude and -151.735 West Longitude.  
 Sec. 18, T015S, R002E, Umiat Meridian

The climate of Anaktuvuk Pass is strongly continental. Due to its high elevation, summers are cool. The average temperature in January is -14 °F. The average summer temperature is 50 °F. Extremes ranging from a low of -56 to a high of 91 °F have been recorded. Precipitation averages 11 inches and snowfall averages 63 inches per year.

EMERGENCY SERVICES			
Police, North Slope Borough	852-6111	Fire, Anaktuvuk Pass VFD	Dispatch 661-6814 Office 633-6814
VPSO		EMS	Contact VFD
Alaska State Troopers, Barrow	852-3783	Clinic, Anaktuvuk Pass Clinic	661-3914

LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS			
	Name	Phone	Fax
City	City of Anaktuvuk Pass	661-3612	661-3613
	Primary Contact:	City Clerk	
Village/Tribal Council	Village of Anaktuvuk Pass (a.k.a. Naqsrarmiut Tribal Council)	661-2575	661-2576
	Primary Contact:	[INSERT TITLE, President, Administrator, Admin Asst.]	
	Environmental Coordinator:		
School	Nunamiut School	661-3226	

School District	North Slope Borough Schools	852-5311	
Village Corporation	Nunamiut Corporation	661-3220	661-3025
Regional Native Corporation	Arctic Slope Regional Corp	339-6000 (Anch.) 852-8633 (Barrow)	339-6028
OTHER			

TRANSPORTATION		
ROAD:	Accessible by road?	No road access.
AIR:	Airline service available from Fairbanks & Barrow.	Scheduled and charter flights available.
WATER:	Accessible by boat?	No.
Local Transportation and Services		
Local Transportation:	ATV & Snowmachines, limited truck use	
Local Roads and Trails:	"Cat-trains" transport cargo from the Trans-Alaska pipeline haul road during winter months	
Vehicle Rental:		
Airline Services:	Arctic Circle Air Service, Era Alaska, Evert Air Alaska, Larry's Flying Service Tanana Air Service, Warbelow's Air Ventures and Wright Air Service	

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES			
Lodging & Food			
Housing Facility	Point of Contact	Phone	
[Name 1]			
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Yes/No Kitchen Available: Yes/No	Season:	
[Name 2]			
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Yes/No Kitchen Available: Yes/No	Season:	
Food Service & Groceries			
Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		

	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	Name		Phone
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Washeteria			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
[Name/Operator]			
Tank Farm	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	Name/Service Provider		
Telephone (Landline)	AT&T Alascom, GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone		
Telephone (Cellular)	GCI		
Internet Service Provider	GCI		
Electricity Provider	North Slope Borough Power & Light, 852-0340		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	Most households have water delivered by truck to holding tanks. Almost 80% of homes have running water in the kitchen.		
Primary Sewage System:	<i>Information not available.</i>		

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	Internet  Yes / No
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Quantity	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			
[other]			
[other]			
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?			
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection	

**Economy:**

Economic and employment opportunities are limited in Anaktuvuk Pass, due to its isolation. Hunting and trapping for the sale of skins, guiding hunters, or making traditional Caribou skin masks or clothing provides income. Some residents have seasonal employment outside of the community. Anaktuvuk’s economy is largely based on subsistence hunting of caribou.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Anaktuvuk Pass, a historic caribou migration route, is the last remaining settlement of the inland Iñupiat Eskimo, the Nunamiut. The Nunamiut make up 88 percent of the population. The community is dependent upon subsistence activities. Caribou is the primary source of meat;

other subsistence foods include trout, grayling, moose, sheep, brown bear, ptarmigan, water fowl and berries. Caribou migrate through the area in spring and fall. The original nomadic Nunamiut left the Brooks Range and scattered in the early 1900s, mostly due to the collapse of the caribou population. By the 1940s, several Nunamiut families returned to the area and settled at the broad, treeless Anaktuvuk Pass, “the place of caribou droppings.” There is a year-round museum in Anaktuvuk Pass that celebrates the early natural, geological and cultural history of the area, including the migration of people across the Bering Land Bridge. The museum also displays Nunamiut clothing, household goods and hunting implements used around the time of the first contact with Westerners.

**9770.6.02 – Atqasuk**

**ATQASUK - Pronunciation:** AT-kuh-suck **a.k.a.** Atkasook

**Population:** 233 (2010 U.S. Census Population)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** North Slope Borough

**Location & Climate:**

Atqasuk is located inland from the Arctic Ocean on the Meade River, about 60 miles southwest of Barrow.

70.469 North Latitude and -157.395 West Longitude.

Sec. 19, T013N, R021W, Umiat Meridian

The climate is arctic. The daily minimum temperature drops below freezing 300 days a year. Temperature extremes range from a low of -56 to a high of 78 °F. Precipitation is light, at 5 inches per year. Snowfall averages 22 inches per year.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police, North Slope Borough</b>	852-6111	<b>Fire, Atqasuk VFD</b>	633-6814
<b>VPSO</b>		<b>EMS</b>	Contact VFD
<b>Alaska State Troopers, Barrow</b>	852-3783	<b>Clinic, Atqasuk Clinic</b>	633-6711

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fax</b>
<b>City</b>	City of Atqasuk	633-6811	633-6812
	<b>Primary Contact:</b> City Clerk		
<b>Village/Tribal Council</b>	Atqasuk Village	633-2575	633-2576
	<b>Primary Contact:</b> [INSERT TITLE, President, Administrator, Admin Asst.]		
	<b>Environmental Coordinator:</b>		
<b>School</b>	Meade River School	633-6315	
<b>School District</b>	North Slope Borough Schools	852-5311	
<b>Village Corporation</b>	Atqasuk Corporation	633-6414	633-6213
<b>Regional Native Corporation</b>	Arctic Slope Regional Corp	339-6000 (Anch.) 852-8633 (Barrow)	339-6028
<b>OTHER</b>			

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access



<b>AIR:</b>	Airline service available from Barrow	Scheduled and charter flights available.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
Local Transportation:	ATVs & Snowmachines. Limited truck use.	
Local Roads and Trails:	Air travel provides the only year-round access, while land transportation provides seasonal access. The North Slope Borough owns and operates the Edward Burnell Sr. Memorial Airport, which has a 4,370' long by 90' wide gravel runway. "Cat-trains" are sometimes used to transport freight overland from Barrow during winter months. Snowmachines, ATVs, and boats are used for local transportation.	
Vehicle Rental:	None identified	
Airline Services:	4,370' long by 90' wide gravel runway. Airlines: Cape Smythe Air Service Frontier Flying Service, Era Alaska	
Docking Facilities:		
Barge Service Schedule/Frequency:		

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging &amp; Food</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Point of Contact</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Atqasuk Corp. Hotel & Restaurant			
Capacity: XXX	Food Service Available: Yes Kitchen Available: No	Season:	
School CIP Camp			
Capacity: XXX	Food Service Available: Yes/No Kitchen Available: Yes/No	Season:	
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	Atqasuk Corporation Store (Groceries)		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			

	Name	Phone	
General Store	Atqasuk Corporation Store - food, clothing, first-aid supplies, cameras, film and hardware. Propane, gas, diesel and motor oil are also available.		
Hardware Store			
Washeteria			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
Fuel			
Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity (gallons)
Atqasuk Corp. Store		Propane, gas, diesel	2,000
Tank Farms			
Atqasuk Corp./NSB Fuel			580,000
NSB School			10,000
NSB Police			1,100
NSB Fire			7,000
NSB Clinic			6,700
NSB Power/Water			87,500
NSB Services			10,000
NSB Heavy Equipment			5,000
City Hall/Community Center			2,000
Communications and Utilities			
	Name/Service Provider		
Telephone (Landline)	AT&T Alascom, GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone		
Telephone (Cellular)	GCI		
Internet Service Provider	GCI		
Electricity Provider	North Slope Borough Power & Light, 852-0340		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	Delivery to household water tanks is available. Most homes have tanks that provide running water for the kitchen. The majority of homes and facilities, including the school, have running water and flush system.		
Primary Sewage System:	Indoor Plumbing		

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**  
*The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.*

Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	Internet Yes / No
Potential Staging Areas			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	
Local Spill Response Equipment			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Quantity	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			
[other]			
[other]			
<b>Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.</b>			
<b>What are the <u>top two</u> sensitive areas (<i>environmental or cultural</i>) to be protected in case of an oil spill?</b>			
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection	

**Economy:**

Education and other government services provide the majority of full-time employment in Atqasuk. Some residents also produce arts and crafts for sale including masks, mittens, dolls, yo-yos, ulus and parkas. Residents trap and sell furs to supplement cash income. Subsistence activities provide food sources.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Inupiat Eskimos comprise 91% of the population. Atqasuk's economy is largely based on subsistence caribou hunting and fishing. Fish in the Meade River include grayling, burbot, salmon and whitefish. Local game includes ptarmigan, ducks and geese. Residents also travel to the coast to participate in whaling and hunting other marine mammals - polar bear, seal, walrus, and whale are harvested and traded.

History: Atqasuk has long been established as a hunting and fishing ground. Abandoned sod houses, an old cellar and gravesite near the village provide evidence of an early settlement here. During World War II, coal was mined in the community and freighted to Barrow. During the next 10 years, the village existed under the name of Meade River. Although the population dwindled in the 1960s, former residents from Barrow moved to the community in the 1970s and re-established the village under the name of Atqasuk. The village was incorporated as a second-class city in 1982.

**9770.6.03 – Barrow**

**BARROW - Pronunciation: (BARE-row) a.k.a. Ukpeagvik**

**Population:** 4,212 (2010 U.S. Census Population)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** North Slope Borough

**Location & Climate:**

Barrow, the northernmost community in the United States, is located on the Chukchi Sea coast, 10 miles south of Point Barrow, from which it takes its name. It lies 725 air miles from Anchorage.

71.290 North Latitude and 156.788 West Longitude.  
Sec. 06, T022N, R018W, Umiat Meridian

The climate of Barrow is arctic. Temperatures range from -56 to 78 °F, with an average temperature of 40 °F during summer. The daily minimum temperature is below freezing 324 days of the year. Prevailing winds are easterly and average 12 mph. Annual precipitation is light, averaging 5 inches, and annual snowfall is 20 inches. The Chukchi Sea is typically ice-free from mid-June through October.

The sun does not set between May 10th and August 2nd each summer and does not rise between Nov. 18th and January 24th each winter.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police, North Slope Borough</b>	852-6111	<b>Fire, Barrow VFD</b>	852-0234
<b>VPSO</b>		<b>EMS</b>	Contact VFD
<b>Alaska State Troopers, Barrow</b>	852-3783	<b>Hospital/Clinic, Samuel Simmonds Memorial Hospital</b>	852-9248/ 852-0260

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fax</b>
<b>City</b>	City of Barrow	852-5211	852-3529
	Primary Contact: City Clerk		
<b>Village/Tribal Council</b>	Inupiat Community of the Arctic Slope	852-4227	852-4246
	Primary Contact: [INSERT TITLE, President, Administrator, Admin Asst.]		
	Environmental Coordinator:		
<b>Village/Tribal Council</b>	Native Village of Barrow Inupiat Traditional Government	852-4411	852-8844
	Primary Contact: Executive Director/President		
	Environmental Coordinator:		
<b>Schools</b>	Barrow High School	852-8950	

	Eben Hopson Middle School Fred Ipalook Elementary School Kiita Learning Community	852-3880 852-4711 852-9677	
<b>School District</b>	North Slope Borough Schools	852-5311	
<b>Village Corporation</b>	Ukpeagvik Inupiat Corporation	852-4460	852-4459
<b>Regional Native Corporation</b>	Arctic Slope Regional Corp	339-6000 (Anch.) 852-8633 (Barrow)	339-6028
<b>OTHER</b>	Alaska Eskimo Whaling Commission	852-2392	
	Arctic Slope Native Association, Ltd.		
	Arctic Sounder, Barrow (newspaper)		
	North Slope Health & Social Services		
	Tagiugmiullu Nunamiullu Housing Authority		
	Ijisaġvik College	852-3333	
	Barrow Arctic Science Consortium	852-4881	
	KBRW (Radio Station)	852-6811	
	Inupiat Heritage Center (National Park Service)	852-0422	

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No.
<b>AIR:</b>	Airline service available from Anchorage & Fairbanks	Barrow is regional transportation hub.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Seasonal marine transportation (Late June-September)
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
Local Transportation:	Cars & trucks; atvs & snowmachines.	
Local Roads and Trails:	Local roads in town. Winter trails connect to outlying areas.	
Vehicle Rental:	Jon's Car Rental Dunbar's. UIC Car Rental (852-2700) Multiple taxi services in town.	
Airline Services:	Regularly-scheduled jet services provide Barrow's only year-round access. Alaska Air, Era Alaska	
Docking Facilities:	New boat ramp and dock located at the North Salt Lagoon to be constructed.	
Barge Service Schedule/Frequency:		

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>		
<b>Lodging &amp; Food</b>		
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Point of Contact</b>	<b>Phone</b>

King Eider Inn		852-4700 <a href="http://kingeider.net/main/index.php">http://kingeider.net/main/index.php</a>
Capacity: 19 rooms	Food Service Available: No Kitchen Available: No	Season: Year-round
Top of the World Hotel		852-3900
Capacity: 50 rooms	Food Service Available: Yes, adjoining restaurant	Season: Year-round
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>		
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>
AC Value Center	Grocery	
Multiple Restaurants serve the community.		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>		
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>
General Store	AC Value Center (food & general merchandise)	852-6711
	Arctic Grocery Inc	852-6666
Hardware Store		
Washeteria		
Bank or ATM		
<i>Major repair services are available for marine, auto and aircraft engines. Diesel, propane, marine gas, aviation fuel and all grades of auto gas are available.</i>		
<b>Fuel</b>		
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>
[Name/Operator]		
<b>Bulk Fuel</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>
Barrow Utilities & Electric Cooperative	852-6166	natural gas for home heating and Barrow Power Plant
Eskimos Inc./Airport		
Airport		27,000
		240,000
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>		
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>	
Telephone (Landline)	AT&T Alascom, GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone	
Telephone (Cellular)	GCI	
Internet Service Provider	GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone Association Cooperative	
Electricity Provider	Barrow Utilities & Electric Cooperative, 852-6166	
Local Power Plant	Barrow Power Plant (natural gas)	
School Power Plant		
Primary Water Supply System:	Piped Water System	





whitefish are harvested from the coast or nearby rivers and lakes.

Formation of the North Slope Borough in 1972 and the Arctic Slope Regional Corporation, as well as construction of the Prudhoe Bay oilfields and Trans-Alaska Pipeline, have each contributed to the development of Barrow. Today, tax revenues from the North Slope oil fields fund borough-wide services.

**Culture & Demographics:**

The majority of residents are Inupiat Eskimos (69%). Although Barrow is a modern community, subsistence hunting, fishing and whaling are still very important to the local economy. Traditional marine mammal hunts and other subsistence practices are an active part of the culture. Bowhead, gray, killer, and beluga whales migrate near Barrow each summer.

**History and Historic/Cultural Properties:**

Birnick archaeological site contains 16 dwelling mounds of a culture believed to have existed from 500-900 AD. The archaeological findings are considered a key link between the prehistoric cultures of Alaska and Canada.

In 1881, the U.S. Army established a meteorological and magnetic research station near Barrow. Another interesting site is the

Cape Smythe Whaling and Trading Station in nearby Browerville. Cape Smythe was built as a whaling station in 1893 and is the oldest frame building in the Arctic.

During the 1940s and 1950s, the military played an influential role in the area. Construction of the Distant Early Warning (DEW) line and exploration in the National Petroleum Reserve brought new people to the region. During the same time, the Naval Arctic Research Lab (NARL) was built near Barrow.

Visitors to Barrow will arrive at the Wiley Post-Will Rogers Memorial Airport. This airport was named to commemorate the famous pilot and the American humorist who died in an airplane crash just 15 miles south of Barrow in 1935. Across from the airport sits the Will Rogers and Wiley Post

**9770.6.04 – Deadhorse & Prudhoe Bay**

**DEADHORSE & PRUDHOE BAY - Pronunciation: PROO-doh**

**Population:** 2,174 (2010 U.S. Census Population)

**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

**Borough Located In:** North Slope Borough

**Location & Climate:**

Prudhoe Bay is adjacent to the Beaufort Sea, east of Nuiqsut, at the end of the Dalton Highway. Deadhorse serves as the gateway to the Prudhoe Bay and other North Slope oilfields.

70.255 North Latitude and 148.337 West Longitude.  
Sec. 08, T010N, R015E, Umiat Meridian

The climate of the North Slope is arctic. Temperatures range from -56 to 78 °F. Precipitation is light, averaging 5 inches, with 20 inches snow per year.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police</b>	852-6111	<b>Fire, Greater Prudhoe Bay Fire Dept.</b>	659-5646
<b>VPSO</b>		<b>EMS</b>	
<b>Alaska State Troopers, Barrow</b>	852-3783	<b>Clinic</b>	Beacon Clinic: 659-2699 <i>Additional private, oil industry clinics available</i>

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fax</b>
<b>OTHER</b>			

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	Yes. Dalton Highway/Haul Road
<b>AIR:</b>	Airline service available from Anchorage, Fairbanks & Barrow	Scheduled, daily jet aircraft service and chartered flights
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Seasonal marine vessel traffic
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
Local Transportation:	Trucks	
Local Roads and Trails:	Multiple roads serve the oil fields, access is restricted. The Dalton Highway is used year-round by trucks to haul cargo to the North Slope. There are no services beyond this	

	point, and the highway is hazardous during winter months.
Vehicle Rental:	
Airline Services:	Alaska Airlines, Era Aviation, Shared Services, Alaska Air Taxi
Docking Facilities:	
Barge Service Schedule/Frequency:	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging &amp; Food</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Point of Contact</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Prudhoe Bay Hotel/ Deadhorse Camp		659-2449/ 877-474-3565 or 388-8535	
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Yes Kitchen Available: No	Season: Year-round	
The Aurora Hotel		670-0600	
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Yes Kitchen Available: No	Season: Year-round	
Arctic Caribou Inn & Restaurant		659-2368	
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Yes Kitchen Available: No	Season:	
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Prudhoe Bay General Store	Limited groceries	Year-round	659-2412
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store	Prudhoe Bay General Store	659-2412	
Hardware Store	Brooks Range Supply: Napa Auto Parts and True Value Hardware	659-2550	
Washeteria			
ATM	One is located at Prudhoe Bay Hotel		
Auto Repair	Peak Light Duty: Car & light duty truck, mechanical & tire	659-2033	
Auto Repair	Conam: Ford Authorized Warranty car & light duty mechanical & tire	659-9282	
Cargo Shipping	Carlile / K&W Transporting	659-2398	
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
Nana Oilfield	659-2840		

Services/ Chevron			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
[Name/Operator]			

<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	Name/Service Provider	Phone	
Telephone (Landline)	Arctic Slope Telephone Association Cooperative		
Telephone (Cellular)	GCI ACS		
Internet Service Provider	Arctic Slope Telephone Association Cooperative		
Electricity Provider	TDX Power	659-2559	
Primary Water Supply System:		Piped Water System	
Primary Sewage System:		Indoor Plumbing	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.*

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**Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities**

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	Internet
			Yes / No

**Potential Staging Areas**

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size

**Local Spill Response Equipment**

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Quantity
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe		
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
[other]		
[other]		

Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the <u>top two</u> sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

The Prudhoe Bay oil fields provide some 2-3% of the nation's domestic oil supply and employ over 5,000 individuals in drilling, pipeline operations, cargo transportation, and a variety of support positions. U.S. Census population and employment figures reflect only permanent residents of Deadhorse and Prudhoe Bay -- most oil field workers travel home to Anchorage or the lower 48 when off duty. Pre-arranged tours are available through various tour companies.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Prudhoe Bay is a large work camp for the oil industry. All residents are employees of oil-drilling or oil-production and support companies and work long consecutive shifts. Living quarters and food are provided to the workforce.

**9770.6.05 – Kaktovik**

**KAKTOVIK - Pronunciation:** (kack-TOH-vick); includes Barter Island

**Population:** 239 (2010 U.S. Census)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** North Slope Borough

**Location & Climate:**

Kaktovik lies on the north shore of Barter Island, between the Okpilak and Jago Rivers on the Beaufort Sea coast. Kaktovik is 90 miles west of the Canadian border and 280 miles southeast of Barrow. The ruins of old Kaktovik can be seen from the road linking the village to the airport. It lies in the 19.6-million-acre Arctic National Wildlife Refuge, an occasional calving ground for the porcupine caribou herd.

70.132 North Latitude and 143.624 West Longitude.

Sec. 13, T009N, R033E, Umiat Meridian

The climate of Kaktovik is arctic. Temperatures range from -56 to 78 °F. Precipitation is light, averaging 5 inches, with snowfall averaging 20 inches.

EMERGENCY SERVICES			
<b>Police</b>	852-6111	<b>Fire,</b> Kaktovik VFD	640-6212
<b>VPSO</b>		<b>EMS</b>	Contact VFD
<b>Alaska State Troopers, Barrow</b>	852-3783	<b>Clinic,</b> Kaktovik Clinic	640-6413

LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS			
	Name	Phone	Fax
<b>City</b>	City of Kaktovik	640-6313	640-6314
	Primary Contact:	City Clerk	
<b>Village/Tribal Council</b>	Kaktovik Village (aka: Barter Island)	640-2042	640-2044
	Primary Contact:	[INSERT TITLE, President, Administrator, Admin Asst.]	
	Environmental Coordinator:		
<b>School</b>	Harold Kaveolook School	640-6626	
<b>School District</b>	North Slope Borough Schools	852-5311	
<b>Village Corporation</b>	Kaktovik Inupiat Corporation	640-6120	640-6217
<b>Regional Native Corporation</b>	Arctic Slope Regional Corp	339-6000 (Anch.) 852-8633 (Barrow)	339-6028
<b>OTHER</b>			

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access.

<b>AIR:</b>	Airline service available from Fairbanks & Barrow	Scheduled and charter flights available.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Seasonal marine vessel traffic.
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
Local Transportation:	ATV & Snowmachines, limited truck use	
Local Roads and Trails:	"Cat-trains" transport cargo from the Trans-Alaska pipeline haul road during winter months	
Vehicle Rental:		
Airline Services:	Era Aviation	
Docking Facilities:		
Barge Service Schedule/Frequency:	Summer months	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging &amp; Food</b>			
Housing Facility	Point of Contact	Phone	
Waldo Arms Hotel		640-6513	
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Unknown Kitchen Available: Unknown	Season:	
Happy Valley Lodge		640-6513	
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Unknown Kitchen Available: Unknown	Season:	
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
General Store	Groceries		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	Name	Phone	
General Store	Kaktovik Inupiat Corporation/General Store (groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, hardware, camera film and sporting goods)		
Hardware Store			
Washeteria			
Bank or ATM			

Other Services:	Fuel: marine gas, diesel, propane, unleaded and regular. Auto & Aircraft repair services Charter aircraft service is available.	
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Fuel			
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Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
[Name/Operator]			

Tank Farm	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity
[Name/Operator]			
<i>No information available.</i>			

Communications and Utilities			
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		Name/Service Provider	
AT&T Alascom, GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone		AT&T Alascom, GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone	
GCI		GCI	
GCI		GCI	
North Slope Borough Power & Light, 852-0340		North Slope Borough Power & Light, 852-0340	
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:		Water is delivered by truck to holding tanks; all homes have running water in the kitchen.	
Primary Sewage System:		Indoor Plumbing/ Piped & Haul System	

SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT			
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*The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.*

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Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities			
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Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/Size	Internet
			Yes / No



<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			
[other]			
[other]			
<b>Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.</b>			
<b>What are the <u>top two</u> sensitive areas (<i>environmental or cultural</i>) to be protected in case of an oil spill?</b>			
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitude</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>	

**Economy:**

Economic opportunities in Kaktovik are limited due to the community's isolation, and unemployment is high. Most employment is in education, the North Slope Borough, or city services. Part-time seasonal jobs, such as construction projects, provide income.

Like other communities in the region, subsistence hunting, fishing and whaling play a major role in the local economy. Hunting in the nearby area is for Dall sheep, moose, caribou, and fox. The community also produces arts and crafts for sale such as etched baleen, carved ivory and masks. About one in every five household heads in Kaktovik receive monies from craft income.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Due to Kaktovik's isolation, the village has maintained its Inupiat Eskimo traditions. In the 2010 U.S. Census, 90% of residence identified as all or part Alaska Native, mostly Inupiat Eskimo. Subsistence is highly dependent upon caribou.



**9770.6.06 – Nuiqsut**

**NUIQSUT - Pronunciation:** (new-WICK-sit); var. Nooiksut

**Population:** 402 (2010 U.S. Census Population)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** North Slope Borough

**Location & Climate:**

Nuiqsut is located on the west bank of the Nechelik Channel of the Colville River Delta, about 35 river miles/18 air miles from the Beaufort Sea coast. It is 135 miles southeast of Barrow. The Colville River Delta has traditionally been a gathering and trading place for the Inupiat, and a good source for hunting and fishing. The Alpine Oilfield is eight miles from the village of Nuiqsut and a portion of the oilfield is on lands owned by Kuukpik Corporation and ASRC.

70.217 North Latitude and 150.976 West Longitude.

Sec. 18, T010N, R005E, Umiat Meridian

The climate is arctic. Temperatures range from -56 to 78 °F. On average, the daily minimum temperature is below freezing 297 days each year. Annual precipitation is light, averaging 5 inches, with 20 inches of snowfall.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police, North Slope Borough</b>	852-6111	<b>Fire, Nuiqsut VFD</b>	480-6613
<b>VPSO</b>		<b>EMS</b>	Contact VFD
<b>Alaska State Troopers, Barrow</b>	852-3783	<b>Clinic, Nuiqsut Clinic</b>	480-6720

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fax</b>
<b>City</b>	City of Nuiqsut	480-6727	480-6928
	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	City Clerk	
<b>Village/Tribal Council</b>	Native Village of Nuiqsut	480-3010	480-2714
	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	[INSERT TITLE, President, Administrator, Admin Asst.]	
	<b>Environmental Coordinator:</b>		
<b>School</b>	Nuiqsut Trapper School	480-6712	
<b>School District</b>	North Slope Borough Schools	852-5311	
<b>Village Corporation</b>	Kuukpik Corporation	480-6220	480-6126
<b>Regional Native Corporation</b>	Arctic Slope Regional Corp	339-6000 (Anch.) 852-8633 (Barrow)	339-6028
<b>OTHER</b>			

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	Nuiqsut residents have access to the Dalton Highway four months of the year.
<b>AIR:</b>	Airline service available from Barrow	Scheduled and chartered flights available.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Residents use boats on Colville River.
Local Transportation and Services		
Local Transportation:	Snowmachines and ATVs	
Local Roads and Trails:		
Vehicle Rental:	TC Rental, Rosies Taxi Rental	
Airline Services:	Freight arrives year-round by air cargo. Airlines: Era Aviation	
Docking Facilities:	None	
Barge Service Schedule/Frequency:	No regular service.	

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES			
Lodging & Food			
Housing Facility	Point of Contact	Phone	
Borough Bunkhouse	UNKNOWN/INSERT	UNKNOWN/INSERT	
Capacity: ??	Food Service Available: Yes/No Kitchen Available: Yes/No	Season:	
Kuukpiq Corporation Hotel		480-6220	
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Yes/No Kitchen Available: Yes/No	Season:	
Food Service & Groceries			
Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
Supplies & Other Services			
	Name	Phone	
General Store			
Hardware Store			

Washeteria			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]	Supplies available in town include groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, hardware, camera film and sporting goods. Available fuel includes marine gas, diesel, propane, white gas kerosene and regular gasoline.		
Fuel			
Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
[Name/Operator]			
Bulk Fuel	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity
NSB Fuel Station			468,000
NSB Fire/Rescue			8,000
NSB Municipal			32,000
NSB Electric			160,000
City			10,000
NSB Schools			2,750
NSB Clinic			6,500
NSB Police			1,100
NSB old Public Safety			2,000
Assembly of God			1,100
Kuukpik Presbyterian Church			2,000
Communications and Utilities			
	Name/Service Provider	Phone	
Telephone (Landline)	AT&T Alascom, GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone		
Telephone (Cellular)	GCI		
Internet Service Provider	GCI		
Electricity Provider	North Slope Borough Power & Light, 852-0340		
Local Power Plant			
Home & Building Heating	The Alpine Oil Field provides piped natural gas to Nuiqsut, which decreases the cost of running the diesel electric generator and heating homes and other facilities.		
Primary Water Supply System:	A majority of homes have running water to the kitchen. Water is hauled to homes/facilities.		
Primary Sewage System:	Majority Indoor Plumbing (haul system or septics)		

Residents have individual water tanks with water delivery. Hauling services are provided..

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet</b>
			Yes / No
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			
[other]			
[other]			
<b>Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.</b>			
<b>What are the <u>top two</u> sensitive areas (<i>environmental or cultural</i>) to be protected in case of an oil spill?</b>			
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitude</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>	

**Economy:**

Unemployment is high in Nuiqsut. The Kuukpik Native Corporation, school, borough services, and store provide most of the year-round employment in the village. Trapping and craft-making provide some income. Caribou, bowhead and beluga whale, seal, moose, and fish are staples of the diet. Polar bears are also hunted.

**Culture & Demographics:**

In the 2010 U.S. Census, 90% of residence identified as all or part Alaska Native, mostly Inupiat Eskimo. Residents practice a traditional subsistence lifestyle.

During the early 20th century, Christian missionaries were introduced to the Barrow region. This movement, along with the emergence of healthcare services and schools provided by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, prompted the Iñupiat from Nuiqsut to immigrate to Barrow. The old village of Nuiqsut (Itqilippaa) was abandoned in the late 1940s, because there was no school. In 1973, 27 Iñupiat families moved back to Nuiqsut from Barrow, and lived in tents braving the elements for over 18 months. In 1974, the Arctic Slope Regional Corporation funded construction of the village.

**9770.6.07 – Point Hope**

**POINT HOPE**

**Population:** 674 (2010 U.S. Census Population)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** North Slope Borough

**Location & Climate:**

Point Hope is located near the end of a triangular spit, the Point Hope peninsula, jutting 15 miles into the Chukchi Sea, 250 miles southwest of Barrow. The peninsula is a large gravel spit that forms the western-most extension of the northwest Alaska coast. Erosion and a threat of storm flooding from the Chukchi Sea led to its relocation to higher ground in the mid-1970s

68.348 North Latitude and 166.808 West Longitude.

Sec. 16, T034N, R035W, Kateel River Meridian

The climate is arctic. Temperatures range from -49 to 78 °F. Precipitation is light, averaging only 10 inches annually, with 36 inches of snowfall. The Chukchi Sea is ice-free from late June until mid-September.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police, North Slope Borough</b>	852-6111	<b>Fire, Point Hope VFD</b>	368-2774
<b>VPSO</b>		<b>EMS</b>	Contact VFD
<b>Alaska State Troopers, Barrow</b>	852-3783	<b>Clinic, Point Hope Clinic</b>	368-2234

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fax</b>
<b>City</b>	City of Point Hope	368-2537	368-2835
	<b>Primary Contact:</b> City Manager		
<b>Village/Tribal Council</b>	Native Village of Point Hope	368-2330	368-2332
	<b>Primary Contact:</b> [INSERT TITLE, President, Administrator, Admin Asst.]		
	<b>Environmental Coordinator:</b>		
<b>School</b>	Tikigaq School	368-2662/ 368-2663	
<b>School District</b>	North Slope Borough Schools	852-5311	
<b>Village Corporation</b>	Tigara Corporation	365-6299	365-6250
<b>Regional Native Corporation</b>	Arctic Slope Regional Corp	339-6000 (Anch.) 852-8633 (Barrow)	339-6028
<b>OTHER</b>			

**TRANSPORTATION**



<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No
<b>AIR:</b>	Airline service available from Barrow & Kotzebue	Scheduled and charter flights available.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Yes, Late-June thru Mid-September
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
Local Transportation:	Skiffs, umiats (skin boats), and snowmachines and ATVs are used for local transportation.	
Local Roads and Trails:		
Vehicle Rental:	None identified	
Airline Services:	Airlines: Bering Air (from Kotzebue), Era Aviation (Barrow or Kotzebue)	
Docking Facilities:	None identified	
Barge Service Schedule/Frequency:	Summer months	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging &amp; Food</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Point of Contact</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Whalers Inn		365-6299	
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Yes, adjacent restaurant Kitchen Available: Yes/No	Season:	
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Tikigaq Corporation General Store	General Store/Groceries		
Whaler's Inn Restaurant	Restaurant		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store	Tikigaq Corporation General Store - groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, hardware, camera film and sporting goods		
Hardware Store			
Washeteria			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>

Unknown		marine gas, diesel, propane, unleaded, regular and supreme	
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	Name/Service Provider		
Telephone (Landline)	AT&T Alascom, GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone		
Telephone (Cellular)	GCI		
Internet Service Provider	GCI		
Electricity Provider	North Slope Borough Power & Light, 852-0340		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	A number of homes have water tanks with delivery, which provides running water for kitchens; others haul water.		
Primary Sewage System:	Indoor Plumbing & Honeybuckets		

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet</b>
			Yes / No
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			

Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
[other]		
[other]		
<b>Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.</b>		
<b>What are the <u>top two</u> sensitive areas (<i>environmental or cultural</i>) to be protected in case of an oil spill?</b>		
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitude</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>

**Economy:**

Point Hope is the second largest city on the North Slope. The local economy is largely based on subsistence hunting, fishing and whaling. The Borough employs more than 18 percent of the working population and the school district employs 26 percent. Close to forty percent of the labor force works in the private sector.

Residents produce a wide array of arts and crafts for sale including carved ivory, baleen baskets, whale bone, masks, caribou skin masks, etched baleen, Eskimo parkas, ivory-tipped harpoons and bird spears.

**Culture & Demographics:**

In the 2010 U.S. Census, Alaska Natives, primarily Inupiat Eskimos made up 93 percent of Point Hope’s population. Point Hope residents (Tikeraqmuit Inupiat Eskimos) are dependent upon marine subsistence. This highly favorable site, with its abundant resources, has enabled the Tikeraqmuit to retain strong cultural traditions after more than a century of outside influences.

This Point Hope peninsula is one of the longest continually inhabited areas in North America. Some of the earliest residents came here for bowhead whaling some 2,000 years ago after crossing the Siberian land bridge.

Visitors to the area can see the remains of Old Tigara Village, a prehistoric site with the remains of sod houses. There is an even earlier site with about 800 house pits known as Ipiutak, occupied from about 500 BC to 100 AD. Ipiutak and the surrounding archaeological district are on the National Register of Historic Places. In addition to the prehistoric village sites, there are old burial grounds in the area including a cemetery marked by large whale bones standing on end.

**9770.6.08 – Point Lay**

**POINT LAY - Also Known As: Kali**

**Population:** 189 (2010 U.S. Census Population)

**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

**Borough Located In:** North Slope Borough

**Location & Climate:**

Point Lay is located on the Chukchi Sea coast, protected from the ocean by the Kasugeluk Lagoon. It is 150 miles southwest of Barrow. Kali, the Iñupiat name for the village, means "mound" and refers to the elevated mound on which it stands.

69.736 North Latitude and 163.012 West Longitude.

Sec. 26, T005N, R045W, Umiat Meridian

The climate is arctic. Temperatures range from -55 to 78 °F. Precipitation is light, averaging 7 inches annually, with 21 inches of snow. The Chukchi Sea is ice-free from late June until September.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police, North Slope Borough</b>	852-6111	<b>Fire, Point Lay VFD</b>	833-2714
<b>VPSO</b>		<b>EMS</b>	Contact VFD
<b>Alaska State Troopers, Barrow</b>	852-3783	<b>Clinic, Point Lay Clinic</b>	833-2526

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fax</b>
<b>Village/Tribal Council</b>	Native Village of Point Lay	833-2575	833-2576
	Primary Contact:	[INSERT TITLE, President, Administrator, Admin Asst.]	
	Environmental Coordinator:		
<b>School</b>	Kali School	833-2311	
<b>School District</b>	North Slope Borough Schools	852-5311	
<b>Village Corporation</b>	Cully Corporation	569-2705	569-2715
<b>Regional Native Corporation</b>	Arctic Slope Regional Corp	339-6000 (Anch.) 852-8633 (Barrow)	339-6028
<b>OTHER</b>			

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No
<b>AIR:</b>	Airline service available from Barrow	Scheduled and chartered air service is available

<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Seasonal access (Late June thru Mid-September)
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
Local Transportation:	Snowmachines and ATVs	
Local Roads and Trails:	Seasonal land transportation	
Vehicle Rental:	None identified	
Airline Services:	Airlines: Era Aviation	
Docking Facilities:		
Barge Service Schedule/Frequency:	Barge deliveries during summer months (Late June-September)	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging &amp; Food</b>			
Housing Facility	Point of Contact	Phone	
<i>None identified</i>			
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Yes/No Kitchen Available: Yes/No	Season:	
[Name 2]			
Capacity:	Food Service Available: Yes/No Kitchen Available: Yes/No	Season:	
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
Native Village General Store	Groceries		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	Name	Phone	
General Store	Native Village of Point Lay/General Store (groceries and clothing). Available fuel in town includes propane, diesel and regular gasoline		
Hardware Store			
Washeteria			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			

Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
NSB Fuel Station		propane, diesel and regular gasoline	
Bulk Fuel	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity (gallons)
NSB Power Plant			10,000
NSB Fire			7,000
NSB Maintenance			5,000
NSB Clinic			6,000
NSB Schools			10,000
NSB Fuel Station			548,000
Communications and Utilities			
		Name/Service Provider	
Telephone (Landline)		AT&T Alascom, GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone	
Telephone (Cellular)		GCI	
Internet Service Provider		GCI	
Electricity Provider		North Slope Borough Power & Light, 852-0340	
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:		Households have water delivered to home tanks, which allows running water for the kitchen.	
Primary Sewage System:		Unknown	

SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	Internet
			Yes / No
Potential Staging Areas			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	
Local Spill Response Equipment			
Facility Name or Location	Contact	Quantity	

	(organization & phone)	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe		
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
[other]		
[other]		
<b>Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.</b>		
<b>What are the <u>top two</u> sensitive areas (<i>environmental or cultural</i>) to be protected in case of an oil spill?</b>		
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitude</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>

**Economy:**

Most year-round employment opportunities are with the borough government or the school. Subsistence activities provide food sources.

**Culture & Demographics:**

In the 2010 U.S. Census, Alaska Natives, primarily Inupiat Eskimos made up 93 percent of Point Lay's population. Point Lay is a traditional Inupiat Eskimo village, with a dependence upon subsistence activities. Seals, walrus, beluga, caribou, and fish are staples of the diet. The deeply indented shoreline prevented effective bowhead whaling and the village never fully participated in the whaling culture. The village's traditional hunt of the beluga whales is similar to the bowhead whaling culture in other North Slope villages.

Point Lay is probably the last remaining village of the Kuukpaagruk people.

**9770.6.09 – Wainwright****WAINWRIGHT - Pronunciation:** (WANE-rite)**Population:** 556 (2010 U.S. Census Population)**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Borough Located In:** North Slope Borough**Location & Climate:**

Wainwright sits on a wave-eroded coastal bluff of a narrow peninsula which separates Wainwright Inlet from the Chukchi Sea. It is 3 miles northeast of the Kuk River estuary and about 70 miles southwest of Barrow.

70.637 North Latitude and 160.038 West Longitude.

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The climate is arctic. Temperatures range from -56 to 80 °F. Precipitation is light, averaging 5 inches annually, with 12 inches of snow. The Chukchi Sea is ice-free from mid-July through September.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police, North Slope Borough</b>	852-6111	<b>Fire, Wainwright VFD</b>	763-2728
<b>VPSO</b>		<b>EMS</b>	Contact VFD
<b>Alaska State Troopers, Barrow</b>	852-3783	<b>Clinic, Wainwright Health Clinic</b>	763-2714

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fax</b>
<b>City</b>	City of Wainwright	763-2815	763-2811
	Primary Contact:	City Clerk	
<b>Village/Tribal Council</b>	Village of Wainwright	763-2726	763-2536
	Primary Contact:	[INSERT TITLE, President, Administrator, Admin Asst.]	
	Environmental Coordinator:		
<b>School</b>	Alak School	763-7800	
<b>School District</b>	North Slope Borough Schools	852-5311	
<b>Village Corporation</b>	Olgoonik Corporation	763-2614	763-2926
<b>Regional Native Corporation</b>	Arctic Slope Regional Corp	339-6000 (Anch.) 852-8633 (Barrow)	339-6028
<b>OTHER</b>			

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No



<b>AIR:</b>	Airline service available from Barrow	Scheduled and chartered flights available. Air travel provides only year-round access.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	No
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
Local Transportation:	Skiffs, ATVs, and snowmachines	
Local Roads and Trails:		
Vehicle Rental:		
Airline Services:	RAVN Alaska	
Docking Facilities:		
Barge Service Schedule/Frequency:	Barge service during summer months (Late June thru mid-Sept)	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging &amp; Food</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Point of Contact</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Olgoonik Hotel		763-2514	
Capacity: 12 rooms	Food Service Available: Yes, attached restaurant Kitchen Available: No	Season:	
High School	Alak School	763-2541	
Capacity:	Food Service Available: No Kitchen Available: Unknown	Season:	
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Wainwright Cooperative Association	Prepared entrees, groceries		907-763-2715
Olgoonik Hotel & Restaurant	Restaurant		907-763-2514
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store	Wainwright Cooperative Association (groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, hardware, camera film and sporting goods)	907-763-2715	
Hardware Store			
Washeteria	Washeteria/General Store	907-763-2615	
Bank or ATM	ATM at the General Store	907-763-2615	
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
Olgoonik Corp. Fuel Station	907-763-2832	marine gas, diesel, propane, unleaded, regular and supreme	
<b>Bulk Fuel</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity(gallons)</b>

NSB Schools/Olgoonik Corp. Fuel Station			908,000
NSB Schools			10,000
City	907-763-2815		2,400
Olgoonik Corp.	907-763-2614		50,000
NSB Water	907-763-2553		10,000
NSB Fire	907-763-2728		7,500
NSB Sewage	907-763-2553		1,500
NSB Power)	907-763-2712		500,000
SKW/Eskimos	BARROW		1,000
Olgoonik Hotel & Restaurant	907-763-2514		1,500
NSB Clinic	907-763-2714		6,000

**Communications and Utilities**

	Name/Service Provider
Telephone (Landline)	AT&T Alascom, GCI, Arctic Slope Telephone
Telephone (Cellular)	GCI
Internet Service Provider	ASTAC (Arctic Slope Telephone)
Electricity Provider	North Slope Borough Power & Light, 852-0340
Local Power Plant	
School Power Plant	
Primary Water Supply System:	Piped Water System/ Central Watering Point (Haul)/ Water Truck Delivery
Primary Sewage System:	Indoor Plumbing (Piped Sewer or Septic System)/ Honeybuckets/ Outhouses

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.*

<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet</b>
Alak High School 567 Main Street Wainwright, AK 99782	907-763-7800		Yes
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	

<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>		
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe		
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
[other]		
[other]		
<b>Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.</b>		
<b>What are the <u>top two</u> sensitive areas (<i>environmental or cultural</i>) to be protected in case of an oil spill?</b>		
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitude</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>

**Economy:**

Economic opportunities in Wainwright are influenced by its proximity to Barrow and the fact that it is one of the older, more established villages. Most of the year-round positions are in borough services. Wainwright has a larger private sector than most villages: 38 percent of the work force is employed by private businesses, primarily the village and regional corporations. The Borough employs 30 percent of the work force and the School District provides jobs for another 25 percent.

Sale of local Eskimo arts and crafts supplement income.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Most Wainwright inhabitants are Inupiat Eskimos who practice a subsistence lifestyle. Their ancestors were the Utukamiut (people of the Utukok River) and Kukmiut (people of the Kuk River).

Wainwright's subsistence hunting revolves primarily around Bowhead and beluga whales and caribou. Seal, walrus, polar bear, birds, and fish are also harvested. Local arts and crafts include carved ivory figurines and jewelry, baleen boats, whale bone carvings, clocks, knitted caps and gloves.

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## 9770.7 – Northwest Arctic

The Northwest Arctic encompasses the Northwest Arctic Borough and the area to the south that is not within a borough but is part of the Bering Strait Native Corporation. Regional organizations exist for both areas. Listed below are the regional organizations for the borough and for the unorganized area.

### 1. Borough regional organizations

#### Boroughs

Borough	Organization	Phone
Northwest Arctic Borough	Borough Clerk	442-8204
	Emergency Management	442-3599

#### Regional Native Corporations

CORPORATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	WEBSITE
NANA Regional Corporation	1001 East Benson Blvd. Anchorage, AK 99508	265-4100	265-4311	<a href="http://www.nana-online.com/introlhtm">http://www.nana-online.com/introlhtm</a>

#### School Districts

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	WEBSITE/EMAIL
Northwest Arctic Schools	Box 51 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3472	442-2392	<a href="http://www.nwabsd.schoolzone.net">http://www.nwabsd.schoolzone.net</a> <a href="mailto:cmason@kotzebue.nwabsd.schoolzone.net">cmason@kotzebue.nwabsd.schoolzone.net</a>

#### Regional Economic Development

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	EMAIL
NW Arctic Economic Dev. Comm.	P.O. Box 1110 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-2500	442-2930	<a href="mailto:denise_koutchak@yahoo.com">denise_koutchak@yahoo.com</a>

#### Housing Authorities

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	EMAIL
Northwest Inupiat Housing Authority	P.O. Box 331 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3450	442-3486	<a href="mailto:nhaed@ptialaska.net">nhaed@ptialaska.net</a>

#### Regional Health Corporations

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	EMAIL
Maniilaq Association	P.O. Box 256 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3311	442-2381	

2. Unorganized area regional organizations

**Regional Native Corporation**

CORPORATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	WEBSITE
Bering Strait Native Corporation	P.O. Box 1008 Nome, AK 99762	443-5252	443-2985	<a href="http://www.beringstraits.com">http://www.beringstraits.com</a>

**School District**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	WEBSITE/EMAIL
Bering Strait Schools	P.O. Box 225 Unalakleet, AK 99684	624-3611	624-3099	<a href="http://www.bssd.org">http://www.bssd.org</a> <a href="mailto:jadavis@bssd.org">jadavis@bssd.org</a>

**Regional Economic Development**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	EMAIL
Bering Strait ARDOR Program	P.O. Box 948 Nome, AK 99762	443-9005	443-2591	<a href="mailto:stadem@kawerak.org">stadem@kawerak.org</a>

**Housing Authorities**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	EMAIL
Bering Strait Housing Authority	P.O. Box 995 Nome, AK 99762	443-5256	443-2160	<a href="mailto:bsrha@nome.net">bsrha@nome.net</a>

**Regional Health Corporations**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	EMAIL
Norton Sound Health Corporation	P.O. Box 966 Nome, AK 99762	443-3311	443-3139	<a href="mailto:crowder@nshcorp.org">crowder@nshcorp.org</a>

**Regional Native Non-Profit**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	EMAIL
Kawerak, Incorporated	P.O. Box 948 Nome, AK 99762	443-5231	443-3708	<a href="mailto:marine.advocate@kawerak.org">marine.advocate@kawerak.org</a>

9770.7.01 – Ambler

<b>AMBLER</b>									
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Ambler is located on the north bank of the Kobuk River, near the confluence of the Ambler and the Kobuk Rivers. It lies 138 air miles northeast of Kotzebue, 30 miles northwest of Kobuk and 30 miles downriver from Shungnak, at approximately 67d 05m N Latitude, 157d 52m W Longitude. Ambler is in a continental climate zone; temperatures average -10 to 15 during winter, 40 to 65 during summer. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -65 to 92. Snowfall averages 80 inches, and precipitation is 16 inches total per year. The Kobuk River is navigable from early July to mid-October.								
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Ambler was permanently settled in 1958 when people from Shungnak and Kobuk moved down stream because of the variety of fish, wild game and spruce trees in the area. The residents of Ambler are Kowagniuut Inupiat Eskimos, with a traditional subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.								
<b>Economy</b>	Cash employment is limited to the school, city, clinic and local stores, although some mining occurs. In 2009, only two residents held commercial fishing permits. Subsistence is a major part of the Ambler economy. Birch baskets, fur pelts, and jade, quartz, bone and ivory carvings are sold in gift shops throughout the state. The community is interested in developing a lapidary facility for local artisans.								
<b>Subsistence</b>	Chum salmon and caribou are the most important food sources; freshwater fish, moose, bear, and berries are also harvested for subsistence.								
<b>Population</b>	261 (2009 DCCED Certified)								
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic								
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City								
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<b>Nonprofit:</b>									
<b>Village:</b>									

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue) VPO: 445-5200
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Ambler Health Clinic, 445-2129, 445-2179 (fax) Operated by Maniilaq Association. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>City of Ambler</i>	P.O. Box 9 Ambler, AK 99786	445-2122 445-2174 (fax)	<a href="mailto:amblercivty@gmail.com">amblercivty@gmail.com</a>
<i>Ambler Traditional Council</i>	P.O. Box 47 Ambler, AK 99786	445-2196 445-2181 (fax)	<a href="mailto:ambler@smtp.ak.bia.gov">ambler@smtp.ak.bia.gov</a> <a href="mailto:ambler@aitc.org">ambler@aitc.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, small boat and snowmachine. There are no roads linking the city to other parts of the state. Boats are used for inter-village travel and subsistence activities. ATVs and snowmachines are commonly used in winter.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 3,000' lighted gravel airstrip, with a 2,400' gravel crosswind airstrip, is located one and a half miles from the city. Elevation 289 feet. Daily scheduled services are provided out of Kotzebue, and air taxis provide charter flights. The airstrip has recently undergone major improvements.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Crowley Marine Services barges fuel and supplies to Ambler each summer.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	The Kobuk River is navigable from early July to mid-October.

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI <b>In-State Phone:</b> OTZ Telephone Co-op, Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom; GCI; OTZ Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI (www.gci.net)	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City of Ambler	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, aviation, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owner</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (12 @ 101,275 gals.); NWAB Schools (4 @ 56,172); NANA Bulk Plant (225,200); City of Ambler (4 @ 6,200).	
<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations and meals available at Kobuk River Lodge & General Store, 445-2150.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	The main source of water for the community is a 167' well near the Kobuk River. Water is pumped 940 feet to the treatment facility and stored in a 210,000-gallon insulated tank, then piped to most homes. An 80 feet standby well is also located at the water treatment plant.	



	Sewage is collected via 6- and 8-inch arctic pipes and flows to a facultative lagoon through two lift stations, where it discharges to a natural watershed, then to the Kobuk River. As last reported, 57 homes are served by the piped water and sewer system.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, hardware items available. No laundromat or banking facilities. Rental transportation includes autos, off-road vehicles, boats, and charter aircraft.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 61 students. The landfill is not permitted.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. School
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport, 442-3147 (Kotzebue) Other government facilities
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Sorbent pads maintained by City of Ambler

9770.7.02 – Brevig Mission

<b>BREVIG MISSION</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Brevig Mission is located at the mouth of Shelman Creek on Port Clarence, 5 miles northwest of Teller and 65 miles northwest of Nome, at approximately 65d 20m N Latitude, 166d 29m W Longitude. Brevig Mission has a maritime climate with continental influences when the Bering Sea freezes. Summer temperatures average 44 to 57; winter temperatures average -9 to 8. Precipitation averages 11.5 inches, with 50 inches of snowfall. Port Clarence is generally ice-free between early June and mid-November.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The Kauwerak Eskimos in this area lived in migratory communities in pursuit of hunting and fishing grounds and traded furs with Siberia, Little Diomede and King Island. They formed alliances with Wales, Little Diomede, and others for protection. The "Teller Reindeer Station" opened near this site in 1892, and the U.S. government operated it until 1900. In 1963, the Brevig Mission post office was established. Reindeer were the economic base of this community until 1974, when the industry began to decline. Approximately 92% of the population are Alaska Natives; and a federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Brevig Mission is predominantly Eskimo with a subsistence lifestyle. The sale, importation and possession of alcohol are banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The primary employers are the city and school district. Year-round jobs are scarce, unemployment is high, and seasonal jobs in mining and construction are limited. Arts and crafts provide some cash income.
<b>Subsistence</b>	The people of Brevig Mission subsist upon fish, moose, reindeer, seal, walrus and beluga whales.
<b>Population</b>	358 (2009 DCCED Certified)
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers VPSO</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome) 642-2264, 642-2274 (fax)
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Brevig Mission Health Clinic – 642-4311. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Nome

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Brevig Mission</b>	P.O. Box 85021 Brevig Mission, AK 99785	642-3851 642-2194 (fax)	<a href="mailto:ktsmayor@gmail.com">ktsmayor@gmail.com</a>
<b>Brevig Mission Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 85024 Brevig Mission, AK 99785	642-4091 642-2060 (fax)	<a href="mailto:bmncp@hughes.net">bmncp@hughes.net</a>
<b>Native Village of Brevig Mission</b>	P.O. Box 85039 Brevig Mission, AK 99785	642-4301 642-2099 (fax)	<a href="mailto:brevig@aitc.org">brevig@aitc.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, small boat and snowmachine. Teller is 5 miles away by boat; a 72-mile gravel road between Teller and Nome is maintained by the State during the summer. ATVs and snowmachines are commonly used in winter. A 72-mile gravel road between Teller and Nome is maintained by the State during the summer.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	The State-owned 2,100' gravel airstrip, with 1,000' crosswind strip, enables year-round access. Elevation 25'. Airport has lights and freight terminal but runway condition is not monitored. Regular air service is available from Nome, and charters are provided from Nome and Teller.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	A cargo ship stops annually.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	Port Clarence is generally ice-free between early June and mid-November.

FACILITIES & UTILITIES	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska; AT&T <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom; GCI; Mukluk Telephone
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); TelAlaska
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City Of Brevig Mission
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative
<b>Fuel</b>	Aviation and regular gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Bering Strait Schools (2 @ 54,000 gals.); City (7 @ 79,750); Church (8,000); Army Nat'l Guard (3 @ 4,750); AVEC (9; 232,731); Corporation (7 @ 189,000).
<b>Housing</b>	No hotels. Accommodations may be arranged at the high school by contacting the school (642-4021) or the city office (642-3851).

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<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	The tank is filled monthly. Water is piped into the school from the city's water mains. Some residents use honeybuckets and deposit waste in a sewage lagoon.
<b>Services</b>	No restaurants or banking services. Lodging may be available in either the the washeteria building (642-2267) or at the health clinic (642-4311). Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available at the Brevig Muit Store (642-4091). Marine engine and boat repair available, and arrangements can be made to rent boats.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 113 students. The landfill is not permitted.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, School, etc.
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport, 443-2500 (Nome) National Guard Armory Other government facilities
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Up to 20 boats, some sorbent pads, sorbent boom, a backhoe, and a loader may be available.

9770.7.03 – Buckland

<b>BUCKLAND</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Buckland is located on the west bank of the Buckland River, about 75 miles southeast of Kotzebue, at approximately 65d 59m N Latitude, 161d 08m W Longitude. Buckland is in a transitional arctic climate zone that is characterized by long, cold winters and cool summers. Temperatures range from -60 to the mid 80s. Snowfall averages 40 inches, with 9 inches of precipitation per year. Crosswinds can restrict flying during the winter.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The residents have moved from one site to another along the river at least five times in recent memory, to places known as Elephant Point, Old Buckland and New Site. The presence of many fossil finds at Elephant Point indicates prehistoric occupation of the area. The Inupiaq Eskimos depend on reindeer, beluga whale and seal for survival. Approximately 95% of the population are Alaska Natives; a federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Buckland is an Eskimo village, and subsistence activities are an important focus of the economy. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	Residents depend on a subsistence lifestyle for most food sources. Employment is primarily with the school, city, health clinic, and stores. Some mining also occurs. In 2009, one resident held a commercial fishing permit. The community is interested in developing a Native food products and crafts manufacturing facility to produce reindeer sausage, berry products, Labrador tea, and ivory and wood carving. Some mining also occurs.
<b>Subsistence</b>	
<b>Population</b>	432 (2009 DCCED Certified)
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue)
<b>VPSO</b>	494-3222
<b>Fire</b>	494-2121 / 494-2176
<b>Medical</b>	Buckland Health Clinic – 494-2122. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>City of Buckland</i>	P.O. Box 49 Buckland, AK 99727	494-2121 494-2138 (fax)	<a href="mailto:cityofbucklandalaska@gmail.com">cityofbucklandalaska@gmail.com</a>
<i>Native Village of Buckland</i>	P.O. Box 67 Buckland, AK 99727	494-2171 494-2217 (fax)	tribeadmin@nunachiak.org

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, small boat and snowmachine. There are no roads outside the village.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 2,580' gravel airstrip that serves a number of scheduled and chartered flights is one mile southwest from village. Elevation 30'. Runway condition not monitored, and area subject to turbulent crosswinds in the summer.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Tanana Air Service; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Crowley Marine barges in fuel, and various lighterage companies deliver cargo and supplies each summer.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	Barge and smaller vessels.

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI <b>In-State Phone:</b> OTZ Telephone Co-op, Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T; GCI; OTZ Telephone Co-op, Inc.	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City of Buckland	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by City of Buckland	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel and propane	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Village (8 @ 140,000 gals.); NWAB Schools (4 @ 94,128).	
<b>Housing</b>	No lodging	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is pumped from Buckland River, treated in the washeteria building, and stored in a 100,000-gallon tank. Some residents have water delivered to home tanks, but most haul their own water. The city pumps flush/haul waste tanks or hauls honeybuckets to the sewage lagoon; a flush/haul system has been problematic on the south side of town, and it sometimes freezes and fails during the winter. Only eight homes and the school have functioning plumbing; 74 homes are not served.	

<b>Services</b>	No restaurant or banking services. Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available at four stores. Laundry facilities available at city washeteria, open daily. No rental transportation.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 164 students. The school has full plumbing. Individuals dispose of refuse in dumpsters, which are hauled to the landfill; DEC has approved the landfill for use, although it is not permitted.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 442-3147 (Kotzebue) National Guard Armory – 494-3222 Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Village maintains a small supply of sorbent pads

9770.7.04 – Candle

<b>CANDLE</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Candle is located on the Kewalik River, 90 miles southeast of Kotzebue. Winters are similar to Kotzebue. June is clear and cool, July hot and dry, August expect rain, then usually 2 or 3 weeks of Indian summer in September.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Candle is a mining community started in 1904. Most of the town burned down about 30 years ago; just a few of the houses were left standing. Population increases in May with the beginning of mining season and decreases with freeze-up in late September or October.
<b>Economy</b>	Mining and some subsistence fishing and hunting.
<b>Subsistence</b>	
<b>Population</b>	Approximately four year-round; up to 35 during summer mining season.
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unincorporated
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Not applicable
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue)
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	None

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>None Identified</i>			

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By plane, small boat and snowmachine. There are no roads outside of immediate area.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A 5,200' gravel airstrip adjacent northeast. Elevation 15'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Seasonal and irregularly scheduled, plus chartered air service.
<b>Freight</b>	No scheduled service
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	No information

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>	
<b>Telephone</b>	No information.
<b>Wireless and Internet Service Provider</b>	
<b>TV Stations</b>	

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<b>Radio Stations</b>		
<b>Cable Provider</b>		
<b>Teleconferencing</b>		
<b>Electricity</b>	No information	
<b>Fuel</b>	None available	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity):	
<b>Housing</b>	No lodging.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	No information.	
<b>Services</b>	No services available.	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is no state-operated school located in the community.	

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None Identified.

9770.7.05 – Council

<b>COUNCIL</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Council is located at the terminus of the Nome/Council road, 60 miles northeast of Nome, on the left bank of the Niukluk River at approximately 64d 54m N Latitude, 163d 40m W Longitude. Council has a continental climate with maritime influences when Norton Sound is ice-free. Its inland location gives greater daily variation in temperatures than nearby coastal communities. Seasonal temperatures range from -9 to 64.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Historically, this was a fish camp for the Fish River Tribe, who originally lived 12 miles downstream. Council's history is synonymous with the gold rush period; gold was first discovered in the area in 1897. By 1898, there were 50 log houses, and during the summers of 1897-99 the population of "Council City" was estimated at 15,000. The depletion of gold, the flu epidemic of 1918, the depression, and World War II all contributed to the decline of the population. By 1950, only nine people remained; the post office closed in 1953. Today, the community is not occupied year-round, but serves primarily as a summer fish camp for Nome residents. Nearly two-thirds of the seasonal population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community.
<b>Economy</b>	Council is a seasonal fish camp. Several Nome residents have homes in Council, used for summer subsistence food-gathering activities.
<b>Subsistence</b>	
<b>Population</b>	None year-round, up to 50 in summer.
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unincorporated
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	None. Auxiliary health care is provided by Norton Sound Regional Hospital (443-3311) in Nome.

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>Council Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 1183 Nome, AK 99762	443-6513 443-4452 (fax)	<a href="mailto:council@arctic.net">council@arctic.net</a>

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>Native Village of Council</b>	P.O. Box 2050 Nome, AK 99762	443-7649 443-5965 (fax)	tc.cou@kawerak.org

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By plane, small boat, snowmachine/dogsled, and by vehicle from Nome when the road is passable.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	There is a State-owned 3,000' gravel airstrip, but it is not maintained in the winter. Elevation 95'. The airstrip has recently undergone major improvements.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Air charter services are available from Nome: Bering Air.
<b>Freight</b>	No services
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> N/A <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom
<b>Internet Provider</b>	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	
<b>Electricity</b>	There is no central electric system. Electricity is provided by individual generators.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline and propane available seasonally.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): No information.
<b>Housing</b>	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Households must haul water from a central watering point or nearby river. Sewage is deposited in septic tanks or outhouses. Only a few homes have plumbing.
<b>Services</b>	Accommodations and meals available in summer at Camp Bendeleben fishing lodge (443-2880). Limited groceries available from small store in residence. No laundromat or banking facilities.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is no state-operated school located in the community. One phone in the community building (665-8001) and radio.

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SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	

<b><i>Potential Staging Areas</i></b>	Airport – 443-2500 (Nome)
<b><i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i></b>	None identified.

9770.7.06 – Deering

<b>DEERING</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Deering is located on Kotzebue Sound at the mouth of the Inmachuk River, 57 miles southwest of Kotzebue. It is built on a flat sand and gravel spit, 300 feet wide and a half-mile long, at approximately 66d 04m N Latitude, 162d 42m W Longitude (Sec. 20, T008N, R019W, Kateel River Meridian). Deering is located in the transitional climate zone, which is characterized by long, cold winters and cool summers. The average low temperature during January is -18; the average high during July is 63. Temperature extremes have been measured from -60 to 85. Snowfall averages 36 inches, with a total precipitation of 9 inches per year. Kotzebue Sound is ice-free from early July until mid-October.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The village was established in 1901 as a supply station for Interior gold mining near the historic Malemiut Eskimo village of Inmachukmiut. The name Deering was probably taken from the 90-ton schooner "Abbey Deering," which was in nearby waters around 1900. Nearly 95% of the population are Alaska Natives, primarily Inupiat Eskimo; a federally recognized tribe is located in the community. The people are active in subsistence. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	Deering's economy is a mix of cash and subsistence activities. Three residents hold commercial fishing permits. Management of the Karmun-Moto reindeer herd of 1,400 animals provides some local employment. A number of residents earn income from handicrafts and trapping. The school, the city, Maniilaq Association, several stores, and an airline provide the only year-round jobs. Some mining occurs in the Seward Peninsula's interior.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Moose, seal and beluga whale provide most meat sources; pink salmon, tom cod, herring, ptarmigan, rabbit and waterfowl are also harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	118 (2009 DCCED Certified)
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue)
<b>Fire</b>	None
<b>Medical</b>	Pauline Aliitchaq Barr Health Health Clinic – 363-2137. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue. Emergency Services have coastal

	and river access and are generally provided by health aides and volunteers.
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LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Deering</b>	P.O. Box 36049 Deering, AK 99736	363-2136 363-2156 (fax)	<a href="mailto:cityofdeering@yahoo.com">cityofdeering@yahoo.com</a>
<b>Ipnatchiaq Electric Company</b>	P.O. Box 36021 Deering, AK 99736	363-2157 363-2307 (fax)	
<b>Native Village of Deering</b>	P.O. Box 89 Deering, AK 99736	363-2138 363-2158 (fax)	tribeadmin@ipnatchiaq.org

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Deering is accessible year-round by plane. Small boats, ATVs and snowmachines are used for local travel. Winter trails provide access to Candle and Buckland.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A new State-owned 2,600' gravel airstrip, with a 2,080' crosswind strip.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Crowley Marine Services barges fuel and supplies from Kotzebue each summer.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	Cellular Service: GCI In-State Phone: OTZ Telephone Co-op, Inc. Long-Distance Phone: AT&T; GCI; OTZ	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City of Deering	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Ipnatchiaq Electric Company	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Electric Co. (4 @ 70,000 gals.); NWAB Schools (2 @ 43,638); NANA Bulk Fuel (167,000); Other (7,914).	
<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations with kitchen privileges available at Deering Multipurpose facility (363-2136).	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is derived from the Inmachuk River, then treated and pumped to a 400,000-gallon insulated storage tank. Water is delivered to home	

	tanks or hauled from the watering point. Archaeological remains were discovered while excavating for the new system.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available at Deering Native Store (363-2159) and Beep's Store (363-2125). Laundromat available. No major repair service or rental transportation.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 34 students. The city would like to purchase an incinerator with waste heat recovery to reduce the volume of refuse.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. School
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 442-3147 (Kotzebue) Other government facilities -
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Native Village of Deering maintains conex with sorbent pads, sorbent boom and containment boom.

9770.7.07 – Diomede

<b>DIOMEDE</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Diomede is located on the west coast of Little Diomede Island in the Bering Strait, 135 miles northwest of Nome, at approximately 65d 47m N Latitude, 169d 00m W Longitude (Sec. 08, T004N, R049W, Kateel River Meridian). It is only 2.5 miles to Big Diomede Island, Russia, and the International Boundary lies between the two islands. Summer temperatures average 40 to 50; winter temperatures average from -10 to 6. Annual precipitation is 10 inches, with 30 inches of snowfall. During summer months, cloudy skies and fog prevail. Winds blow consistently from the north, averaging 15 knots, with gusts to 60 and above. The Bering Strait is generally frozen between mid-December and mid-June.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Early Eskimos on the islands were fearless men of the ice and sea, with an advanced culture practicing elaborate whale hunting ceremonies. They traded with both continents. The 1880 Census counted 40 people, all Ingalikmiut Eskimos, in the village of "Inalet." When the Iron Curtain was formed, Big Diomede became a Soviet military base, and all Native residents were moved to mainland Russia. During World War II, Little Diomede residents who strayed into Soviet waters were taken captive. The city was incorporated in 1970. Some residents are interested in relocating the village, due to the rocky slopes, harsh storms, lack of useable land for housing construction, and inability to construct a water/sewer system, landfill, or airport. Nearly 94% of the population are Alaska Natives; a federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Diomede is a traditional Ingalikmiut Eskimo village with a subsistence lifestyle; mainland Natives come to Diomede to hunt polar bears. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The Diomede villagers depend almost entirely upon a subsistence economy for their livelihood. Regular employment is limited to the City of Diomede, the tribal office, Inalik Corporation and the school. Seasonal mining, construction and commercial fishing positions have been on the decline. The Diomede people are excellent ivory carvers; the city serves as a wholesale agent for the ivory.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Fish, crab, walrus, seal, beluga whales and polar bear are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	117 (2009 DCCED Certified)
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>



EMERGENCY SERVICES	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>Fire</b>	636-3071
<b>Medical</b>	Little Diomed Health Clinic – 686-3311. Auxiliary health care provided by Diomed Volunteer Fire Dept./First Responders (686-3071) and/or by flight to Nome.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Diomed</b>	P.O. Box 7039 Little Diomed, AK 99762	686-3071 686-2192 (fax)	<a href="mailto:Dio.city@yahoo.com">Dio.city@yahoo.com</a>
<b>Diomed Joint Utilities</b>	P.O. Box 7020 Diomed, AK 99762	686-3051 686-3061 (fax)	
<b>Diomed Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box Holder Little Diomed, AK 99762	686-3221 686-3222 (fax)	
<b>Native Village of Diomed</b>	P.O. Box 7099 Diomed, AK 99762	686-2175 686-2203 (fax)	tc.dio@kawerak.org

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Due to weather/sea conditions, access is often limited. Mail delivery is once per week via Helicopter. Villagers travel the 27 miles to Wales by boat for supplies; aluminum skiffs are the main method of sea travel. The popular method was by walrus skin boat until 2011, impacted by climate change.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned heliport allows for weekly mail delivery. There is no airstrip due to the steep slopes and rocky terrain. In the past ski planes would land on an ice strip in winter but more recently the ice does not freeze thick enough to scrape a landing strip for fixed-wing landing. Few float plane pilots attempt to land on the rough, often foggy, open sea during summer.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Regular flights are scheduled from Nome, weather permitting: Erickson Helicopters. Last airplane: Bering Air landing was in May of 2013.
<b>Freight</b>	Cargo barge stops are irregular due to sea or ice conditions, but deliver at least annually.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	There is a breakwater and small boat harbor.

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska	COM

	<b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone	
<b>Internet Provider</b>	TelAlaska	
<b>TV Stations</b>	None	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Diomedé Joint Utilities.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane. Provided by Little Store to the community residents.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Bering Strait Schools (2 @ 42,200 gals.); City of Diomedé (34,500); Diomedé Joint Utility (34,500); Native Store (34,500).	
<b>Housing</b>	A room with efficiency kitchen is available through Inalik Native Corporation (686-3221). Diomedé School rents space for \$70/night. Clinic houses itinerants in the Clinic building.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water drawn from a mountain spring is treated and stored in a 426,000 steel tank; households haul water from this source. The tank is filled for winter use, but the water supply typically runs out around June; the washeteria is then closed for laundry and shower services and residents are required to melt snow and ice for drinking water until the tank is refilled. The city and the school requested funding for new water storage tanks to alleviate demands on the city water supply, to improve the water catchment system, and be a community back-up. All households use privies and honeybuckets; the washeteria/clinic is served by a septic system and seepage pit. Diomedé School also serves a septic system.	
<b>Services</b>	No restaurant or banking services. Laundromat with showers available. Limited groceries and supplies available at Diomedé Native Store (686-3611). Little Store (Private owned) sales heating fuel and limited groceries. Inalik Native Corporation sales groceries, tobacco, and supplies and housing equipment. Arrangements can be made to rent private-owned boats for summer transportation.	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 35 students, Kindergarten to Grade 12, with 4 certified Teachers, 6 classified staff, and 3 temporary laborers. Due to the soil condition, lack of ground cover and steep terrain, there are limited waste disposal methods. Refuse disposal to community bins is an individual responsibility: combustibles are burned at the burn box incinerator; the remaining is disposed on the pack ice in winter. City of Diomedé owns the Burn Box incinerator. There is no hired City Solid Waste Technician; Native Village of Diomedé has been in charge of solid waste disposal from community bins. Native Village of Diomedé-IGAP Program collects and ships out recyclables of Universal Waste to Kawerak in Nome. DIO IGAP also	

	partners with other organizations to conduct Community & Beach Clean-Ups.
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<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. School
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Heliport – 443-2500 (Nome) Inaliq Recycling Staging Center – 686-2202
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified.

9770.7.08 – Elim

<i><b>ELIM</b></i>	
<i><b>Location and Climate</b></i>	Elim is located on the northwest shore of Norton Bay on the Seward Peninsula, 96 miles east of Nome, 460 miles northwest of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 64d 37m N Latitude, 162d 15m W Longitude (Sec. 15, T010S, R018W, Kateel River Meridian). Elim has a subarctic climate with maritime influences. Norton Sound is ice-free generally between mid-June and mid-November. Summers are cool and moist; winters are cold and dry. Summer temperatures average between 46 to 62; winter temperatures average -8 to 8. Annual precipitation is 19 inches, including approximately 80 inches of snow.
<i><b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b></i>	This settlement was formerly the Malemiut Inupiat Eskimo village of Nuviakchak, with a Native culture well-developed and well-adapted to the environment. Each tribe possessed a defined subsistence harvest territory. The area became a federal reindeer reserve in 1911, and in 1914 a Covenant mission and school, called Elim Mission Roadhouse, was founded. When Congress passed the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA) in 1971, Elim decided not to participate and instead opted for title to the 298,000 acres of land in the former Elim Reindeer Reserve. The Iditarod Sled Dog Race passes through Elim each year. Over 90% of the population are Alaska Natives; a federally recognized tribe is located in the community, an Inupiat Eskimo village with a fishing and subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<i><b>Economy</b></i>	The Elim economy is based on subsistence harvests; cash employment is limited to fishing, the city, and the school. Unemployment is high, and seasonal part-time employment in nearby Nome has declined recently. In 2009, 26 residents held commercial fishing permits; the village wants to develop a fish processing plant.
<i><b>Subsistence</b></i>	Residents rely on fish, seal, walrus, beluga whale, reindeer, moose, and garden harvests.
<i><b>Population</b></i>	337 (2009 DCCED Certified)
<i><b>Borough Located In</b></i>	Unorganized
<i><b>Incorporation Type</b></i>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<i><b>Native Entities</b></i>	<b>Regional:</b> Not applicable
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<i><b>State Troopers VPO</b></i>	800-443-2835 (Nome) 890-3611 Cell 907-890-8197
<i><b>Fire</b></i>	890-5155

<b>Medical</b>	Elim Health Clinic – 890-3311. Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Nome.
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<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>City of Elim</b>	P.O. Box 39009 Elim, AK 99739	890-3441 890-3811 (fax)	cityofelim@yahoo.com
<b>Elim Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 39010 Elim, AK 99739	890-3741 890-3091 (fax)	
<b>Native Village of Elim</b>	P.O. Box 39070 Elim, AK 99739-0070	890-3737 890-3738 (fax)	tc.eli@kawerak.org

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By plane, small boat and snowmachine.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	Recent improvements have made the State-owned airfield one of the most modern in the region. It offers a 3,400 gravel runway. Elevation 130'. Elim Native Corporation also owns a private 3000' by 60' paved airstrip with a 1,390' crosswind runway at Moses Point.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	A company operating from Nome brings a cargo ship with freight annually; supplies must be lightered to shore.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	There is no dock in the village, but plans are underway to develop a harbor and dock; an access road is under construction.

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom; GCI; Mukluk Telephone
<b>Internet Provider</b>	TelAlaska
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Elim Native Corporation
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Bering Strait Schools (3 @ 45,000 gals.); City (12 @ 142,430); Army Nat'l Guard (3 @ 4,500); AK DOT (3,000); Elim Native Store (68,130); AVEC (6 @ 155,154)
<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations may be secured through the City of Elim (890-3441), which has 2 rooms with 2 beds each.

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<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is derived from a well and is treated. BIA and HUD housing, and water and sewer systems built by PHS in 1974, have provided residents with piped water and sewer, indoor water heaters and plumbing, and in-home washers and dryers. Wastes flow to a sewage treatment plant with ocean outfall. The city needs to replace cracked PVC pipes and to locate a new water source, since water shortages occur.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, and sundry items available at Elim Native Store and Eagle Cache Store. Laundry facilities available but no restaurant nor banking services. Rental transportation includes autos, off-road vehicles, and boats. Boat, auto and aircraft repairs may be available.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 80 students. The landfill is not permitted.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 624-3261 (Unalakleet) National Guard Armory – Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

9770.7.09 – Gambell

<b>GAMBELL</b> (a.k.a. Sivuqaq)	
<b><i>Location and Climate</i></b>	Gambell is located on the northwest cape of St. Lawrence Island in the Bering Sea, 200 miles west of Nome. The town is 36 miles from the Chukotsk Peninsula of Siberia and lies at approximately 63d 47m N Latitude, 171d 45m W Longitude (Sec. 03, T020S, R067W, Kateel River Meridian). Gambell has a maritime climate with continental influences in the winter. Winds and fog are common, and precipitation occurs 300 days per year. Average annual precipitation is 15", including 80" of snowfall. The Bering Sea freezes in late November, with break-up at the end of May. Average summer temperatures are 34 to 48; average winter temperatures are -2 to 10. Extremes from -30 to 65 have been recorded.
<b><i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i></b>	St. Lawrence Island has been inhabited intermittently for the past 2,000 years by both Alaskan and Siberian Yup'ik Eskimos. In the 18th and 19th centuries, over 4,000 people inhabited the island in 35 villages. A tragic famine between 1878 and 1880 decimated the population. In 1900, reindeer were introduced to the island for local use, and in 1903, President Roosevelt established a reindeer reservation. When ANCSA was passed in 1971, Gambell and Savoonga decided not to participate and instead opted for title to the 1.136 million acres of land in the former St. Lawrence Island Reserve; the island is jointly owned by Savoonga and Gambell. Numerous species of birds, some of them rare Asiatic species, populate the island during the summer. Approximately 96% of the population are Alaska Natives; a federally recognized tribe is located in the community. The isolation of Gambell has helped to maintain the traditional Siberian-Yup'ik Eskimo culture, their language, and a subsistence lifestyle based upon marine mammals. Walrus-hide boats are still used to hunt. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b><i>Economy</i></b>	The economy in Gambell is largely based upon subsistence harvests from the sea. Fox are trapped as a secondary source of cash income. Some reindeer roam free on the island, but most harvesting occurs out of Savoonga. Ivory carving provides a popular source of income. The community benefits from a small tourism industry built around bird-watchers coming to see the abundant number of seabird colonies. One resident holds a commercial fishing permit.
<b><i>Subsistence</i></b>	Seal, walrus, fish, and bowhead and gray whales are harvested for subsistence.
<b><i>Population</i></b>	666 (2009 DCCED Certified)
<b><i>Borough Located In</i></b>	Unorganized
<b><i>Incorporation Type</i></b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City

<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b>	Not Applicable
	<b>Profit:</b>	
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>	
	<b>Village:</b>	

EMERGENCY SERVICES	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>Dept. of Public Safety</b>	985-5333
<b>VPSO</b>	985-5042
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Gambell Health Clinic – 985-5012

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Gambell</b>	P.O. Box 189 Gambell, AK 99742	985-5112 985-5927 (fax)	<a href="mailto:cityofgambell@yahoo.com">cityofgambell@yahoo.com</a>
<b>Sivuqaq Incorporated</b>	P.O. Box 101 Gambell, AK 99742	985-5826 985-5426 (fax)	
<b>Native Village of Gambell</b>	P.O. Box 99 Gambell, AK 99742	985-5346 985-5014 (fax)	<a href="mailto:gambell@smtp.ak.bia.gov">gambell@smtp.ak.bia.gov</a> or <a href="mailto:gambell@aitc.org">gambell@aitc.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Gambell's isolated location on an island with no seaport results in heavy dependence upon air transport.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	The State-owned airport provides a 4,500' by 96' asphalt runway. Elevation 27'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Regular flights from Nome and charters from Unalakleet are available: Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight)
<b>Freight</b>	Ligherage services bring freight from Kotzebue and Shishmaref.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI <b>In-State Phone:</b> United Utilities Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom; United Utilities
<b>Internet Provider</b>	School Only - GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> )
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Frontier Cable, Inc.
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconf. Network

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<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (9 @ 232,056 gals.); Bering Strait Schools (5 @ 90,000); ANICA Native Store (332,400); 7th Day Adventist Church (2,300); Army National Guard (10,400); City (55,300); Presbyterian Church (2,700)
<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations and meals reportedly available at one lodge (from mid-May to mid-August lodge is usually booked up by bird watchers).
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is derived from wells and Troutman Lake, then treated and stored in three storage tanks. Most homes (116) are connected to the piped water and sewer system; but 37 homes in the original townsite still haul water and honeybuckets. The schools and washeteria have individual water wells and septic tank systems. A new water source is needed to ensure that no shortages will occur.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available at Gambell Native Store (985-5211). Laundry facilities available but no banking services. Arrangements can be made to rent off-road vehicles and boats. No major repair service available.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 186 students. The city-operated landfill is not permitted.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 443-2500 (Nome) National Guard Armory – 985-5534 Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	City maintains spill kit with sorbent pads and boom

9770.7.10 – Golovin

<b>GOLOVIN</b> (GOLL-uh-vin); a.k.a. Chinik	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Golovin is located on a point of land between Golovnin Bay and Golovnin Lagoon on the Seward Peninsula, 70 miles east of Nome, at approximately 64d 33m N Latitude, 163d 02m W Longitude (Sec. 11, T011S, R022W, Kateel River Meridian). Marine climatic influences prevail during the summer when the sea is ice-free. Summer temperatures average 40 to 60; winter temperatures average -2 to 19. Extremes from -40 to 80 have been recorded. Average annual precipitation is 19 inches, with 40 inches of snowfall. Golovnin Bay is frozen from early November to mid-May.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The Eskimo village of "Chinik," located at the present site of Golovin, was originally settled by the Kauweramiut Eskimos, who later mixed with the Unaligmiut Eskimos. When gold was discovered in 1898 at Council, Golovin became a supply point for the gold fields; Supplies were shipped from Golovin across Golovnin Lagoon and up the Fish and Niukluk Rivers to Council. A post office opened in 1899. Reindeer herding was an integral part of the church missions in the area in the 1900s. Nearly 93% of the population are Alaska Natives; a federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Golovin is an Eskimo village with a fishing, herding, and subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The Golovin economy is based on subsistence activities, reindeer herding, fish processing and commercial fishing. In 2009, fifteen residents held commercial fishing permits. The salmon fishery and reindeer herding offer some potential for cash income to augment subsistence food harvests.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Fish, beluga whale, seal, moose, and reindeer are the main sources of meat; bird eggs and berries are gathered from the tundra.
<b>Population</b>	154 (2009 DCCED Certified)
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

EMERGENCY SERVICES	
<b>State Troopers VPSO</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome) 739-1010
<b>Fire</b>	779-3971
<b>Medical</b>	Golovin Health Clinic – 779-3311

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Golovin</b>	P.O. Box 62059 Golovin, AK 99762	779-3211 779-2239 (fax)	<a href="mailto:Golovin_ak@hotmail.com">Golovin_ak@hotmail.com</a>
<b>Golovin Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 62099 Golovin, AK 99762	779-3251 779-3261 (fax)	
<b>Chinik Eskimo Community</b>	P.O. Box 62020 Golovin, AK 99762	779-2214 779-2829 (fax)	<a href="mailto:Chinik@aitc.org">Chinik@aitc.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Access is limited to air and sea; there are no roads connecting the city with other areas.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	State-owned airport with a 4,000' long by 75' wide gravel runway.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Scheduled and chartered flights available from Nome: Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	A cargo ship brings supplies once each summer to Nome; the supplies are lightered from Nome and offloaded on the beach since there is no dock.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	No shipping dock

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): GCI; Mukluk Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); TelAlaska	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Golovin Native Corporation	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Golovin Power Utility.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): City (6 @ 135,486 gals.); Bering Strait Schools (2 @ 47,586)	
<b>Housing</b>	No hotel, but reportedly, Maggie Olson has rooms for rent.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is pumped from Chinik Creek, then treated and stored in three large tanks. Approximately 50% of households are plumbed; twenty-eight homes have water delivered by truck, 27 haul their own water, and 13 collect rain water during the summer. Ten homes with septic	

	tanks have experienced drainfield failures, 25 households use honeybuckets, and 21 homes use pit privies.
<b>Services</b>	No restaurant or banking services. Washeteria is available. Groceries/supplies available at Olson & Sons.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 45 students. City has a permitted landfill; the access road is completed.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 443-2500 (Nome) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

9770.7.11 – Kiana

<b>KIANA</b> (kai-ANN-uh)	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Kiana is located on the north bank of the Kobuk River, 57 air miles east of Kotzebue, at approximately 66d 58m N Latitude, 160d 26m W Longitude (Sec. 09, T018N, R008W, Kateel River Meridian). Kiana is located in the transitional climate zone. Temperatures average -10 to 15 during winter; 40 to 60 during summer. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -54 to 87. Snowfall averages 60 inches, with 16 inches of total precipitation per year. The Kobuk River is navigable from the end of May to early October.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Kowagmiut Inupiat Eskimos established Kiana, which means "a place where three rivers meet," long ago as the central village of the Kobuk River. Approximately 93% of the population are Alaska Natives; a federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Kiana is a traditional Eskimo village practicing a subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The economy depends on traditional subsistence activities, but is increasingly augmented by a cash economy. The school, the city, and Maniilaq Association provide the majority of year-round jobs in town; the Red Dog Mine also offers area employment. In 2009, two residents held commercial fishing permits; seasonal employment also includes work on river barges, BLM fire-fighting, and jade and copper ore mining. Kiana is one of the more modern villages in the borough and has three general stores.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Residents harvest chum salmon, freshwater fish, moose, caribou, waterfowl, and berries.
<b>Population</b>	374 (2009 DCCED Certified)
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue)
<b>VPSO</b>	475-5117
<b>Fire</b>	475-2132
<b>Medical</b>	Kiana Health Clinic – 475-2199. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Kiana</b>	P.O. Box 150 Kiana, AK 99749	475-2136 475-2174 (fax)	administrator@cityofkiana.org <a href="mailto:cityofkiana@aol.com">cityofkiana@aol.com</a>
<b>Kiana Traditional Council</b>	P.O. Box 69 Kiana, AK 99749	475-2109 475-2180 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tribeclerk@katyaaq.org">tribeclerk@katyaaq.org</a> <a href="mailto:kiana@aitc.org">kiana@aitc.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, small boat and snowmachine. Boats, ATVs and snowmachines are used extensively for local travel, and there are many trucks. A road extends along the river to Kobuk Camp, and a network of old trading trails exists.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	The State-owned Bob Baker Memorial Airport has a 3,400' lighted gravel runway, no facilities, and is located approximately one mile from the village. Elevation 150'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Daily scheduled flights and charter flights are available. Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Crowley Marine Services barges fuel and supplies each summer, and local store owners have large boats to bring supplies upriver.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	There is no dock.

FACILITIES & UTILITIES	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> OTZ Telephone Coop <b>AT&amp;T Alascom (Long Distance):</b> 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; OTZ Telephone
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI; TelAlaska
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City of Kiana
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Kotzebue Legislative Information Office
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (14 @ 138,146 gals.); Kiana Trading Post/Margaret & Donald Dorsey (4 @ 51,208); NWAB Schools (9 @ 88,152); City (94,000).
<b>Housing</b>	Land Sea Air has lodging available in Kiana; a seasonal lodge is ten miles upstream.

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<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	A 200,000-gallon steel tank is intermittently filled from two wells near the Kobuk River; water is chlorinated prior to distribution through buried water mains. Piped water and sewer are provided to the clinic, school, community hall, and 73 homes. Kiana maintains a 6-inch buried gravity sewer system, which drains to a lift station for pumping through a buried force main to the sewage treatment lagoon northeast of the village. Nineteen households haul water and use honeybuckets or septic tanks. A water and sewer Master Plan is being conducted for needed infrastructure improvements.
<b>Services</b>	No restaurant, laundromat, or banking facilities. Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available among the three stores in the community. Rental transportation includes boats and charter aircraft. Small engine repair only.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 113 students. The landfill is located west of the sewage disposal lagoon; the site needs to be relocated.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 442-3147 (Kotzebue) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	City maintains absorbent pads and boom, large storage tanks, 300 gal vats, sump pumps, a Caterpillar, a grader, and a loader.

9770.7.12 – Kivalina

<b>KIVALINA</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Kivalina is at the tip of an 8-mile barrier reef located between the Chukchi Sea and Wulik River, approximately 80 air miles northwest of Kotzebue. It lies at approximately 67d 43m N Latitude, 164d 32m W Longitude (Sec. 21, T027N, R026W, Kateel River Meridian). Kivalina is in the transitional climate zone, characterized by long, cold winters and cool summers. The average low temperature during January is -15; the average high during July is 57. Temperature extremes have been measured from -54 to 85. Snowfall averages 57 inches, with 8.6 inches of precipitation per year. The Chukchi Sea is ice-free and open to boat traffic from mid-June to early November.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Kivalina has long been a stopping-off place for seasonal travelers between arctic coastal areas and Kotzebue Sound communities. It is the only village in the region where people hunt the bowhead whale. During the 1970s, new houses, a new school and an electric system were constructed in the village. Due to severe erosion, the city intends to relocate - a site has yet to be determined by discussion and vote of the public. Approximately 97% of the population are Alaska Natives, a federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Kivalina is a traditional Inupiat Eskimo village; subsistence activities, including whaling, provide most food sources. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	Kivalina's economy depends on subsistence practices, where 79% of the food consumed is harvested from sea and land. The school, the city, Maniilaq Association, village council, and local stores provide year-round jobs. The Red Dog Mine also offers area employment. In 2009, two residents hold commercial fishing permits.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Bearded seal, walrus, bowhead whale, beluga whale, salmon, whitefish, trout and caribou are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	410 (2009 DCCED Certified) 475 local census
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> Kivalina Council
	<b>Village:</b> Native Village of Kivalina

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue)
<b>VPSO</b>	None
<b>Fire</b>	645-2137



<b>Medical</b>	Kivalina Health Clinic – 645-2141. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue.
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LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Kivalina</b>	P.O. Box 50079 Kivalina, AK 99750	645-2137 645-2175	<a href="mailto:kivalinacity@aol.com">kivalinacity@aol.com</a>
<b>Native Village of Kivalina</b>	P.O. Box 50051 Kivalina, AK 99750	645-2153 645-2193	environmental.irrcoordinator@kivaliniq.org millie.hawley@ymail.com

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, small boat and snowmachine. There are no roads linking the community to other parts of the state. Boats are used for inter-village travel and subsistence activities. ATVs and snowmachines are commonly used in winter. The community needs a road to the proposed new school site, 7.5 miles away. Two main hunting trails follow the Kivalina and Wulik Rivers.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 3,000' gravel airstrip serves daily flights from Kotzebue. Elevation 10'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Crowley Marine Services barges fuel and supplies from Kotzebue during July and August.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES	
<b>Telephone</b>	Cellular Service: GCI In-State Phone: OTZ Telephone Co-op, Inc. Long-Distance Phone: AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; OTZ Telephone
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); OTZ Telephone
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	Tank Owners (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (16 @ 130,559 gals.); Native Store (13 @ 114,400); NWAB Schools (4 @ 47,252)
<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations sometimes available in private homes, visitors may be lodged at the school.

COMMUNICATIONS

<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Wells have proven unsuccessful in Kivalina. Water is drawn from the Wulik River via a 3-mile surface transmission line to a 670,000-gallon raw water tank and then to a 500,000-gallon tank, where it is treated when it is pumped. The water generally lasts the community only for a six-month period, and the washeteria is closed to the public when the last tank is down to 12 feet, and water use is limited to 30 gallons a day for the public during this period so it can last through May. Water is hauled by residents from this tank, which can be difficult during winter since snow can create hills 20 to 30 feet high that must be negotiated. One-seventh of residents have tanks that provide running water for the kitchen, but homes are not fully plumbed. There is a public washeteria which offers up to four (4) washers when they are working and no showers available. The school and clinic have individual water and sewer systems. Residents haul their own honeybuckets to the landfill disposal site, which has no barrier around it and is subject to visits from wild animals, such as bears and foxes.
<b>Services</b>	No restaurant, laundromat or banking facilities. Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware can be purchased in the community store owned by ANICA, Inc. Boats can sometimes be rented.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	The community has one school, attended by 122 students. Seagulls and crows forage for food at the landfill creating a threat to airplane traffic at the landing strip.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – 645-2137 School – 645-2125
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 442-3147 (Kotzebue) National Guard Armory – Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	AVEC maintains a conex of spill response equipment

9770.7.13 – Kobuk

<b>KOBUK</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Kobuk is located on the right bank of the Kobuk River, about 7 miles northeast of Shungnak and 128 air miles northeast of Kotzebue. It is the smallest village in the Northwest Arctic Borough and lies at approximately 66d 55m N Latitude, 156d 52m W Longitude (Sec. 03, T017N, R009E, Kateel River Meridian). Kobuk is located in the transitional climate zone. Temperatures average -10 to 15 during winter; 40 to 65 during summer. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -68 to 90. Snowfall averages 56 inches, with 17 inches of total precipitation per year. The Kobuk River is navigable from the end of May through October.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Kobuk was founded in 1899 as a supply point for mining activities in the Cosmos Hills to the north. High School students attend school in Shungnak. Ice jams on the river cause high water each year, and in May 1973, a flood covered the entire village. Nearly 90% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. It is an Inupiat Eskimo village practicing a traditional subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The economy of Kobuk is based on subsistence. Cash employment is limited to the school, city government and Maniilaq clinic. Seasonal construction and BLM fire fighting provide some income.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Whitefish, caribou and moose provide the majority of meat sources for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	96
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue)
<b>VPO</b>	948-5067
<b>Medical</b>	Kobuk Health Clinic – 948-2218. The clinic has water and sewer freezing problems; needs major renovations and expansion. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue.

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>City of Kobuk</b>	P.O. Box 20	948-2217	<a href="mailto:kobukcity@yahoo.com">kobukcity@yahoo.com</a>

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
	Kobuk, AK 99751	948-2228 (fax)	
<b>Kobuk Valley Electric Cooperative</b>	P.O. Box 53090 Kobuk, AK 99753	948-2251 948-2130 (fax)	
<b>Native Village of Kobuk</b>	P.O. Box 39 Kobuk, AK 99751	948-2203 948-2123 (fax)	tribeadmin@langviik.org

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, small boat and snowmachine. There are many trails along the river for year-round inter-village travel and subsistence activities, including a 7-mile road to Shungnak.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 2,360' lighted gravel airstrip is served by scheduled air carriers. Elevation 145'. Float planes land on the Kobuk River and nearby lake.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Crowley Marine Services barges fuel and supplies during the spring and fall, when high water stages occur. There is a barge off-loading area.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	Cellar Service: GCI In-State Phone: OTZ Telephone Coop, Inc. Long-Distance Phone: AT&T; GCI; OTZ Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI (www.gci.net)	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Kobuk Valley Electric Cooperative, which purchases power from AVEC over the Kobuk-Shungnak intertie.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): NWAB Schools (4 @ 27,244 gals.); City (37,000)	
<b>Housing</b>	Some accommodations can be arranged within the community.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	A 30-foot well provides water, which is treated and currently hauled by residents from the washeteria. Honeybuckets and privies are currently used by most residences. Major construction underway to provide a piped water and sewer system, including household plumbing. The washeteria has its own septic tank. Waste is disposed of at Dall Creek.	

<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available. Laundromat with showers. No restaurant or banking services. Rental transportation includes boats and charter aircraft. No public transportation.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 35 students. A new landfill was recently completed.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 442-3147 (Kotzebue) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Up to ten boats and a backhoe may be available.

**9770.7.14 – Kotzebue**

<b>KOTZEBUE</b>	
<b><i>Location and Climate</i></b>	Kotzebue lies on the Baldwin Peninsula in Kotzebue Sound, on a 3-mile-long spit, which ranges in width from 1,100 to 3,600 feet. It is located near the discharges of the Kobuk and Noatak Rivers, 549 air miles northwest of Anchorage and 26 miles above the Arctic Circle, at approximately 66d 54m N Latitude, 162d 35m W Longitude (Sec. 03, T017N, R018W, Kateel River Meridian). Kotzebue is located in the transitional climate zone, which is characterized by long, cold winters and cool summers. The average low temperature during January is -12; the average high during July is 58. Temperature extremes have been measured from -52 to 85. Snowfall averages 40 inches, with total precipitation of 9 inches per year. Kotzebue Sound is ice-free from early July until early October.
<b><i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i></b>	This site has been occupied by Inupiat Eskimos for at least 600 years. "Kikiktagruk" was the hub of ancient arctic trading routes long before European contact due to its coastal location near a number of rivers. Since the turn of the century, expansion of economic activities and services in the area has enabled Kotzebue to develop relatively rapidly. An Air Force Base and White Alice Communications System were later constructed. Approximately three-quarters of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. The residents of Kotzebue are primarily Inupiat Eskimos, and subsistence activities are an integral part of the lifestyle. Each summer, the North Tent City fish camp is set up to dry and smoke the season's catch. As a regional economic center, it offers a mixture of government, transportation, and other private sector businesses. The sale is banned in the City, although importation or possession of alcohol is allowed.
<b><i>Economy</i></b>	Kotzebue is the service and transportation center for all villages in the northwest region. It has a healthy cash economy, a growing private sector, and a stable public sector. Due to its location at the confluence of three river drainages, Kotzebue is the transfer point between ocean and inland shipping. It is also the air transport center for the region. The majority of income is directly or indirectly related to government employment, such as the School District, Maniilaq Association, and the City and Borough. The Cominco Alaska Red Dog Mine is a significant regional employer. Commercial fishing for chum salmon and processing at Kotzebue Sound Area Fisheries provide some seasonal employment. Over 131 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Most residents rely on subsistence to supplement income.
<b><i>Subsistence</i></b>	
<b><i>Population</i></b>	3000
<b><i>Borough Located In</i></b>	Northwest Arctic

<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City	
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b>	NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>	
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>	
	<b>Village:</b>	

EMERGENCY SERVICES	
<b>State Troopers</b>	442-3222
<b>Police</b>	442-3351
<b>Fire</b>	442-3404
<b>Medical</b>	Maniilaq Health Center (PHS) – 442-3321. Hospital is a qualified Acute Care facility. Auxiliary health care provided by the Fire Dept. and Maniilaq Air Ambulance – 442-3321 x7344.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Kotzebue</b>	P.O. Box 46 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3401 442-3742 (fax)	<a href="http://www.kotzebuepolice.com">http://www.kotzebuepolice.com</a> dmartin@kotzebue.org
<b>Kotzebue Electric Association</b>	P.O. Box 44 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3491 442-2482 (fax)	
<b>Northwest Inupiat Housing Authority</b>	P.O. Box 331 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3450 442-3486 (fax)	<a href="mailto:nihaed@ptialaska.net">nihaed@ptialaska.net</a>
<b>NW Arctic Economic Dev. Comm.</b>	P.O. Box 1110 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-2500 442-2930 (fax)	<a href="mailto:Denise_koutchak@yahoo.com">Denise_koutchak@yahoo.com</a>
<b>Maniilaq Association</b>	P.O. Box 256 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3311 442-2381 (fax)	
<b>NANA Regional Corp.</b>	P.O. Box 49 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3301 442-2866 (fax)	
	1001 E. Benson Blvd. Anchorage, AK 99508	265-4100 265-4311 (fax)	<a href="http://www.nana-online.com/intro.htm">http://www.nana-online.com/intro.htm</a>
<b>Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corp.</b>	P.O. Box 1050 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3165 442-2165 (fax)	
<b>Kotzebue IRA Council</b>	P.O. Box 296 Kotzebue, AK 99752	442-3467 442-2162 (fax)	<a href="mailto:kotzebueira@gmail.com">kotzebueira@gmail.com</a> or <a href="mailto:alex.whiting@qira.org">alex.whiting@qira.org</a>



<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, boat and snowmachine, though air is the primary means of transportation year-round. The shipping season lasts 100 days, from early July to early October, when the Sound is ice-free. Due to river sediments deposited by the Noatak River 4 miles above Kotzebue, the harbor is shallow. There are 26 miles of local gravel roads, used by cars, trucks and motorcycles during the summer. Snowmachines are preferred in winter for local transportation.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	The State-owned Ralph Wien Memorial Airport supports daily jet service to Anchorage and several air taxis to the region's villages. It has a 5,900' main paved runway and 3,900' crosswind gravel runway. Elevation 11'. A seaplane base is also operated by the State.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Alaska Airlines; Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Crowley Marine Services operates shallow draft barges to deliver cargo to area communities. The City of Kotzebue is the transfer point between ocean and inland shipping for northwest Alaska. It does not have a natural harbor, and is ice-free for only 3 months each year. Deep draft vessels must anchor 15 miles out, and cargo is lightered to the docking facility.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	Docking facility but no harbor.

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; OTZ <b>In-State Phone:</b> OTZ Telephone Coop, Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T; GCI; OTZ Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI; OTZ Telephone Coop, Inc.	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS; KUAC; KYAC	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	GCI Cable, Inc.	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Legislative Information Office	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Kotzebue Electric Association	
<b>Fuel</b>	Aviation, including Jet A, and regular gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Crowley Marine Services Tank Farm (15 @ 6,200,000 gals.); Airport/Bering Air (20,000); Air Nat'l Guard (17,000); NWAB Schools (8 @ 221,748); Pacific Alaska Fuel Services; Baker's Fuel; Hanson's; Bison Street; Lee's Auto; K.I.C.; NAPA Auto Parts.	
<b>Housing</b>	Nullagvik Hotel (442-3331), Bayside Inn (442-3600), and Drake's Camp (442-2736)	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is supplied by the 150-million-gallon Vortac Reservoir, located one and a half miles from the city. After treatment, water is stored in a 1.5-million-gallon tank. The water is heated with a waste heat recovery system at the electric plant and distributed in circulating	

	mains. Piped sewage is treated in a 32-acre zero discharge facultative lagoon west of the airport. Significant improvements are needed to this 30-year-old facility. Around 80% of homes are fully plumbed, and 521 homes are served by the city system. The 30-year-old PVC water and sewer mains are currently undergoing replacement.
<b>Services</b>	There are several restaurants, including at the Nullagvik and the Bayside, banking services, and several stores at which to get most any kind of supplies. The town also boasts a library, a National Park Service office, and the NANA Museum of the Arctic.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There are three schools located in the community, attended by 928 students. A new transfer station and landfill with baler has recently been completed. Recycling and hazardous waste disposal have been improved. A wind energy demonstration project is underway.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, Fire Department, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – DOT&PF 442-3147 National Guard Armory – 442-3447 Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	ADEC Spill Response Equipment Conex.

9770.7.15 – Koyuk

<b>KOYUK</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Koyuk is located at the mouth of the Koyuk River, at the northeastern end of Norton Bay on the Seward Peninsula, 90 air miles northeast of Nome, at approximately 64d 56m N Latitude, 161d 09m W Longitude (Sec. 32, T006S, R012W, Kateel River Meridian). Koyuk has a subarctic climate with a maritime influence. Average summer temperatures range from 46 to 62; winter temperatures average -8 to 8. Annual precipitation is 19 inches, including 40 inches of snowfall. Extremes from -49 to 87 have been recorded. Norton Bay is usually ice-free from May to October.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The site of "Iyatayet" on Cape Denbigh to the south has traces of early man that are 6,000 to 8,000 years old. The villagers were historically nomadic. Lt. Zagoskin of the Russian Navy noted the village of "Kuynkhak-miut" here in 1842-44, and a Western Union Telegraph expedition in 1865 found the village of "Konyukmute." Around 1900, the present townsite began to be populated where supplies could easily be lightered to shore. In addition to gold, coal was mined a mile upriver to supply steam ships and for export to Nome. The first school began in the church in 1915; the U.S. government built a school in Koyuk in 1928. Nearly 95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Koyuk is a traditional Unalit and Malemiut Eskimo village that speaks a dialect of Inupiat Eskimo. They maintain a subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The Koyuk economy is based on subsistence, supplemented by limited part-time jobs. Unemployment is high. There is a small amount of commercial fishing, and some income is derived from reindeer herding. Fourteen residents hold commercial fishing permits.
<b>Subsistence</b>	The main sources of meat are fish, reindeer, seal, beluga whale and moose.
<b>Population</b>	289
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>VPSO</b>	963-8143
<b>Police</b>	963-3541

<b>Fire</b>	963-3441
<b>Medical</b>	Koyuk Health Clinic – 963-3311

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Koyuk</b>	P.O. Box 53029 Koyuk, AK 99753	963-3441 963-3442 (fax)	<a href="mailto:cityofkoyuk@hughes.net">cityofkoyuk@hughes.net</a>
<b>Koyuk Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 53050 Koyuk, AK 99753	963-2424 963-3552 (fax)	<a href="mailto:Knoyn2015@outlook.com">Knoyn2015@outlook.com</a>
<b>Native Village of Koyuk</b>	P.O. Box 53030 Koyuk, AK 99753	963-3651 963-2653 (fax)	tc.kka@kawerak.org

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By plane, small boat and snowmachine. No roads connect Koyuk with other villages, although an 18-mile road to Six Mile Point is under construction, and access is limited to air and sea.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 3,000' gravel airstrip was recently improved. Elevation 130'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Regular flight service from Nome and Unalakleet is available. Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Supplies barged to Nome, delivered in smaller vessel, and lightered to shore.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	No dock in the village. (City is seeking a small boat harbor feasibility study.)

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI, TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; Mukluk Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ), TelAlaska	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City of Koyuk	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Bering Strait Schools (3 @ 81,000 gals.); AVEC (5 @ 129,295); Koyuk Native Corp. (5 @	

	194,000); City (24,000); Unknown/beach (2 @ 6,500); ADOT/Airport (3,000).
<b>Housing</b>	No hotel, but lodging possibly available at the pool hall (963-3661). Native Corporation has apartment available (963-2424). Local resident has some lodging possible (963-3221).
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	A piped water and sewer system was recently completed for the west side of town, serving 51 households. The east loop system is under construction. The school has requested funding to connect to the new sewer system, since its septic effluent is posing a health hazard. Funds have been requested to construct a new water plant and small washeteria.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries available at the Koyuk Native Store (963-3451). Koyuk Native Corporation Store sells gas and has some snacks, etc. Corinne's Videos has some hot food for sell. Washeteria and pay phone available. No restaurants, banking facilities, major repair services, moorage facilities or rental transportation.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 97 students. ADEC has approved the landfill for use, although it is not permitted.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 624-3261 (Unalakleet) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Up to 25 boats and some sorbent pads may be available.

### **MARY'S IGLOO**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Mary's Igloo is located on the northwest bank of the Kuzitrin River, on the Seward Peninsula, northeast of Nome. It lies 40 miles southeast of Teller. Average summer temperatures range from 44 to 57, winter average -9 to 8, with extremes measured from -45 to 82.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Natives of "Kauwerak," as the village was originally called, were Inupiaq Eskimos known as Kauweramiuts. This village was originally located about 15 miles downriver, but by 1900, Kauwerak was abandoned, and most Natives moved to Teller or Nome because of the schools and employment opportunities. Some settled at the present site, which they called "Aukvaunlook," meaning "black whale." During the gold prospecting boom, non-Natives renamed the village "Mary's Igloo," after an Eskimo woman named Mary, who welcomed miners, trappers and other newcomers into her home for coffee. Supplies for the gold fields upriver were transferred onto river boats here. A post office and

	store were opened in 1901. By 1910, Mary's Igloo became a large mixed community of Eskimos, white traders, miners, innkeepers, missionaries and support crews for barges. The flu epidemic of 1918-19, and a tuberculosis epidemic two years later, devastated the community. A Catholic orphanage, "Our Lady of Lourdes Mission," was opened at nearby Pilgrim Springs, and a Lutheran orphanage was built at nearby New Igloo. The BIA school closed in 1948 and the Alaska Native School was closed in 1952 for lack of students. The post office and store also closed in 1952. Mary's Igloo is a summer fish camp; many traditional villagers live in Teller. Villagers are interested in rebuilding the community, near the old site of Kauwerak.
<b>Economy</b>	Mary's Igloo is a summer fish camp. There is no employment or commercial activity in Mary's Igloo.
<b>Subsistence</b>	
<b>Population</b>	None permanent - small summer population
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unincorporated
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait <b>Profit:</b> <b>Nonprofit:</b> <b>Village:</b>

#### EMERGENCY SERVICES

No emergency services

#### LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>Mary's Igloo Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 572 Teller, AK 99778	642-3731	
<b>Native Village of Mary's Igloo</b>	P.O. Box 629 Teller, AK 99778	642-3731 642-2189 (Fax)	tc.mi@kawerak.org

#### TRANSPORTATION

<b>Accessibility</b>	Mary's Igloo is accessible by riverboat in the summer and by winter trails. Snowmachines and dog teams are used over a well-established trail to Teller. There is no connecting road and no air transportation accessibility.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	
<b>Airline Services</b>	
<b>Freight</b>	
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

#### FACILITIES & UTILITIES

None

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**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

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None

**9770.7.16 – Noatak**



<b>NOATAK</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Noatak is located on the west bank of the Noatak River, 55 miles north of Kotzebue and 70 miles north of the Arctic Circle. This is the only settlement on the 396 mile-long Noatak River, just west of the 66-million acre Noatak National Preserve, at approximately 67d 34m N Latitude, 162d 58m W Longitude (Sec. 16, T025N, R019W, Kateel River Meridian). Noatak is located in the transitional climate zone. Temperatures average -21 to 15 during winter; 40 to 60 during summer. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -59 to 75. Snowfall averages 48 inches, with 10 to 13 inches of total precipitation per year. The Noatak River is navigable by shallow-draft boats from early June to early October.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Established as a fishing and hunting camp in the 19th century, the rich resources of this region enabled the camp to develop into a permanent settlement. The 1880 census listed the site as Noatagamut, which means "inland river people." Over 95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. The village is Inupiat Eskimo. Subsistence activities are the central focus of the culture, and families travel to fish camps during the summer. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	Noatak's economy is principally based on subsistence, although the available employment is diverse. The school district, the city, Maniilaq Association, and four stores are the primary employers. Eight residents hold commercial fishing permits. During the summer, many families travel to seasonal fish camps at Sheshalik, and others find seasonal work in Kotzebue or fire-fighting.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Chum salmon, whitefish, caribou, moose and waterfowl are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	423
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers VPSO</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue) 485-5322
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Noatak Health Clinic – 485-2162. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>Noatak Village Council</b>	P.O. Box 89	485-2173	tribeadmin@nautaaq.org
	Noatak, AK 99761	485-2137 (fax)	

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Noatak is primarily accessed by air. Small boats, ATVs and snowmachines are used extensively for local transportation. Many historic trails along the Noatak River are important today for inter-village travel and subsistence uses.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 4,000' lighted gravel airstrip. Elevation 99'. No other airport facilities or transportation to the village.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Cargo, mail and passenger services. Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	There is currently no barge service to Noatak.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI <b>In-State Phone:</b> OTZ Telephone Coop, Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; OTZ Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> )	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Noatak IRA Council	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Kotzebue Legislative Information Office	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electric Cooperation.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (12 @ 95,254 gals.); NWAB Schools (9 @ 95,137); Alaska Native Store (6 @ 69,000); Noatak Fish Hatchery.	
<b>Housing</b>	No hotel, but arrangements can be made for sleeping at the school or private homes. Possible B&B at 485-2116.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is derived from the Noatak River and is treated. The primary well occasionally runs dry; groundwater wells have been unsuccessful in the area. A piped, recirculating water and sewer distribution system serves 77 homes, the school and businesses in Noatak. However, over half of the homes cannot use the service due to lack of plumbing. These residents haul water and honeybuckets. The village has requested funding to upgrade and add plumbing facilities where necessary and to construct a washeteria.	

<b>Services</b>	No restaurant, laundromat or banking facilities. Groceries, some clothing, hardware, and first-aid supplies available. No moorage facilities. Rental boats available.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 135 students. The landfill has recently been relocated west of the airport.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 442-3147 (Kotzebue) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Up to 25 boats, a backhoe, fuel truck, excavator, dump truck, and some sorbent pads may be available.

9770.7.17 – Nome

<i><b>NOME</b></i>	
<i><b>Location and Climate</b></i>	Nome sits along the Bering Sea, on the south coast of the Seward Peninsula, facing Norton Sound, at approximately 64d 30m N Latitude, 165d 25m W Longitude (Sec. 26, T011S, R034W, Kateel River Meridian). It lies 102 miles south of the Arctic Circle, 161 miles east of Russia, and 539 air miles northwest of Anchorage, a 75-minute flight. January temperatures range from -3 to 11; July temperatures are typically 44 to 65. Average annual precipitation is 18 inches, including 56 inches of snowfall.
<i><b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b></i>	Malemiut, Kauweramiut and Unalikmiut Eskimos, with a well-developed culture adapted to the environment, have occupied the Seward Peninsula historically. Gold discoveries in the Nome area had been reported as far back as 1865 by Western Union surveyors seeking a route across Alaska and the Bering Sea. But it was a \$1500-to-the-pan gold strike on tiny Anvil Creek in 1898, and two years later the discovery of gold on the beaches, that brought thousands of miners. Almost overnight an isolated stretch of tundra fronting the beach was transformed into a tent-and-log cabin city of 20,000 prospectors, gamblers, claim jumpers, saloon keepers, and prostitutes. The gradual depletion of gold, a major influenza epidemic in 1918, the depression, and finally World War II, each influenced Nome's population. A disastrous fire in 1934 destroyed most of the city. . A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community -- the Nome Eskimo Community. The population of Nome is a mixture of Inupiat Eskimos and non-Natives. Although some employment opportunities are available, subsistence activities are prevalent in the community. Although many employment opportunities are available, subsistence activities are prevalent in the community. Contact Alaska Department of Fish and Game at (907) 443-5167 for current subsistence activities.
<i><b>Economy</b></i>	Nome is the center of the Bering Strait/Seward Peninsula region. Government services provide the majority of employment. Less than 50 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Retail services, transportation, mining, medical and other businesses provide year-round income. Alaska Gold Company operates a placer gold mine that provides some employment. Subsistence activities contribute to the local diet.
<i><b>Subsistence</b></i>	Moose, caribou, salmon, bear, ptarmigan, reindeer, musk ox, seal and walrus are harvested for subsistence. Alaska Department of Fish and Game regional supervisor has most up to date information regarding fishing and subsistence activities 907-443-5167.
<i><b>Population</b></i>	3721
<i><b>Borough Located In</b></i>	Unorganized

<b>Incorporation Type</b>	1st Class City	
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b>	Bering Strait Native Corp
	<b>Profit:</b>	Sitnasuak Native Corp
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>	Kawerak Inc
	<b>Village:</b>	Nome Eskimo Community

EMERGENCY SERVICES	
<b>State Troopers</b>	443-5525/2441
<b>Police</b>	443-5262
<b>Fire</b>	443-2310
<b>Medical</b>	Norton Sound Regional Hospital – 443-3311. Auxiliary health care provided by Nome Volunteer Ambulance Service, Inc – 443-8521; and Norton Sound Health Corp Medevac – 443-3311. There is 911 phone capability.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>Nome Chamber of Commerce</b>	P.O. Box 250 Nome, AK 99762-0250	443-3879 443-3892 (fax)	<a href="mailto:director@nomechamber.com">director@nomechamber.com</a>
<b>City of Nome</b>	P.O. Box 281 Nome, AK 99762	443-6663 443-5345 (fax)	<a href="http://www.nomealaska.org/">http://www.nomealaska.org/</a> <a href="mailto:admin@ci.nome.ak.us">admin@ci.nome.ak.us</a> City Manager: Tom Moran
<b>Nome Convention &amp; Visitors Bureau</b>	P.O. Box 240 Nome, AK 99762	443-2477 443-2478 (fax)	<a href="http://www.alaska.net/~nome/tourinfo@ci.nome.ak.us">http://www.alaska.net/~nome/tourinfo@ci.nome.ak.us</a>
<b>Norton Sound Economic Dev. Corp.</b>	601 W. 5 <sup>th</sup> Ave., #415 Anchorage, AK 99503	274-2248 274-2249 (fax)	
<b>Bering Strait Housing Authority</b>	P.O. Box 995 Nome, AK 99762	443-5256 443-8652 (fax)	<a href="mailto:bsrha@nome.net">bsrha@nome.net</a>
<b>Bering Strait ARDOR Program</b>	P.O. Box 948 Nome, AK 99762	443-9005 443-2591 (fax)	<a href="mailto:stadem@kawerak.org">stadem@kawerak.org</a>
<b>Norton Sound Health Corp.</b>	P.O. Box 966 Nome, AK 99762	443-3311 443-3139 (fax)	<a href="mailto:crowder@nshcorp.org">crowder@nshcorp.org</a>
<b>Bering Strait Native Corp.</b>	P.O. Box 1008 Nome, AK 99762	443-5252 443-2985 (fax)	<a href="http://www.beringstraits.com/">http://www.beringstraits.com/</a>
<b>Kawerak Inc.</b>	P.O. Box 948 Nome, AK 99762	443-5231 443-4445 (fax)	

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>Nome City Schools</b>	Box 131 Nome, AK 99762-0131	443-2231 443-5144	<a href="mailto:apapineau@nomescchools.com">apapineau@nomescchools.com</a>
<b>Sitnasuak Native Corp.</b>	179 Front St. Nome, AK 99762	387-1200 443-3063 (fax)	<a href="mailto:morr@snc.org">morr@snc.org</a> <a href="mailto:tkenick@snc.org">tkenick@snc.org</a>
<b>Nome Eskimo Community</b>	P.O. Box 1090 Nome, AK 99762	443-2246 443-3539	<a href="mailto:info@necalaska.org">info@necalaska.org</a> <a href="mailto:Nome@aitc.org">Nome@aitc.org</a>
<b>Eskimo Walrus Commission</b> Vera Metcalf & Katya Wassili	P.O. Box 948 Nome, AK 99762	443-4380 443-4461	

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, boat and snow machine, and by vehicle from several nearby towns. Nome is a regional center of transportation for surrounding villages. Local roads lead to Teller, Council, Taylor and the Kougatok River. The entire seaward side of the city is protected by a 3,350-foot-long sea wall of granite boulders.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	The Nome Airport has two paved runways, one 6,000' in length, the other 5,500'. Elevation 36'. An \$8.5 million airport improvement project is nearing completion. The City Field offers a 1,950' gravel airstrip. Elevation 59'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Alaska Airlines; Bering Air; Ravn Air; Erickson Helicopters; Ryan Air (freight); Northern Air Cargo.
<b>Freight</b>	A port and berthing facilities accommodate vessels up to 18 feet of draft with an outer basin depth of 22 feet. Lighterage services distribute cargo to area communities.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	A port and berthing facilities can accommodate vessels up to 18 feet of draft, and a new harbor channel entrance and breakwater. Local development groups and the city are funding harbor dredging, two seasonal floating docks, and a boat launch.

FACILITIES & UTILITIES	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI, Telalaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); Telalaska
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS; KUAC; KYAC
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM/FM; KNOM-AM/FM; KUAZ repeater
<b>Cable Provider</b>	GCI Cable, Inc.
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Legislative Information Office

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<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Nome Joint Utility Systems
<b>Fuel</b>	Aviation, including Jet A, and regular gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Chevron/Arctic Lighterage (5,233,000 gals.); Bonanza Fuel (3,055,000); Air Nat'l Guard (20,000).
<b>Housing</b>	Nome Nugget Inn; Polaris Hotel; Nanuaq Manor; Ponderosa Inn; Mai's Guest House;; Oceanview Manor; Chateau de Cape Nome; Golden Sands Guest House; Serenity Lodge; Trails End; June's B & B; No Place Like Nome B&B; Aurora Inn; Dredge #7; Sweet Dreams B&B; Weeks Apartments (Nome Convention and Visitors Bureau 443-5535). Other Potential Housing- NPS Bunkhouse; ADFG Bunk House; School Gymnasium; Nome Rec Center; Mini Convention Center
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	A well at Moonlight Springs supplies water, which is treated at the Snake River Power Plant and stored in a 50,000-gallon tank. A million-gallon back-up tank is also available. Water is heated and pumped to residences via a wooden utilidor; trucks also deliver water. Sewage is piped from most homes. Over 95% of residences currently have complete plumbing. Construction has begun on a six-phase upgrade -- to drill additional wells at Moonlight Springs, to replace the water storage tank and pumping station, and to replace the 1960's-era wooden utilidor distribution system with buried Arctic piping. The city wants to develop a water source closer to New Town. Some homes still haul their own honeybuckets (service is not provided) and have water delivered to home tanks. Funds have been requested to expand water and sewer to these areas.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available at several local stores. There are a number of restaurants, a bank, laundry and shower facilities. Rental transportation includes autos, off-road vehicles, boats, and charter aircraft. Credit Union Buses. Car rental companies include Budget, Stampede, and Bonanza. Taxis include Checker, Mr. Cab, and EZ Cab.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There are five schools located in the community, attended by 774 students. Refuse collection services are provided by a contractor and hauled to a new landfill on Beam Road by Anderson Services. There are 2 National Weather Service Employees located in Nome.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – NEC Triss Hall, Mini Convention Center School – Nome Beitz JR/SR High and Nome Elementary School
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airports – DOT&PF 443-2500 AK State Troopers – 443-6263 Other government facilities – DOT&PF 443-3520

<b><i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i></b>	Hard boom, sorbent boom, and sorbent pads are available for spill response. Heavy equipment available for diking/berming, etc. ADEC Spill Response Equipment Conex.



9770.7.18 - Noorvik

<b>NOORVIK</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Noorvik is located on the right bank of the Nazuruk Channel of the Kobuk River, 33 miles northwest of Selawik and 45 miles east of Kotzebue. The village is downriver from the 1.7-million acre Kobuk Valley National Park, and lies at approximately 66d 50m N Latitude, 161d 03m W Longitude (Sec. 27, T017N, R011W, Kateel River Meridian). Located in the transitional climate zone, temperatures average -10 to 15 during winter; 40 to 65 during summer. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -54 to 87. Snowfall averages 60 inches, with 16 inches of total precipitation per year. The Kobuk River is navigable from early June to mid-October.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Noorvik means "a place that is moved to." The village was established in the early 1900s by Kowagmuit Inupiat Eskimo fishermen, hunters from Deering, and transplants from the village of Oksik, a few miles upriver. Nearly 94% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Noorvik is primarily an Inupiat Eskimo community with a subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	Subsistence is the major focus of the Noorvik economy. The primary local employers are the school district, the city, Maniilaq Association, the health clinic, and two stores. Seasonal employment at the Red Dog Mine, BLM fire fighting, or work in Kotzebue supplement income. Seven residents hold commercial fishing permits.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Caribou, fish, moose, waterfowl and berries are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	634
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers Search &amp; Rescue</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue) 636-2345
<b>Fire</b>	636-3222
<b>Medical</b>	Noorvik Health Clinic – 636-2103. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>City of Noorvik</i>	P.O. Box 146 Noorvik, AK 99763	636-2100 636-2135 (fax)	<a href="mailto:cityofnoorvik@gmail.com">cityofnoorvik@gmail.com</a>
<i>Noorvik Native Community</i>	P.O. Box 71 Noorvik, AK 99763	636-2144 636-2284 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tribemanager@nuurvik.org">tribemanager@nuurvik.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<i>Accessibility</i>	By plane, snowmachine, and shallow-draft vessels. There are no roads linking the village to other parts of the state. Boats are used for inter-village travel and subsistence activities. ATVs and snowmachines are common means of local transportation.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	The State-owned Robert Curtis Memorial Airport has a 3,200' lighted gravel runway and a 2,600' gravel crosswind runway. Elevation 63'. The airport is the second-largest in the borough; a new \$5 million airport is under construction.
<i>Airline Services</i>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<i>Freight</i>	Crowley Marine Services barges fuel and supplies during the summer.
<i>Vessel Support:</i>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<i>Telephone</i>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; OTZ <b>In-State Phone:</b> OTZ Telephone Coop, Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; OTZ Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Internet Provider</i>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> )	
<i>TV Stations</i>	ARCS	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	KOTZ-AM	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	City of Noorvik	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Kotzebue Legislative Information Office	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): NWAB Schools (9 @ 99,876 gals.); AVEC (8 @ 205,072); City (2 @ 45,000); Native Corp. Store (135,000); Morris Trading Post (50,000)	
<i>Housing</i>	Mom & Pop's B&B is available seasonally (636-5376).	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	Water is pumped from the Kobuk River to the water treatment/utility building and stored in a tank. From there, a pressurized circulating system distributes water in utilidors. Groundwater wells have proven	

	unsuccessful. Noorvik has a vacuum sewer system in which waste is carried by air instead of water. Vacuum pressure pumps the sewage to the 60,000-gal. collection and treatment plant. The system requires special toilets and water valves that collect wastewater from the sinks, toilets and showers. Over 100 homes, the school and businesses are served. Funds have been requested to connect and plumb the remaining 16 unserved homes on the south side of town and along River Road.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available (Noorvik Native Store, 636-2212; Morris Trading Post, 636-2161). One restaurant but no banking facilities. Rental transportation includes autos, off-road vehicles, and boats.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 243 students. A new landfill and access road are under development.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 442-3147 (Kotzebue) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Several boats, a backhoe, loader, and dump trucks may be available.

9770.7.19 – Saint Michael

<b>SAINT MICHAEL</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	St. Michael is located on the east coast of St. Michael Island in Norton Sound, approximately 125 miles southeast of Nome and 48 miles southwest of Unalakleet. It lies at approximately 63d 29m N Latitude, 162d 02m W Longitude (Sec. 24, T023S, R018W, Kateel River Meridian). St. Michael has a subarctic climate with maritime influences during the summer when rain and fog are common. Summer temps average 40 to 60; winters average -4 to 16. Extremes recorded from -55 to 70°. Annual precipitation is 12 inches, with snowfall of 38 inches. Norton Sound is ice free from early June to mid-November.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The Russian-American Company built a fortified trading post called "Redoubt St. Michael" at this location in 1833; it was the northernmost Russian settlement in Alaska. The Native village of "Tachik" stood to the northeast. When the Russians left Alaska in 1867, several of the post's traders remained. "Fort St. Michael," a U.S. military post, was established in 1897, and during that year's gold rush, it was a major gateway to the interior via the Yukon River. As many as 10,000 persons were said to live in St. Michael during the gold rush. The town was also a popular trading post for Eskimos to trade their goods for Western supplies. The village remained an important trans-shipment point until the Alaska Railroad was built. There are many historic remnants about the area, and the old U.S. fort and the Russian redoubt are on the National Register of Historic Places. Over 90% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Saint Michael's population is largely Yup'ik Eskimo today, and many residents are descendants of Russian traders. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The Saint Michael economy is based on subsistence food harvests supplemented by part-time wage earning. Most cash positions are found in city government, the IRA council and village corporation, schools, and local stores. Eight residents hold commercial fishing permits, primarily for the herring fishery. Stebbins and St. Michael jointly manage a herd of reindeer.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Seal, beluga whale, moose, caribou, fish and berries are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	368
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

EMERGENCY SERVICES	
<b>State Troopers VPO</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome) 923-2308
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Saint Michael Health Clinic – 923-3311

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Saint Michael</b>	P.O. Box 59070 St. Michael, AK 99659	923-3222 923-2284 (fax)	<a href="mailto:smkcityoffice659@yahoo.com">smkcityoffice659@yahoo.com</a>
<b>St. Michael Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 49 St. Michael, AK 99659	923-3143 923-3142 (fax)	<a href="mailto:saintmichaelnativecorp@hughes.net">saintmichaelnativecorp@hughes.net</a>
<b>Native Village of St. Michael</b>	P.O. Box 58 St. Michael, AK 99659	923-2304 923-2406 (fax)	<a href="mailto:ekobuk@kawerak.org">ekobuk@kawerak.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By plane, boat and snowmachine. A 10.5-mile road exists to Stebbins. There are no roads linking the town to other parts of the state. It is near the Yukon River delta and has a good natural harbor, but no dock. ATVs and snowmachines are commonly used in winter.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 4,000' gravel airstrip (elevation 30'), complemented by seaplane base.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Flights available from Nome and Unalakleet: Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Saint Michael receives at least one annual shipment of bulk cargo. Lighterage service is provided on a frequent basis from Nome.
<b>Vessel Support</b>	No dock, but does offer a good natural harbor.
FACILITIES & UTILITIES	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; Mukluk Telephone
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); TelAlaska
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative

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<b>Fuel</b>	Diesel
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Bering Strait Schools (2 @ 60,000 gals.); City (5 @ 90,000); St. Michael Fuel (15 @ 125,000).
<b>Housing</b>	Arrangements can sometimes be made for sleeping at the school or private homes (school principal, 923-3041).
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is derived from Clear Lake, treated and stored in a 1.2 million-gallon tank. A new sanitation system is under construction to provide water delivery/holding tanks for homes, a piped gravity sewer system with septic treatment, and household plumbing. Presently, 44 homes are served by the new system, and another 37 houses are being connected. These unserved residents currently haul treated water and use honeybuckets. Funds have been requested to expand the washeteria. DEC has approved the landfill for use, although it is not permitted.
<b>Services</b>	There is a washeteria, but no hotel, restaurant or banking facilities. Some supplies available.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 125 students

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 6243261 (Unalakleet) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

9770.7.20 - Savoonga

<b>SAVOONGA</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Savoonga is located on the northern coast of St. Lawrence Island in the Bering Sea, 164 miles west of Nome and 39 miles southeast of Gambell. It lies at approximately 63d 42m N Latitude, 170d 29m W Longitude (Sec. 08, T021S, R061W, Kateel River Meridian). Savoonga has a subarctic maritime climate with some continental influences during the winter. Summer temperatures average 40 to 51; winters average -7 to 11. Temperature extremes from -34 to 67 have been recorded. Average precipitation is 10 inches annually, with 58 inches of snowfall. The island is subject to prevailing winds, averaging 18 MPH. Freeze-up on the Bering Sea occurs in mid-November, with break-up in late May.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	St. Lawrence Island has been inhabited intermittently for the past 2,000 years by both Alaskan and Siberian Yup'ik Eskimos. The island had numerous villages with a total population of around 4,000 by the 19th century, though the population was severely reduced by a tragic famine in 1878-80. In 1900 a herd of reindeer was moved to the island, and by 1917 this herd had grown to over 10,000 animals. When the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA) was passed in 1971, Gambell and Savoonga decided not to participate, and instead opted for title to the 1.136 million acres of land in the former St. Lawrence Island Reserve. The island is jointly owned by Savoonga and Gambell. Over 95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. It is a traditional Eskimo village with a subsistence lifestyle surrounding walrus and whale hunting. Savoonga is hailed as the "Walrus Capitol of the World." Due to the island's isolation, most residents are bilingual. Islanders today have successfully mixed the past with the present. The sale, importation and possession of alcohol are banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The economy of Savoonga is largely based upon subsistence hunting with some cash income. Ten residents hold commercial fishing permits, and a fish processing facility was recently completed. Reindeer harvests occur, but the herd is not managed. Fox are trapped as a secondary source of income. Islanders are known for their quality ivory carvings. Some tourism occurs by bird-watchers.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Walrus, seal, fish and bowhead and gray whale are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	652
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Not applicable
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>

	<b>Village:</b>	
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<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers VPO</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome) 984-6011
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Savoonga Health Clinic – 984-6513. Auxiliary health care provided by Savoonga First Responders/Rescue Team (984-6234).

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>City of Savoonga</b>	P.O. Box 40 Savoonga, AK 99769	984-6614 984-6411 (fax)	<a href="mailto:kavajane@yahoo.com">kavajane@yahoo.com</a>
<b>St. Lawrence Island Economic Development Company</b>	P.O. Box 169 Savoonga, AK 99769	984-6614	
<b>Savoonga Native Corp.</b>	P.O. Box 160 Savoonga, AK 99769	984-6613	
<b>Native Village of Savoonga</b>	P.O. Box 120 Savoonga, AK 99769	984-6414 984-6027 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tc.sva@kawerak.org">tc.sva@kawerak.org</a>

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Savoonga's isolated location on an island with no seaport and iced-in conditions during the winter means a dependence on air transport.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 4,000' gravel airstrip, undergoing major improvements. Elevation 53'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Regular air service is available from Nome and Unalakleet: Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	No barge service; supplies must be lightered from Nome and off-loaded on the beach.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	There is no dock

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI <b>In-State Phone:</b> United Utilities Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; United Utilities	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	School Only - GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> )	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Frontier Cable, Inc.	



<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, kerosene and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Village Council & Store (216,600 gals.); Bering Strait Schools (3 @ 84,000); AVEC (8 @ 225,728); City (46,600); PHS Clinic (4,600).
<b>Housing</b>	Alowa's Lodge and the native village have some rooms for lodging. Accommodations may be available at a city or school facility; contact the city administration.
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Well water is treated and stored in a 100,000-gallon tank at the washeteria. A new circulating water and sewer utilidor system, including household plumbing, came on-line in January 1999 and now serves the whole village.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available (Savoonga Native Store, 984-6132/6134). Washeteria closed down after plumbing was installed throughout village. Arrangements can be made to rent off-road vehicles.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 186 students. A new landfill was recently completed.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 443-2500 (Nome) National Guard Armory – 984-6415 Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

9770.7.21 - Selawik

<b>SELAWIK</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Selawik is located at the mouth of the Selawik River where it empties into Selawik Lake, about 70 miles southeast of Kotzebue, some 670 miles northwest of Anchorage. The city lies at approximately 66d 36m N Latitude, 160d 00m W Longitude (Sec. 20, T014N, R006W, Kateel River Meridian), which is near the Selawik National Wildlife Refuge, a key breeding and resting spot for migratory waterfowl. The area is a transitional climate zone and temperatures average -10 to 15 during winter, 40 to 65 during summer. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -50 to 83. Snowfall averages 35 to 40 inches, with 10 inches of total precipitation per year. The Selawik River is navigable from early June to mid-October.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The Imperial Russian Navy first reported the village in the 1840s as "Chilivik;" Selawik is an Eskimo name for a species of fish. Around 1908, the site had a small wooden schoolhouse and church. The village has continued to grow and has expanded across the Selawik River onto three banks, linked by bridges. Approximately 95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Selawik is an Inupiat Eskimo community active in traditional subsistence fishing and hunting. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The primary employers in the community include the school, the city, the IRA council, Maniilaq Association, and three grocery stores. Seasonal work is also found outside of Selawik at the Red Dog Mine, BLM fire fighting, and in lighterage operations. Four residents hold commercial fishing permits. Inhabitants of Selawik rely largely on subsistence based economy. Occasionally, bartered seal and beluga whale supplement the diet.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Whitefish, sheefish, caribou, moose, ducks, ptarmigan and berries are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	792
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue)
<b>Search and Rescue</b>	484-2211
<b>VPO</b>	484-3222

<b>Medical</b>	Selawik Health Clinic – 484-2199. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue.
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LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Selawik</b>	P.O. Box 99 Selawik, AK 99770	484-2132 484-2209 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tballot@hotmail.com">tballot@hotmail.com</a>
<b>Selawik IRA Council</b>	P.O. Box 59 Selawik, AK 99770	484-2165 484-2226 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tribeadmin@akuligag.org">tribeadmin@akuligag.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, small boat and snowmachine. There are no roads linking the village to other parts of the state. Boats are used for inter-village travel and subsistence activities; ATVs and snowmachines are commonly used in winter. Boardwalks have been constructed within the village.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	The Roland Norton Memorial Airport, located 12 miles from the community, provides a 3,000' gravel runway owned by the city. Elevation 360'. Also, the State owns a 3,000' gravel airstrip with a 2,670' crosswind strip.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Scheduled flights are available to Kotzebue and area villages: Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Crowley Marine Services ships freight upriver from Kotzebue each summer.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	Docking facilities and a barge landing area exist.

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; OTZ Telephone <b>In-State Phone:</b> OTZ Telephone Co-op, Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; OTZ Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); OTZ Telephone	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City of Selawik	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Kotzebue Legislative Information Office	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): NWAB Schools (3 @ 132,699 gals.); AVEC (7 @ 282,955); Village Corp./IRA Fuel Project (167,000); Rotman Stores (130,079).	
<b>Housing</b>	McCoy's (484-2125) has some lodging available. Contact the city office to arrange for accommodations in private homes or at the school.	

<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	A new water and sewer system is under construction. A central treatment and washeteria facility pumps water from the Selawik River, providing up to 8,000 gallons a day. Groundwater wells have been unsuccessful. A 3-mile distribution line is available during the summer. A circulating water and vacuum sewer system was recently completed; fifty-three homes in the western area of town and new HUD housing have been plumbed and connected. About thirty homes yet to be served use honeybuckets.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available. No restaurant or banking facilities.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 253 students. The landfill is not permitted and needs to be relocated.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 442-3147 (Kotzebue) National Guard Armory – 484-2223 Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

9770.7.22 - Shaktoolik

<b>SHAKTOOLIK</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Shaktoolik is located on the east shore of Norton Sound, 125 miles east of Nome and 33 miles north of Unalakleet. It lies at approximately 64d 20m N Latitude, 161d 09m W Longitude (Sec. 23, T013S, R013W, Kateel River Meridian). Shaktoolik has a Subarctic climate with maritime influences when Norton Sound is ice-free, usually from May to October. Summer temperatures average 47 to 62; winter temperatures average -4 to 11. Extremes from -50 to 87 have been recorded. Average annual precipitation is 14 inches, including 43 inches of snowfall.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Shaktoolik was the first and southernmost Malemiut settlement on Norton Sound, occupied as early as 1839. Twelve miles northeast, on Cape Denbigh, is "Iyatayet," a site that is 6,000 to 8,000 years old. Nearly 95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. It is a Malemiut Eskimo village with a fishing and subsistence lifestyle. Resources include seal, beluga whale, caribou, reindeer, moose and fish. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The Shaktoolik economy is based on subsistence, supplemented by part-time wage earnings. Commercial fishing is on the increase and provides a major source of income. Development of a new fish processing facility is a village priority; 32 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Reindeer herding also provides income and meat.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Reindeer, salmon, moose, whale, seal and rabbit are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	227
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>Police</b>	955-8193
<b>VPO</b>	
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Shaktoolik Health Clinic – 955-3311.

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>City of Shaktoolik</b>	P.O. Box 10	955-3441	<a href="mailto:skkcity@arctic.net">skkcity@arctic.net</a>

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
	Shaktoolik, AK 99771	944-3221 (fax)	
<b>Shaktoolik Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 46 Shaktoolik, AK 99771	955-3241 955-3243 (fax)	<a href="mailto:fnsago@yahoo.com">fnsago@yahoo.com</a>
<b>Native Village of Shaktoolik</b>	P.O. Box 100 Shaktoolik, AK 99771-0100	955-3701 955-2352 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tc.skk@kawerak.org">tc.skk@kawerak.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By plane, boat and snowmachine. There are no roads linking the community to other parts of the state. Boats are used for inter-village travel and subsistence activities. Snowmachines and ATVs are commonly used in winter; motorbike, truck and boat in the summer.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 2,220' gravel airstrip (elevation 15') allows for regular air service from Nome. Plans are underway to relocate the airstrip, which is 3 miles northwest of town.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Cargo is barged into Nome, then lightered to local shore from there.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	No docking facilities

FACILITIES & UTILITIES	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; Mukluk Telephone
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); TelAlaska
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Shaktoolik Native Corp
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (11 @ 97,809 gals.); Bering Strait Schools (8 @ 69,300); Village Corp. (10 @ 110,000); City (3 @ 18,000); Anika Store (6,400).
<b>Housing</b>	Sunny Polar Bear B&B, private homes, or the school. Corporation has apartment to rent.
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is pumped three miles from the Togoomenik River to the pumphouse, where it is treated and stored in a 848,000-gallon insulated tank. A piped water and sewage collection system serves most homes. Most households have complete plumbing and kitchen facilities. The school has received funding to develop a community-wide sewage treatment system.
<b>Services</b>	No restaurant or banking facilities. A laundromat with shower available. Two stores in the village. Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware generally available.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 71 students. The city burns refuse in an incinerator. The landfill needs to be relocated; the current site is not permitted.

COMMUNICATIONS

SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 624-3261 (Unalakleet) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Spill kit is maintained in village with sorbent pads and boom.

9770.7.23 - Shishmaref

<b>SHISHMAREF</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Shishmaref is located on Sarichef Island, in the Chukchi Sea, just north of Bering Strait, five miles from the mainland, twenty miles south of the Arctic Circle, 126 miles north of Nome and 100 miles southwest of Kotzebue. Shishmaref is surrounded by the 2.6 million acre Bering Land Bridge National Reserve and has been proposed to become part of the Beringian National Heritage Park, endorsed by Presidents Bush and Gorbachev in 1990. It lies at approximately 66d 15m N Latitude, 166d 04m W Longitude (Sec. 23, T010N, R035W, Kateel River Meridian). The area experiences a transitional climate between the frozen arctic and the continental Interior. Summers can be foggy, with average temperatures ranging from 47 to 54; winter temperatures average -12 to 2. Average annual precipitation is about 8 inches, including 33 inches of snow. The Chukchi Sea is frozen from mid-November through mid-June.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Excavations at "Keekiktuk" by archaeologists around 1821 provided evidence of Eskimo habitation from several centuries ago. After 1900, when a supply center was established to serve gold mining activities on the Seward Peninsula, the village was renamed for Shishmaref Inlet. During October 1997, a severe storm eroded over 30 feet of the north shore, threatening the loss of 14 homes and destroying many winter food caches. Nearly 95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. It is a traditional Eskimo village with a fishing and subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The Shishmaref economy is based on subsistence supplemented by part-time wage earnings. One resident holds a commercial fishing permit. Year-round jobs are limited, and villagers rely on subsistence foods. Two reindeer herds are managed from here; the reindeer skins are tanned locally, and meat is available at the village store. The Friendship Center, a cultural center and carving facility, was recently completed for local artisans.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Fish, walrus, seal, polar bear, and rabbit are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	547
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**



<b>State Troopers</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>VPSO</b>	649-3411
<b>VPO</b>	649-8499
<b>Search and Rescue</b>	649-2160
<b>Medical</b>	Shishmaref Health Clinic – 649-3311. Auxiliary health care provided by city Volunteer Fire Department/Emergency Services.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Shishmaref</b>	P.O. Box 83 Shishmaref, AK 99772	649-3781 649-2131 (fax)	<a href="mailto:cityofshhclerk@gci.net">cityofshhclerk@gci.net</a>
<b>Shishmaref Native Corporation</b>	General Delivery Shishmaref, AK 99772	649-3751 649-3731 (fax)	<a href="mailto:shnativecorp@yahoo.com">shnativecorp@yahoo.com</a>
<b>Native Village of Shishmaref</b>	P.O. Box 72110 Shishmaref, AK 99772	649-3821 649-2140 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tc.shh@kawerak.org">tc.shh@kawerak.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Shishmaref's primary link to the rest of Alaska is by air, though most people own boats for trips to the mainland.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	An unattended, State-owned 5000' paved runway is available. Elevation 10'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Services available from Nome
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; Mukluk Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); TelAlaska	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Shishmaref Village Corp.	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Bering Strait Schools (3 @ 54,200 gals); AVEC (20 @ 159,838); City (94,900); Corporation (11 @ 110,120).	

<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations possible at the city hall and the school (floor), the Nayokpuk General Store (trailer), the Lutheran Church, and some private homes.
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is derived from a surface source, treated and stored in a new tank. Shishmaref is undergoing major improvements, including the construction of a flush/haul system and household plumbing; nineteen HUD homes have been completed, and 71 homes remain. This new system provides water delivery, but the unserved homes continue to haul water. Honeybuckets and the new flush tanks are hauled by the city. The school, clinic, Friendship Center, city hall and fire hall are connected to a sewage lagoon.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware generally available at Shishmaref Native (Anika) Store and Nayokpuk General Store. Food is available at a snack bar. Washeteria available, but no banking services or rental transportation.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 179 students. An access road is under construction for a planned new landfill.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 443-2500 (Nome) National Guard Armory – 649-3891 Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Some sorbent pads available for small spills.

9770.7.24 - Shungnak

<b>SHUNGNAK</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Shungnak is located on the right bank of the Kobuk River about 150 miles east of Kotzebue, at approximately 66d 52m N Latitude, 157d 09m W Longitude (Sec. 09, T017N, R008E, Kateel River Meridian). Temperatures average -10 to 15 during winter; 40 to 65 during summer. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -60 to 90. Snowfall averages 80 inches, with 16 inches of total precipitation per year. The Kobuk River is navigable from the end of May to mid-October.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Founded in 1899 as a supply point for mining activities in the Cosmos Hills, this Inupiat Eskimo village was forced to move in the 1920s because of river erosion and flooding. The old site, 10 miles upstream, was renamed Kobuk by those who remained there. The new village was named "Kochuk," but later reverted to Shungnak, a name derived from the Eskimo word "Issingnak," which means jade, a stone found extensively throughout the surrounding hills. Nearly 95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. It is a traditional Eskimo village with a subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village. High School students from Kobuk attend school in Shungnak.
<b>Economy</b>	Most full-time employment is with the school district, the city, Maniilaq Association, two stores and a lodge. BLM provides seasonal employment in fire fighting, hiring over 30 residents each year. Shungnak subsists mainly on fishing, hunting and trapping. Shungnak also has a strong arts and crafts industry.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Sheefish, whitefish, caribou, moose, ducks and berries are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	257
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Northwest Arctic
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> NANA
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-789-3222 (Kotzebue)
<b>VPSO</b>	437-5110
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Shungnak Health Clinic – 437-2138. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Kotzebue.

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Shungnak</b>	P.O. Box 59 Shungnak, AK 99773	437-2161 437-2176 (fax)	<a href="mailto:shungnak@gmail.com">shungnak@gmail.com</a>
<b>Native Village of Shungnak</b>	P.O. Box 64 Shungnak, AK 99773	437-2163 437-2183 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tribeadmin@issingnak.org">tribeadmin@issingnak.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, small boat and snowmachine. There are no roads linking the city to other parts of the state, though trails along the river are still used for inter-village travel. Boats, ATVs, snowmachines, and dog sleds are used for inter-village travel and subsistence activities.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 3,160' lighted gravel airstrip. Elevation 200'. Major airport improvements are underway.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Fuel and supplies are barged in each summer by Crowley Marine Services of Kotzebue.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI <b>In-State Phone:</b> OTZ Telephone Co-op, Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; OTZ Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> )	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KOTZ-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City of Shungnak	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, kerosene and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (14 @ 116,286 gals.); Native Store (7 @ 59,000); NWAB Schools (5 @ 41,099).	
<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations may be coordinated with the school and the health clinic.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	The water infiltration gallery was destroyed by ice several years ago and needs replacement. A reservoir is intermittently filled from the Kobuk River – a portable pump fills a 200,000-gallon steel storage tank through 1,110' of buried arctic pipe. Groundwater wells have proven unsuccessful. Piped water and sewer are provided to 53 homes (those at the top of the bluff), the clinic, school and community building. Shungnak has a 6-inch buried gravity sewage main, which drains into a	

	small, diked lake one-half mile northwest of the city. The effluent is chlorinated before discharge.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries and supplies available at Shungnak Native Store (437-2148). No laundromat available and no banking facilities.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 95 students. A new city-operated landfill has recently been completed, but it is not permitted by ADEC.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 442-3147 (Kotzebue) National Guard Armory – 437-2168 Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Some boats and sorbent pads may be available.

9770.7.25 - Solomon

<b>SOLOMON</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Solomon is located on the west bank of the Solomon River, one mile north of Norton Sound, 34 miles east of Nome, at approximately 64d 34m N Latitude, 164d 26m W Longitude (Sec. 03, T011S, R029W, Kateel River Meridian). The climate is both continental and maritime. Summers are short, wet and mild; winters are cold and windy. Temperatures range between -30 and 56. Annual precipitation is 16 inches, with 54 inches of snowfall.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The village was originally settled by Eskimos of the Fish River tribe. The gold rush during the summers of 1899 and 1900 brought thousands of people to the Solomon area, and by 1904 Solomon had seven saloons, a post office, a ferry dock, and was the southern terminus of a narrow gauge railroad that ran to the Kuzitrin River. In 1913, the railroad was washed out by storms, and in 1918, the flu epidemic struck. The BIA constructed a large school in 1940, but during World War II, a number of families moved away from Solomon. The post office and BIA school were closed in 1956. The Solomon Roadhouse operated until the 1970s. A federally recognized tribe has an office in Nome. Solomon is a subsistence-use area for Nome residents.
<b>Economy</b>	Some gold mining still occurs. Many Nome residents have seasonal homes or camps in Solomon.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Fishing and hunting for waterfowl and ptarmigan.
<b>Population</b>	0
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b> Bering Strait Native Corporation
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> Kawerak, Inc.
	<b>Village:</b> Village of Solomon

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers VPSO</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	The closest health care is available at Norton Sound Regional Hospital in Nome.

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>Solomon Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 243 Nome, AK 99762	222-6668 443-2844 (fax)	<a href="mailto:gregorytimbers@gmail.com">gregorytimbers@gmail.com</a>

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>Native Village of Solomon</b>	P.O. Box 2053 Nome, AK 99762	443-4985 443-5189 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tc.sol@kawerak.org">tc.sol@kawerak.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Solomon is located along the Nome/Council road. Snowmachines and dogsleds are important forms of transportation during the winter.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	The 1,150' dirt/gravel airstrip in Solomon has been abandoned and deeded to the State of Alaska to be held in trust by the State of Alaska's Municipal Land Trust Office for the future city of Solomon.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Charter flights available from Nome.
<b>Freight</b>	No information
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> none <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ;	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	None	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	None	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	None	
<b>Electricity</b>	None	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): Solomon Mines, Inc. (20,000 gals.)	
<b>Housing</b>	The Tribe owns and operates the Solomon B&B (907) 443-2403.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	There are no public facilities in Solomon. Residents haul water from Manilla Creek, Jerusalem Creek, or Solomon River, and use honeybuckets.	
<b>Services</b>	No services or facilities available.	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There are no state-operated schools located in the community.	

SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airstrip – Other government facilities –

<b><i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i></b>	None identified
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9770.7.26 - Stebbins

<b>STEBBINS</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Stebbins is located on the northwest coast of St. Michael Island on Norton Sound, 8 miles north of St. Michael and 120 miles southeast of Nome. It lies at approximately 63d 31m N Latitude, 162d 17m W Longitude (Sec. 02, T023S, R019W, Kateel River Meridian). Stebbins has a subarctic climate with a maritime influence during the summer. Average summer temperatures are 40 to 60; winter temps range from -4 to 16. Extremes have been measured from -55 to 77. Annual precipitation is 12 inches, including 38" of snowfall. Norton Sound is ice-free from June to November, but clouds and fog are common.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Redoubt St. Michael was built at nearby St. Michael by the Russian-American Company in 1833. The Yup'ik name for the village is Tapraq, the Inupiaq name is Atriviq, and the name Stebbins was first recorded in 1900. The first U.S. Census occurred in 1950, indicating 80 Yup'ik Eskimos. Nearly 95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. It is a majority Yup'ik Eskimo village with a commercial fishing and subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The Stebbins economy is based on subsistence harvests supplemented by part-time wage earnings. The city government and school provide the only full-time positions. The Stebbins Native Corporation has established a mining company, selling raw gravel to rip raft materials, and armored rock. The commercial herring fishery has become increasingly important, including fishing on the lower Yukon. Twenty-one residents hold commercial fishing permits. Reindeer herding has occurred in conjunction with Saint Michael; there is an unmanaged herd on Stuart Island.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Residents subsist upon fish, seal, walrus, reindeer and beluga whale, with gardens providing vegetables during the summer months.
<b>Population</b>	543
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers VPO</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome) 934-2662
<b>Fire</b>	934-2662
<b>Medical</b>	Stebbins Health Clinic – 934-3311/2464

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Stebbins</b>	P.O. Box 22 Stebbins, AK 99671	934-3451 934-3452 (fax)	<a href="mailto:stebbinscity@yahoo.com">stebbinscity@yahoo.com</a>
<b>Stebbins Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 71110 Stebbins, AK 99671	934-3074 934-2399 (fax)	stebbinsnativecorporation@hotmail.com
<b>Stebbins Community Association</b>	P.O. Box 2 Stebbins, AK 99671	934-3561 934-3560 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tc.wbb@kawerak.org">tc.wbb@kawerak.org</a>

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By plane, boat and snowmachine. A 10.5-mile road runs to Saint Michael; there are no roads linking the village to other parts of the state. ATVs and snowmachines commonly used in winter.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 3,000' gravel airstrip. Elevation 26'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Regular flights, charters and freight services are available from Bethel: Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	A cargo ship brings supplies annually by way of Nome and goods are lightered to shore.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	No dock or harbor.

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; Mukluk Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); TelAlaska	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (9 @ 387,642 gals.); Bering Strait Schools (2 @ 80,000); Tapraq Fuel Co./City (9 @ 111,800); Ferris General Store (4 @ 26,800); Army Nat'l Guard (3,000); AK DOT (3,000); Charlie Steves (3,000).	
<b>Housing</b>	No hotel, but arrangements can sometimes be made for sleeping at the school or private homes.	

<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Major improvements are under way to enable a piped water system with household plumbing and vacuum-powered sewer. Residents currently haul water and deposit honeybuckets in bunkers. Water is derived during the summer from Big Clear Creek, treated and stored in a 1,000,000-gallon steel water tank. In the summer there are several watering points in the village, distributed from the tank via plastic pipelines. A reservoir at Clear Lake and a new water storage tank are under construction to alleviate winter water shortages.
<b>Services</b>	No restaurant or banking services. Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available at Stebbins Native Store (934-3241). Laundry and shower facilities available. No repair services. Arrangements can be made to rent off-road vehicles and boats.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 197 students. ADEC has approved the landfill for use, although it is not permitted. Refuse is collected by the city from central bins.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 624-3261 (Unalakleet) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	The Denali Commission funded a new community tank farm and provided oil spill response equipment. Up to 30 boats, some sorbent pads, 800' of boom, a backhoe, two tractors, a scraper, and two dump trucks may be available.

9770.7.27 - Teller

<b>TELLER</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Teller is located on a spit between Port Clarence and Grantley Harbor on the Seward Peninsula, 72 miles northwest of Nome, at approximately 65d 16m N Latitude, 166d 22m W Longitude (Sec. 01, T003S, R038W, Kateel River Meridian). The climate is maritime when ice-free, then changes to a continental climate after freezing. Grantley Harbor is generally ice-free from early June to mid-October. Average summer temperatures range from 44 to 57, winter average -9 to 8, with extremes measured from -45 to 82. Annual precipitation is 11.5 inches, with 50 inches of snowfall.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The Eskimo fishing camp called "Nook" was reported 20 miles south of Teller in 1827. Present-day Teller was also established in 1900 after the Bluestone Placer Mine discovery 15 miles to the south. During these boom years, Teller had a population of about 5,000 and was a major regional trading center, attracting Natives from Diomedea, Wales, Mary's Igloo and King Island. In May 1926, bad weather caused the dirigible "Norge" to detour to Teller on its first flight over the North Pole from Norway to Nome. Approximately 87% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Teller is a traditional Kawerak Eskimo village with a subsistence lifestyle. Many residents today were originally from Mary's Igloo. Sale of alcohol is banned in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	The Teller economy is based on subsistence activities supplemented by part-time wage earnings. One resident holds a commercial fishing permit. There are mineral deposits in the area. A herd of over 1,000 reindeer wander the area, and the annual round-up provides meat and a cash product, which is sold mainly on the Seward Peninsula. Over one-third of households produce crafts or artwork for sale, and some residents trap fox.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Fish, seal, moose, beluga whale and reindeer are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	281
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>VPSO</b>	642-3408

<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Teller Health Clinic – 642-3311. Auxiliary health care provided by flight to Nome.

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>City of Teller</b>	P.O. Box 548 Teller, AK 99778	642-3401 642-2051 (fax)	cityofteller@gmail.com
<b>Teller Power Company</b>	#1 Grantley Avenue Teller, AK 99778	642-3692	
<b>Teller Native Corp.</b>	P.O. Box 509 Teller, AK 99778	642-6132 642-2181 (fax)	
<b>Native Village of Teller</b>	P.O. Box 590 Teller, AK 99778	642-3381 642-2072 (fax)	tc.tla@kawerak.org

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By sea and air, plus Teller has a road link to Nome from May to September via a 72-mile gravel road. ATVs and snowmachines are commonly used in winter.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 3,000' gravel airstrip. Elevation 293'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Regular flights to Nome: Bering Air; Ravn Air; Baker Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Goods are lightered from Nome and offloaded on the beach.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	There is no dock, but Port Clarence is a natural harbor and has been considered for a deep water port.

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; Mukluk Telephone
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); TelAlaska
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	City of Teller
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Teller Power Company.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (4 @ 185,759 gals); Bering Strait Schools (3 @ 63,000); Teller Native Fuel/Village

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	Corp. (63,300); Richard Blodgett (213,000); Thurman Oil & Mining (20,000).
<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations possible at the school (642-3041).
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	During summer, water is hauled from the Gold Run River (20 miles away) by the city water truck and delivered to home storage tanks. A few residents use their own ATVs or snowmachines to haul water. During winter, treated water is delivered from a large storage tank at the washeteria, or melt ice is used from area creeks. Preliminary work has begun on a piped water and sewer system, but a new water source must first be developed. Wells have proven unsuccessful. The school operates its own sewer system. A few homes and facilities have septic tanks, but 42 residents use honeybuckets, which are hauled by the city.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available at Teller Native Store (642-4521). Washeteria available, but no banking facilities. Car rental may be possible at Grantley Harbor Tours.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 66 students. The community participates in hazardous waste collection.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 443-2500 (Nome) Also, DOT&PF 642-3351 National Guard Armory – 642-2117
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

9770.7.28 - Unalakleet

<b>UNALAKLEET</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Unalakleet is located on Norton Sound at the mouth of the Unalakleet River, 148 miles southeast of Nome and 395 miles northwest of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 63d 52m N Latitude, 160d 47m W Longitude (Sec. 03, T019S, R011W, Kateel River Meridian). Unalakleet has a subarctic climate with considerable maritime influences when Norton Sound is ice-free, usually from May to October. Winters are cold and dry, temperatures average -4 to 11, and average summer temps range 47 to 62;. Extremes have been measured from -50 to 87. Precipitation averages 14 inches annually, with 41 inches of snow.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Archaeologists have dated house remnants along the beach ridge from 200 B.C. to 300 A.D. The name Unalakleet means "place where the east wind blows." Unalakleet has long been a major trade center as the terminus for the Kaltag Portage, an important winter travel route connecting to the Yukon River. Indians on the upper river were considered "professional" traders who had a monopoly on the Indian-Eskimo trade across the Kaltag Portage. The Russian-American Company built a post here in the 1830s. In 1898, reindeer herders from Lapland were brought to Unalakleet to establish sound herding practices. In 1901, the Army Signal Corps built over 605 miles of telegraph line from St. Michael to Unalakleet, over the Portage to Kaltag and Fort Gibbon. Approximately 82% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. The sale of alcohol is prohibited in the community, although importation and possession are allowed.
<b>Economy</b>	Unalakleet has a history of diverse cultures and trade activity. The local economy is the most active in Norton Sound and includes a traditional Unaligmiut Eskimo subsistence lifestyle. Both commercial herring fishing and subsistence activities are major components of Unalakleet's economy. A fish processing plant that employs over 50 seasonal workers was recently completed, and 113 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Government and school positions are relatively numerous, along with many retail and service positions. Tourism is becoming increasingly important; there is world-class silver fishing in the area.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Fish, waterfowl, seal, caribou, moose and bear are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	757
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>

	<b>Nonprofit:</b>	
	<b>Village:</b>	

EMERGENCY SERVICES	
<b>State Troopers</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>Police</b>	624-3008
<b>VPSO</b>	624-3055
<b>Fire</b>	624-3008
<b>Medical</b>	Unalakleet Euksavik Clinic – 624-3535

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>City of Unalakleet</b>	P.O. Box 28 Unalakleet, AK 99684	624-3531 624-3130	counk@alaskan.com
<b>Unalakleet Valley Electric Cooperative</b>	P.O. Box 186 Unalakleet, AK 99684	624-3474 624-3009 (fax)	uvec@gci.net
<b>Bering Strait Schools</b>	P.O. Box 225 Unalakleet, AK 99684	624-3611 624-3099 (fax)	<a href="http://www.bssd.org">http://www.bssd.org</a> <a href="mailto:jadavis@bssd.org">jadavis@bssd.org</a> ,
<b>Unalakleet Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 100 Unalakleet, AK 99684	624-3411 624-3833	
<b>Native Village of Unalakleet</b>	P.O. Box 270 Unalakleet, AK 99684	624-3622 624-3402	tc.unk@kawerak.org



<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By barge, plane, small boat and snowmachine. There are no roads linking the city to other parts of the state. Boats are used for inter-village travel and subsistence activities. Local overland travel is mainly by ATVs, snowmachines and dogsleds in winter.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 6,200' gravel airstrip, which recently underwent major improvements. Elevation 21'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	There are regular flights to Anchorage: PenAir; Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Cargo is lightered from Nome.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	There is a dock.

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI <b>In-State Phone:</b> United KUC, Inc. <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> )	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KNSA-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Frontier Cable, Inc	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Nome Legislative Information Office	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Unalakleet Valley Electric Cooperative. Matanuska Electric Assoc. owns and operates the electrical system in Unalakleet through the Unalakleet Valley Electric Cooperative.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks, total capacity): Native Corp. (8 @ 153,500 gals.); Alaska DOT (2 @ 40,800); City (71,400); West Coast Aviation (8 @ 305,600); Bering Strait Schools (4 @ 186,400); Ryan Air (17,000); Alaska Commercial Co. (17,500); UVEC (7 @ 411,000).	
<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations available at Unalakleet Lodge (624-3333); the Sleep Inn; Shafter Building.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is derived from an infiltration gallery on Powers Creek, treated and stored in a million-gallon steel tank. 190 households are connected to the piped water and sewer system and have complete plumbing. Only two households haul water and honeybuckets.	
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available at several stores, including Alaska Commercial ( 624-3272) and UNC General Store (624-3322). Food available at The Igloo (624-3640) and Peace on Earth (pizza) restaurant. No Laundromat or banking facilities. Repair services available, and rental transportation includes autos, off-road vehicles, boats, and charter aircraft.	

<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 230 students. Residents haul refuse to the baler facility for transportation to the landfill.
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<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 624-3261
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Some sorbent pads and boom maintained in the village. ADEC Spill Response Equipment Conex.

9770.7.29 - Wales

<b>WALES</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	Wales is located on Cape Prince of Wales at the western tip of the Seward Peninsula, 111 miles northwest of Nome, at approximately 65d 37m N Latitude, 168d 05m W Longitude (Sec. 05, T002N, R045W, Kateel River Meridian). It has a maritime climate when the Bering Strait is ice-free, usually June to November. After the freeze, there is an abrupt change to a cold continental climate. Average summer temperatures range from 40 to 50; winter temperatures range from -10 to 6. Annual precipitation is 10 inches, including 35 inches of snow. Frequent fog, wind and blizzards limit access to Wales.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	In 1827 the Russian Navy reported the Eskimo villages of "Eidamoo" near the coast and "King-a-ghe" further inland. In 1890, the American Missionary Association established a mission here, and in 1894 a reindeer station was organized. Wales became a major Kinugmiut Eskimo whaling center due to its location along migratory routes, and it became the region's largest and most prosperous village, with more than 500 residents. The influenza epidemic in 1918-19 claimed the lives of many of Wales' finest whalers. A burial mound of the "Birnik" culture (500 A.D. to 900 A.D.) was discovered near Wales and is now a national landmark. Ancient songs, dances, and customs are still practiced. In the summer Little Diomed residents travel between the two villages in large traditional skin boats.
<b>Economy</b>	The economy of Wales is based on subsistence hunting and fishing, trapping, Native arts and crafts, and some mining. A private reindeer herd is managed out of Wales, and local residents are employed to assist in the harvest.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Whales, walrus, polar bear, moose, reindeer, salmon, and other fish are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	154
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b>
	<b>Nonprofit:</b>
	<b>Village:</b>

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers VPSO</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome)
<b>Fire</b>	
<b>Medical</b>	Wales Health Clinic – 664-3311/3691

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b><i>City of Wales</i></b>	P.O. Box 489 Wales, AK 99783	664-3501 664-2359 (fax)	ccofwales@gmail.com
<b><i>Wales Native Corporation</i></b>	P.O. Box 529 Wales, AK 99783	664-2138 664-3641 (fax)	
<b><i>Native Village of Wales</i></b>	P.O. Box 549 Wales, AK 99783	664-3062 664-2200 (fax)	tc.waa@kawerak.org

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b><i>Accessibility</i></b>	By plane, small boat and snowmachine. An unimproved road covers the 6.5 miles to Tin City, but there are no roads linking the city to other parts of the state. Aluminum skiffs have replaced skin boats as the primary method of sea travel, and snowmachines are used in winter.
<b><i>Airport Facilities</i></b>	A State-owned 4,800' gravel airstrip. Elevation 25'. Easterly winds may cause turbulence. Frequent fog, wind and occasional blizzards limit access to Wales. In the winter, planes frequently use the ice on the Strait for landings.
<b><i>Airline Services</i></b>	Ravn Air Service.
<b><i>Freight</i></b>	A cargo ship delivers goods to Nome; the goods are transferred to Wales and lightered a half mile to shore.
<b><i>Vessel Support</i></b>	

FACILITIES & UTILITIES	
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; Mukluk Telephone
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> )
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Wales Native Corp.
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): AVEC (7 @ 64,749 gals.); Native Corp. (97,500); Bering Strait Schools (3 @ 39,500).
<b>Housing</b>	Accommodations (trailer) may be arranged with the Wales Native Corp. (664-3641); also check with the City of Wales (664-3501) for possible room.
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is obtained from Gilbert Creek during the summer, and residents haul treated water from a 500,000-gal. storage tank at the washeteria. Some use untreated water from Village Creek. The community needs a second water source, and has experienced water shortages; Cape Mountain is being investigated as a possible source. Almost all residents use honeybuckets, and very few homes currently have plumbing. The school, clinic and city building are connected to a piped water and septic system.
<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, first-aid supplies, and hardware available at Wales Native Store (664-3351). Laundromat and showers available. No restaurant or banking facilities. Arrangements may be made to rent private vehicles or boats.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 53 students. The landfill is not permitted.

COMMUNICATIONS

SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Community hall, etc. – School –
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport – 443-2500 (Nome) Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Up to 12 boats, some sorbent pads, a dump truck (Village of Wales), a loader and bulldozer (both DOT) may be available.

**9770.7.30 – White Mountain**

<b>WHITE MOUNTAIN</b>	
<b>Location and Climate</b>	White Mountain is located on the west bank of the Fish River, near the head of Golovin Lagoon, on the Seward Peninsula, 63 miles east of Nome. It lies at approximately 64d 41m N Latitude, 163d 24m W Longitude (Sec. 26, T009S, R024W, Kateel River Meridian). White Mountain has a transitional climate with less extreme seasonal and daily temperatures than Interior Alaska. Continental influences prevail in the ice-bound winter. Winter temperatures average -7 to 15, summer temperatures range from 43 to 80. Annual precipitation is 15 inches, with 60 inches of snow. The Fish River freezes up in November; break-up occurs in late May.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	White Mountain is a Kawerak Eskimo village, with historical influences from the gold rush. Nearly 90% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Subsistence activities are prevalent.
<b>Economy</b>	The entire population depends on subsistence hunting and fishing, and most residents spend the entire summer at fish camps. The school, Native store and White Mountain Lodge provide the only local employment. Construction outside of town and fire fighting provide seasonal employment. Four residents hold commercial fishing permits. Ivory and bone carvings contribute some cash. A reindeer farm is run by a local resident.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Ducks, geese, salmon, other fish, beluga whale, seal, moose, caribou, reindeer, and brown bear are harvested for subsistence.
<b>Population</b>	207
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	2 <sup>ND</sup> Class City
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Bering Strait
	<b>Profit:</b> White Mountain Native Corporation
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> City of White Mountain
	<b>Village:</b> Native Village of White Mountain

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>State Troopers VPSO</b>	800-443-2835 (Nome) 638- 3626/2100
<b>Fire</b>	638-3771/3626
<b>Medical</b>	White Mountain Health Clinic – 638-3311

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>City of White Mountain</b>	P.O. Box 130 White Mountain, AK 99784	638-3411 638-3421 (fax)	wmocity@gci.net

LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES			
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>White Mountain Native Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 89 White Mountain, AK 99784	638-1101 or 1-877-622- 5003	wmnativecorp@gmail.com
<b>Village of White Mountain</b>	P.O. Box 84090 White Mountain, AK 99784	638-3651 638-3652	tc.wmo@kawerak.org

TRANSPORTATION	
<b>Accessibility</b>	By plane, small boat and snowmachine. There are no roads linking the village to other parts of the state. Boats are used for inter-village travel and subsistence activities. ATVs and snowmachines are commonly used in winter. Locals are interested in a road to Golovin to permit fuel deliveries, or the construction of a docking facility for barges.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 3,000' gravel airstrip. Elevation 262'.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Scheduled flights are available regularly from Nome: Bering Air; Ravn Air; Ryan Air (freight).
<b>Freight</b>	Cargo barges cannot currently land at White Mountain, and supplies are lightered from Nome and offloaded on the beach.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	There is no dock at the village.

FACILITIES & UTILITIES		
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>Cellular Service:</b> GCI; TelAlaska <b>In-State Phone:</b> Mukluk Telephone Co./TelAlaska <b>Long-Distance Phone:</b> AT&T Alascom (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a> ; GCI; Mukluk Telephone	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Internet Provider</b>	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); TelAlaska	
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KICY-AM; KNOM-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	Dish Network	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by White Mountain Utilities.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, white gas, diesel, and propane.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owners</b> (number of tanks @ total capacity): City (6 @ 138,000 gals.); Bering Strait Schools (2 @ 46,000); Native Store (4 @ 92,000); Lodge (2,000); AK DOT (3,000).	
<b>Housing</b>	Native village has a couple of rooms available to rent. Accommodations may be possible at the high school or the city office guest room.	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is obtained from a well near the Fish River and treated. Sixty-four households and facilities are connected to the piped water and sewer system, but two other households haul honeybuckets.	



<b>Services</b>	Groceries, clothing, and some supplies available in town. No laundromat available. No restaurant or banking facilities.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	There is one school located in the community, attended by 71 students. Funding has been requested to relocate the landfill; the current site is a permitted Class III Municipal Solid Waste Landfill.

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b> <i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	City Office (638-3411)/ Village Office (638-3651) School (638-3021)
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Airport (443-2500) -Nome Other government facilities –
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	Up to ten boats, a backhoe, and emergency vehicles may be available.



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## REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

No organized boroughs or municipalities are located in the Prince William Sound Subarea. Most major regional organizations are listed below.



The area code for all phone and fax numbers is **907**, unless otherwise indicated.

### Regional Native Corporations:

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	WEBSITE/EMAIL
Ahtna, Incorporated	P.O. Box 349 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3476	822-3495	<a href="http://www.ahtna-inc.com">www.ahtna-inc.com</a>
Chugach Alaska Corporation	560 E. 34 <sup>th</sup> Avenue #300 Anchorage, AK 99503-4396	563-8866	563-8402	<a href="http://www.chugach-ak.com">www.chugach-ak.com</a>
Doyon, Limited	1 Doyon Place, Suite 300 Fairbanks, AK 990701	452-4755	459-2060	<a href="http://www.doyon.com">www.doyon.com</a>

### School Districts:

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	WEBSITE/EMAIL
Alaska Gateway Schools	1313.5 Alaska Highway P.O. Box 226 Tok, AK 99780	883-5151	883-5154	<a href="http://www.agsd.us">www.agsd.us</a>
Chugach School District (serves Whittier, Chenega, and Tatitlek)	9312 Vanguard Drive Anchorage, AK 99507	522-7400	522-3399	<a href="http://www.chugachschoools.com">www.chugachschoools.com</a>
Copper River Schools	1976 Aurora Drive P.O. Box 108 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3234	822-3949	<a href="http://www.crsd.us">www.crsd.us</a>
Cordova School District	675 Second Street P.O. Box 1330 Cordova, AK 99574	424-3265	424-3271	<a href="http://www.cordovasd.org">www.cordovasd.org</a>
Valdez City Schools	1112 West Klutina Street P.O. Box 398 Valdez, AK 99686	835-4357	835-4964	<a href="http://www.valdezcityschools.org">www.valdezcityschools.org</a>

**Regional Development:**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	WEBSITE/EMAIL
Copper Valley Development Association, Inc.	P.O. Box 9 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5001	(888) 256-5569	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
Prince William Sound Economic Development District	2207 Spenard Road Suite 207 Anchorage, AK 99503	222-2440	222-2411	<a href="http://www.pwsedd.org">www.pwsedd.org</a>

**Housing Authorities:**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	WEBSITE/EMAIL
Copper River Basin Regional Housing Authority	P.O. Box 8 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3633 1-800-478-3633	822-3662	<a href="http://www.crbrrha.org">www.crbrrha.org</a> <a href="mailto:info@crbrha.org">info@crbrha.org</a>
North Pacific Rim Housing Authority (NPRHA)	8300 King Street Anchorage, AK 99518	562-1444 1-888-274-1444	562-1445	<a href="http://www.nprha.com">www.nprha.com</a>

**Regional Health Corporations:**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX	WEBSITE/EMAIL
Copper River Native Association ( <i>Serves Gulkana, Gakona, Chistochina, Chitina, Copper Center, and Tazlina</i> )	Mile 104 Richardson Hwy Drawer H Copper Center, AK 99573	822-5241	822-8801	<a href="http://www.crnative.org">www.crnative.org</a>
Mt. Sanford Tribal Consortium ( <i>Serves Chistochina, Mentasta Lake, Gakona villages.</i> )	P.O. Box 357 Gakona, AK 99586	822-5399	822-5810	<a href="http://www.mstc.org">www.mstc.org</a> <a href="mailto:info@mstc.org">info@mstc.org</a>
Chugachmiut ( <i>Serves tribal organizations: Chenega, Native Village of Eyak, Nanwalek, Port Graham, Qutekac Native Tribe, Tatilek IRA, Valdez Native Tribe.</i> )	1840 Bragaw Street Suite 110 Anchorage, AK 99508	562-4155	563-2891	<a href="http://www.chugachmiut.org">www.chugachmiut.org</a> <a href="mailto:info@chugachmiut.org">info@chugachmiut.org</a>

### **CHENEGA BAY COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Chenega Bay is located on Evans Island at Crab Bay, 42 miles southeast of Whittier in Prince William Sound. It is 104 air miles southeast of Anchorage and 50 miles east of Seward. It lies at approximately 60.06571° N Latitude and -148.01038° W Longitude. (Sec. 24, T001S, R008E, Seward Meridian) Chenega Bay is located in the Valdez Recording District. Winter temperatures range from 17 to 28; summer temperatures range 49 to 63. Average annual precipitation includes 66 inches of rain and 80 inches of snowfall.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The name of this Alutiiq village was first reported by Ivan Petroff in the 1880 census. At that time, the village was located on the southern tip of Chenega Island. A post office was established in 1946. The village was destroyed and over half of all residents perished by tsunamis in the Sound after the 1964 earthquake. The village was reestablished twenty years later on Evans Island, at the site of the former Crab Bay herring saltery. In the summer of 1984, 21 homes, an office building, community hall, school, two teacher’s houses, a church and community store were constructed.  A federally recognized tribe is located in the community – the Native Village of Chenega. The 52.63% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. Chenega Bay is an Alutiiq community practicing a subsistence and commercial fishing lifestyle. During the 2010 U.S. Census, there were 51 total housing units, and 21 were vacant. Fourteen of these vacant housing units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$45,833, per capita income was \$16,366, and 26.09% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Economy</b>	Commercial fishing and subsistence activities are the focus of the economy. One resident hold commercial fishing permit. The school, health clinic, and tribal council provide some employment.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Residents of Chenega Bay hunt, fish and gather for the following food sources in and around Prince William Sound: salmon, halibut, deer, waterfowl, seal sea lions, herring/spawn, bear, oysters, clams, octopus and berries.
<b>Population</b>	76 (2010 U.S. Census)
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unincorporated
<b>Native Entities</b>	<p><b>Regional:</b> Chugach Alaska Corporation (Anchorage)</p> <p><b>Profit:</b> Chenega Corporation (Anchorage)</p> <p><b>Nonprofit:</b> Chugachmiut (Anchorage)</p> <p><b>Village:</b> Native Village of Chenega (Federally Recognized Tribe)</p>

#### **EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>VPSO</b>	State VPSO (573-2046)
<b>Fire</b>	State VPSO (573-2046)
<b>Medical</b>	Chenega Bay Health Clinic (573-5129). Auxiliary care provided by Chenega Bay EMS.

#### **LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>Chugach Alaska Corporation</b>	3800 Centerpoint Drive, Suite 700 Anchorage, AK 99503	561-2668 562-5258 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chugach-ak.com">www.chugach-ak.com</a> <a href="mailto:randi.gause@chugach-ak.com">randi.gause@chugach-ak.com</a>
<b>Chugachmiut</b>	1840 Bragaw Street, Suite 110 Anchorage, AK 99508- 3463	562-4155 563-2891 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chugachmiut.org">www.chugachmiut.org</a>
<b>Native Village of Chenega</b>	P.O. Box 8079 Chenega Bay, AK 99574- 8079	573-5132 573-5120 (fax)	<a href="mailto:s.angaiak@nativevillageofchagega.com">s.angaiak@nativevillageofchagega.com</a>
<b>North Pacific Rim Housing Authority</b>	8300 King Street Anchorage, AK 99518	562-1444 562-1445 (fax)	<a href="http://www.nprha-ak.or/index.htm">www.nprha-ak.or/index.htm</a>
<b>PWS Economic Development District</b>	2207 Spenard Road, Suite 207	222-2440 222-2411 (fax)	<a href="http://www.pwsedd.org">www.pwsedd.org</a>

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Chenega Corporation</i>	Anchorage, AK 99503		
	3000 C Street, Suite 301	277-5706	<a href="http://www.chenega.com">www.chenega.com</a>
	Anchorage, AK 99503	277-5700 (fax)	

**TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	Chenega Bay is an isolated community accessible only by air or water. Charter airlines provide the majority of the transportation and the Alaska Marine Highway Ferry System provides weekly ferry service year round.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	A 3,000-foot gravel runway and float plane landing area are available. Scheduled and chartered flights depart from Cordova, Valdez, Anchorage, and Seward.
<i>Airline Services</i>	Copper Valley Air
<i>Freight</i>	None identified
<i>Vessel Support:</i>	Chenega Bay has a small boat harbor and dock, and ferry dock. The Alaska State Ferry provides “whistle-stop” service ( <a href="http://www.FerryAlaska.com">www.FerryAlaska.com</a> )

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone</i>	AT&T (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a>	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Wireless and Internet</i>	<b>GCI:</b> 1-800-800-4800 / <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a>	
<i>Service Provider</i>	<b>HughesNet:</b> 1-866-687-7094 / <a href="http://www.isatelliteinternet.com">www.isatelliteinternet.com</a>	
<i>TV Stations</i>	Satellite	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	<b>KCHU Public Radio:</b> 835-4665 (office) / 835-4671 (news) / <a href="mailto:news@kchu.org">news@kchu.org</a> / <a href="http://www.kchu.org">www.kchu.org</a>	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	None	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Valdez Legislative Information Office	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Chenega Bay Utilities	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline and diesel	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	<b>Tank Owner:</b> Village Council / <b>Number of Tanks:</b> 4 / <b>Tank Capacity:</b> (2) 12,000 gals, (2) 3,000 gals	
<i>Housing</i>	Chenega IRA Council has housing with 14 people capacity. Call 573-5132 for availability.	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	A surface water collection system with a dam, treatment, and storage capacity of 50,000 gallons, allows for piped distribution most homes. Approximately 80 % of the resident’s homes are fully plumbed. Sewage is piped to a 20,000-gallon community septic tank; some homes use individual septic tanks; some homes use individual septic tanks.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	Refuse collection services are provided through the Chenega IRA Council, who operates the Chegena Bay Landfill. An oil and hazardous waste recycling center was completed in 1998. ADEC Landfill Classification is Class III and the permit number is 0023-BA003. The landfill permit expired on September 26, 2006. There is no record of permit renewal.	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<i>Potential Command Posts</i>	Contact IRA council for available facilities (573-5131)
<i>Potential Staging Areas</i>	Airport, National Guard Armory, and Other government facilities. You and also lease land through the Chenega Corporation. Alyeska Pipeline Services Company has lease agreement in place with the Chenega Corporation.
<i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i>	Emergency response equipment owned by SERVS is located near the deep-water dock in the village (conexes containing boom, skimmers etc.) with additional conexes along a small stretch of beach in the village. Additional emergency response equipment is located at the Sawmill Bay Hatchery, which is adjacent to the village. The SERVS fishing vessel administrator is responsible for deployment of this equipment in a crisis. The fishing vessel administrator lives in the community year around.

**CHISTOCHINA COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Chistochina is located at mile 32.7 on the Tok Cutoff to the Glenn Highway, 42 miles northeast of Glennallen. Sinona Creek, Bolder Creek, Chistochina River and Copper River surround the village. It lies at approximately 62.565° N Latitude and -144.66472° W Longitude. (Sec. 16, T009N, R004E, Copper River Meridian.) Chistochina is located in the Chitina Recording District. The climate in Chistochina is continental, characterized by long, cold winters and relatively warm summers. Snowfall averages 61 inches, with a total annual precipitation of 13 inches. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -62° to 91° F.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Chistochina began as an Ahtna fish camp and a stopover place for traders and trappers. The village access road later became part of the Valdez-Eagle Trail, constructed by miners during the gold rush to the Eagle area in 1897. Chistochina Lodge was built as a roadhouse for prospectors. The Trail was used for construction of U.S. Army Signal Corps telegraph lines from Valdez to Eagle between 1901 and 1904. Gold was mined along the upper Chistochina River and its runoff creeks. The area was settled by homesteaders, although it has remained a traditional Native village. Chistochina is the most traditional of all Copper River Athabascan Indian villages. Subsistence activities are a crucial component of the lifestyle in the village.
<b>Economy</b>	A federally recognized tribe is located in the community – the Chistochina Village Council. The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 36.56% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The census data also showed 68 total housing units, and 32 were vacant, of which 7 units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$24,653, per capita income was \$20,402, and 10.74% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Subsistence hunting, fishing, trapping and gathering are the basis of the village's economy. Most cash employment is seasonal.
<b>Population</b>	Unknown
<b>Borough Located In</b>	93 (2010 U.S. Census)
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unorganized
<b>Native Entities</b>	Unincorporated
	<b>Regional:</b> Ahtna, Incorporated
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> Copper River Native Association
	<b>Village:</b> Cheesh-Na Tribe (Federally Recognized Tribe)

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>VPSO</b>	Handled through the Copper River Native Association (822-4454)
<b>State Troopers</b>	Serviced through the Glennallen Post (822-3263)
<b>Fire</b>	Chistochina Volunteer Fire Department (822-3503)
<b>Medical</b>	Chistochina Health Clinic (822-3280). Auxiliary care provided by Copper River EMS Council (822-3671)

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>Ahtna, Incorporated</b>	P.O. Box 649 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3476 822-3495 (fax)	<a href="http://www.ahtna-inc.com">www.ahtna-inc.com</a>
<b>Alaska Power and Telephone Company</b>	P.O. Box 3222 Port Townsend, WA 98368	1-800-982-0136 (360) 385-5177 (fax)	<a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a>
<b>Cheesh-Na Tribe</b>	P.O. Box 241 Chistochina, AK 99586	822-3503 822-5179 (fax)	<a href="mailto:wjustin@cheesna.org">wjustin@cheesna.org</a>
<b>Copper River Basin Regional Housing Authority</b>	P.O. Box 89 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3633 822-3662 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crbaha.org">www.crbaha.org</a>
<b>Copper River Native Association</b>	Mile 104 Old Richardson Hwy P.O. Box H	822-5241 822-8803 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crnative.org">www.crnative.org</a>



**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Copper Valley Development Association Mt. Sanford Tribal Consortium</i>	Copper Center, AK 99573		
	P.O. Box 9	822-5001	<a href="http://www.copervalley.org">www.copervalley.org</a>
	Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5009 (fax)	
	P.O. Box 357	822-5399	<a href="http://www.mstc.org">www.mstc.org</a>
	Gakona, AK 99586	822-5810 (fax)	

**TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	Chistochina is accessible year-round by the Glenn and Richardson Highways.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	Small aircraft may land at a State-owned 2,060-foot turf/gravel airstrip.
<i>Airline Services</i>	None
<i>Freight</i>	None
<i>Vessel Support:</i>	None

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone</i>	Copper Valley Telecom provides both local and long-distance services (822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a> )	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Wireless and Internet</i>	Copper Valley Telecom: 822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a>	
<i>TV Stations</i>	Satellite	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	KCAM-AM; KCHU-AM	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	None identified	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Glennallen Legislative Information Office; Prince William Sound Community College located at Mile 188 Glenn Highway (822-3673)	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Copper Valley Electric Association	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	None identified	
<i>Housing</i>	Red Eagle Lodge; Chistochina Bed and Breakfast	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	Almost half of residences have individual wells; the remainder haul treated water from the Community Center. Some residents use individual septic tanks, but the majority have outhouses or pit privies. About 40% of homes are completely plumbed. Refuse disposal at the local landfill is the responsibility of each individual.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	The community needs a washeteria and a new landfill.	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<i>Potential Command Posts</i>	Community Hall; Chistochina School
<i>Potential Staging Areas</i>	None identified
<i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i>	None identified

**CHITINA COMMUNITY**

**PROFILE**

<i>Location and Climate</i>	<p>Chitina is located on the west bank of the Copper River at its confluence with the Chitina River, at mile 34 of the Edgerton Highway, 53 miles southeast of Copper Center. It lies outside the western boundary of the Wrangell-St. Elias National Park and Preserve, 66 miles southeast of Glennallen.</p> <p>The climate in Chitina is continental, characterized by long, cold winters and relatively warm summers. Total annual precipitation averages 12 inches, with an average annual snowfall of 52 inches. Temperature extremes from a low of -58 to a high of 91 °F have been recorded. Chitina is usually 10° warmer than its neighbor, Kenny Lake.</p>
<i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i>	<p>Athabascan Indians have reportedly occupied this region for the last 5,000 to 7,000 years. Archaeological sites are located to the south and east of Chitina. Chitina was historically a large Native village whose population was slowly decimated by the influx of people, disease, and conflicts. Rich copper deposits were discovered at the turn of the century along the northern flanks of the Chitina River Valley, bringing a rush of prospectors and homesteaders to the area. The Copper River &amp; Northwestern Railway enabled Chitina to develop into a thriving community by 1914. It had a general store, clothing store, meat market, stables, tinsmith, five hotels, rooming houses, pool hall, bars, restaurants, dance halls, and movie theater. Almost all of Chitina was owned by Otto Adrian Nelson, a surveying engineer for the Kennecott Mines. He supplied electric power to all structures with a unique hydroelectric system. After the mines closed in 1938, support activities moved to the Glennallen area, and Chitina became a virtual ghost town with only the Natives and a few non-Natives staying on. In 1963, the Nelson estate was purchased by "Mudhole" Smith, a pioneer bush pilot, who sold off the town site and buildings.</p>
<i>Economy</i>	<p>Students are home-schooled or attend school at Kenny Lake, 28 miles away. Most Athabascan residents are involved in subsistence activities year-round. During the summer, subsistence dip netting for salmon on the Copper River brings a large number of Alaskans from Anchorage and other areas of the state. Gardening, berry picking, herb gathering, and other 'wild crafting' are popular pursuits, as are various arts and crafts. Winter activities include trapping, snow machining, dog mushing, skiing and skijoring, and ice fishing.</p> <p>Employment is primarily with the village council, Village Corporation, or the National Park Service. Many residents are self-employed or work in retail establishments. The summer influx of fishermen, tourists and campers provides some cash income in fish guiding and other services. Two residents hold commercial fishing permits. Many villagers participate in subsistence activities year-round.</p>
<i>Subsistence Population</i>	<p>Unknown 126 (2010 U.S. Census Data)</p>
<i>Borough Located In</i>	<p>Unorganized</p>
<i>Incorporation Type</i>	<p>Unincorporated</p>
<i>Native Entities</i>	<p><b>Regional:</b> Ahtna, Incorporated <b>Nonprofit:</b> Community Improvement Association of Chitina, Chitina Native Corporation <b>Village:</b> Native Village of Chitina (Federally-recognized Tribe)</p>
<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<i>VPSO</i>	<p>Handled through the Copper River Native Association (822-4454)</p>
<i>State Troopers</i>	<p>Serviced through the Glennallen Post (822-3263)</p>
<i>Fire</i>	<p>Chitina Volunteer Fire Department (823-2235)</p>
<i>Medical</i>	<p>Chitina Health Clinic 823-2213. Clinic was damaged by an avalanche; needs major repairs or replacement. Copper River EMS Council (822-3671)</p>

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<i>Ahtna, Incorporated</i>	P.O. Box 649 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3476 822-3495 (fax)	<a href="http://www.ahtna-inc.com">www.ahtna-inc.com</a>
<i>Chitina Chamber of Commerce</i>	P.O. Box 54 Chitina, AK 99566	259-2239	<a href="http://www.chitinachamber.org">www.chitinachamber.org</a>
<i>Chitina Electric, Incorporated</i>	P.O. Box 88 Chitina, AK 99566	823-2220 823-2202 (fax)	
<i>Chitina Native Corporation</i>	P.O. Box 3 Chitina, AK 99566	823-2223 823-2202 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chitinanative.com">www.chitinanative.com</a>
<i>Community Improvement Association of Chitina</i>	P.O. Box 2 Chitina, AK 99566	823-2270	
<i>Copper River Basin Regional Housing Authority</i>	P.O. Box 89 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3633 822-3662 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crbra.org">www.crbra.org</a>
<i>Copper River Native Association</i>	Mile 104 Old Richardson Hwy P.O. Box H Copper Center, AK 99573	822-5241 822-8803 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crnative.org">www.crnative.org</a>
<i>Copper Valley Development Association</i>	P.O. Box 9 Glennallen, Ak 99588	822-5001 822-5009 (fax)	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
<i>Native Village of Chitina</i>	P.O. Box 31 Chitina, AK 99566	823-2215 823-2233 (fax)	<a href="mailto:nativevillageofchitina@yahoo.com">nativevillageofchitina@yahoo.com</a>

#### **TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	The Edgerton Highway and Richardson Highway link Chitina with the rest of the state road system.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	The state owns the Chitina Airport, with a 2,850-foot long by 75-foot wide gravel airstrip, 5 miles north of town along the Edgerton Highway.
<i>Airline Services</i>	Copper Valley Air
<i>Freight</i>	Not identified
<i>Vessel Support:</i>	Not applicable

#### **FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone</i>	Copper Valley Telecom provides both local and long-distance services (822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a> )	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Wireless and Internet</i>	Copper Valley Telecom: 822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a>	
<i>TV Stations</i>	Satellite	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	KCAM-AM; KCHU-AM	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	None identified	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Glennallen Legislative Information Office; Prince William Sound Community College located at Mile 188 Glenn Highway (822-3673)	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Copper Valley Electric Association	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	None identified	
<i>Housing</i>	Gilpatrick Hotel Chitina; Alaska Halfway House B&B; Chitina House Bed & Breakfast; Chitina Guest Cabins	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	Residents haul water from a treated well source at the Fire Hall or have individual wells. The water system is operated by the Community Improvement Association of Chitina. Outhouses and individual septic systems provide sewage disposal. Less than 20% of homes are completely plumbed.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	Refuse collection services are available from Copper Basin Sanitation. To serve the heavy influx of tourists in summer, the community has asked for funding for a public facility with parking and an RV dump station. DOT is constructing a visitor wayside.	

#### **SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<i>Potential Command Posts</i>	None identified
<i>Potential Staging Areas</i>	None identified
<i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i>	None identified

**COPPER CENTER COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	<p>Copper Center is located between miles 101 and 105 of the Richardson Highway. It is on the west bank of the Copper River at the confluence of the Klutina River. It lies just west of the Wrangell-St. Elias National Park.</p> <p>Copper Center is located in the continental climate zone. Winters are long and cold, and summers are relatively warm. Temperature extremes have been recorded from a low of -74 to a high of 96°F. Annual snowfall averages 39 inches, and total precipitation averages 9 inches per year.</p>
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	<p>The Ahtna people have occupied the Copper River basin for the past 5,000 to 7,000 years. They had summer fish camps at every bend in the river and winter villages throughout the region. Copper Center was a large Ahtna Athabascan village at one time. In 1896 Ringwald Blix built Blix Roadhouse, which was very highly regarded for its outstanding services. The Trail of '98 from Valdez joined with the Eagle Trail to Forty Mile and Dawson. 300 destitute miners spent the winter here, and many died of scurvy. Copper Center became the principal supply center for miners in the Nelchina-Susitna region. A telegraph station and post office were established in 1901. A school was constructed in 1905, which brought a number of Native families to Copper Center. In 1909 it was designated a government agricultural experiment station. In 1932 the original roadhouse was destroyed in order to build the Copper Center Lodge. This lodge is on the National Register of Historic Roadhouses and is now considered the jewel of Alaskan roadhouses. In the late 1930s and early 40s, construction of the Richardson and Glenn Highways made the region more accessible. The first church in the Copper River region, the Chapel on the Hill, was built here in 1942 by Vince Joy and U.S. Army volunteers stationed in the area. Mr. Joy built other churches and a Bible college in the area over the years.</p> <p>Athabascan Indians represent the primary Alaska Native group. There are two distinct settlements, a Native area and a non-Native area. The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 45.73% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The census data also showed 199 total housing units, and 76 were vacant, of which 25 units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$59,375, per capita income was \$24,269, and 10.74% of residents were living below the poverty level.</p>
<b>Economy</b>	<p>The economy is based on local services and businesses and highway-related tourism. The National Park Service's Wrangell-St. Elias Visitor Center was completed in 2002. The Copper River Princess Wilderness Lodge was also completed in 2002. Two RV Parks and three river boat charter services operate from Copper Center. Many Native residents depend on subsistence hunting, fishing, trapping and gathering. Eight residents hold commercial fishing permits.</p>
<b>Subsistence Population</b>	<p>Unknown 328 (2010 U.S. Census)</p>
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unincorporated
<b>Native Entities</b>	<p><b>Regional:</b> Ahtna, Incorporated  <b>Nonprofit:</b> Copper River Native Association  <b>Village:</b> Native Village of Kluti Kaah (Federally-recognized Tribe)</p>

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>VPSO</b>	Handled through the Copper River Native Association (822-4454)
<b>State Troopers</b>	Serviced through the Glennallen Post (822-3263)
<b>Fire</b>	Copper Center Volunteer Fire Department and Fire Hall (822-3047)
<b>Medical</b>	Sierra & Kluti-Kaah Health clinic (822-3541). Auxiliary care is provided by Copper River EMS Council (822-3671).

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>Ahtna, Incorporated</b>	P.O. box 649 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3476 822-3495 (fax)	<a href="http://www.ahtna-inc.com">www.ahtna-inc.com</a>

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>Copper Center Community Association</b>	P.O. Box 338 Copper Center, AK 99573	822-5604	
<b>Copper River Basin Regional Housing Authority</b>	P.O. Box 89 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3633 822-3662 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crbrrha.org">www.crbrrha.org</a>
<b>Copper River Native Association</b>	Mile 104 Old Richardson Hwy P.O. Box H Copper Center, AK 99573	822-5241 822-8803 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crnative.org">www.crnative.org</a>
<b>Copper Valley Development Association</b>	P.O. Box 9 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5001 822-5009 (fax)	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
<b>Native Village of Kluti Kaah</b>	P.O. Box 68 Copper Center, AK 99573	822-5541 822-5130 (fax)	<a href="mailto:nvkkadmin@cvinternet.net">nvkkadmin@cvinternet.net</a>

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b>Accessibility</b>	The Richardson Highway connects Copper Center to Anchorage, Fairbanks and outside year-round.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A State-owned 2,500-foot gravel airstrip provides for chartered flights and general.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Copper Valley Air
<b>Freight</b>	None identified
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	None identified

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>		<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Telephone</b>	Copper Valley Telecom provides both local and long-distance services (822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a> )	
<b>Wireless and Internet Service Provider</b>	Copper Valley Telecom: 822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a>	
<b>TV Stations</b>	Satellite	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KCAM-AM; KCHU-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None identified	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Glennallen Legislative Information Office; Prince William Sound Community College located at Mile 188 Glenn Highway (822-3673)	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Copper Valley Electric Association	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	None identified	
<b>Housing</b>	Copper Center Lodge; Klutina River B&B; private campgrounds	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	The majority of homes use individual water wells and septic tanks. Others haul treated well water from a site operated by Copper Center Safe Water. A private Glennallen firm delivers water to home storage tanks for a fee. The washeteria is currently not functioning. The well at Kluti-Kaah Memorial Hall is contaminated and on boil water notice. The school operates its own well water system. 75% of homes are fully plumbed.	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	Refuse collection services are available from Copper Basin Sanitation. There is a local landfill, and an incinerator at mile 102 Richardson Hwy. Copper Valley Electric purchases power from the state-owned Solomon Gulch Hydro Facility, and own diesel plants in Glennallen and Valdez.	

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	None identified
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	None identified
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

**CORDOVA COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Cordova is located at the southeastern end of Prince William Sound in the Gulf of Alaska. The community was built on Orca Inlet, at the base of Eyak Mountain. It lies 52 air miles southeast of Valdez and 150 miles southeast of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 60.54278° N Latitude and -145.7575° W Longitude. (Sec. 28, T015S, R003W, Copper River Meridian.) Cordova is located in the Cordova Recording District. Winter temperatures average from 17° to 28° F; summer temperatures average 49° to 63° F. Annual precipitation is 167 inches, including 80 inches of snowfall.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The area has historically been home to the Alutiiq, with the addition of migrating Athabascan and Tlingit natives who called themselves Eyaks. Alaskan Natives of other descents also settled in Cordova. Orca Inlet was originally named “Puerto Cordova” by Don Salvador Fidalgo in 1790. One of the first producing oil fields in Alaska was discovered at Katalla, 47 miles southeast of Cordova, in 1902. The town of Cordova was named in 1906 by Michael Heney, builder of the Copper River and Northwestern Railroad, and the City was formed in 1909. Cordova became the railroad terminus and ocean shipping port for copper ore from the Kennecott Mine up the Copper River. The first trainload of ore was loaded onto the steamship “Northwestern,” bound for a smelter in Tacoma, Washington, in April 1911. The Bonanza-Kennecott Mines operated until 1938 and yielded over \$200 million in copper, silver and gold. The Katalla oil field produced until 1933, when it was destroyed by fire. Fishing became the economic base in the early 1940s. Cordova has a significant Eyak Athabascan population with an active Village Council. Commercial fishing and subsistence are central to the community’s culture.
<b>Economy</b>	The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 8.84% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The census data also showed 1,100 total housing units, and 178 were vacant, of which 72 units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$91,477, per capita income was \$38,287, and 2.04% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Cordova supports a large fishing fleet for Prince William Sound and several fish processing plants. 343 residents hold commercial fishing permits, and nearly half of all households have someone working in commercial harvesting or processing. Copper River red salmon, pink salmon, herring, halibut, bottom fish and other fisheries are harvested. Reduced salmon prices have affected the economy. The largest employers are North Pacific Processors, Cordova School District, Cordova Hospital, the City, and the Department of Transportation. The U.S. Forest Service and the U.S. Coast Guard maintain personnel in Cordova.
<b>Population</b>	While the largest portion of Cordova residents do not live a subsistence lifestyle, the tribal residents still practice the subsistence way of life. The food gathered is salmon, seal, deer, waterfowl, berries, and halibut.
<b>Borough Located In</b>	2,239 (2010 U.S. Census)
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unorganized
<b>Native Entities</b>	Home Rule City
	<b>Regional:</b> Chugach Alaska Corporation
	<b>Profit:</b> Tatitlek Corporation – Cordova and the Eyak Corporation
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> Chugachmiut
	<b>Village:</b> Native Village of Eyak
<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
<b>Police</b>	City Police Dept. (424-6100); State Fish & Wildlife Protection
<b>State Troopers</b>	State Trooper Post (424-3184)
<b>Fire</b>	City Fire Dept. & Volunteer Fire/EMS/Search & Rescue (424-6117)
<b>Medical</b>	The hospital is a qualified Acute Care and Long Term Care facility (424-8000). Auxiliary care provided by Cordova Volunteer Fire Dept./EMS/Search & Rescue (424-6117/424-6100). Cordova Medical Clinic (424-8200)
<b>Harbormaster</b>	424-6400

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<i>Chugach Alaska Corporation</i>	3800 Centerpoint Drive Suite 700 Anchorage, AK 99503	561-2668 562-5258 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chugach-ak.com">www.chugach-ak.com</a>
<i>City of Cordova</i>	P.O. Box 1210 Cordova, AK 99574	424-6200 424-6000 (fax)	<a href="http://www.cityofcordova.net">www.cityofcordova.net</a> <a href="mailto:cityclerk@cityofcordova.net">cityclerk@cityofcordova.net</a>
<i>Cordova Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Center</i>	P.O. Box 99 Cordova, AK 99574	424-7260 424-7259 (fax)	<a href="http://www.cordovachamber.com">www.cordovachamber.com</a>
<i>Cordova City School District</i>	P.O. Box 1330 Cordova, AK 99574	424-3265 424-3271 (fax)	<a href="http://www.cordovasd.org">www.cordovasd.org</a>
<i>Cordova Electric Cooperative, Incorporated</i>	P.O. Box 20 Cordova, AK 99574	424-5527 424-5527 (fax)	<a href="http://www.cordovaelectric.com">www.cordovaelectric.com</a>
<i>Cordova Times Native Village of Eyak</i>	P.O. Box 1388 Cordova, AK 99574	424-7738 424-7739 (fax)	<a href="http://www.thecordovetimes.com">www.thecordovetimes.com</a> <a href="http://www.nveyak.com">www.nveyak.com</a>
<i>North Pacific Rim Housing Authority</i>	8300 King Street Anchorage, AK 99518	562-1444 562-1445	<a href="http://www.nprha-ak.org/index.htm">www.nprha-ak.org/index.htm</a>
<i>Prince William Sound Aquaculture Corporation</i>	P.O. Box 1110 Cordova, AK 99574	424-7511 424-7514 (fax)	<a href="http://www.pwsac.com">www.pwsac.com</a>
<i>Prince William Sound Economic Development District</i>	2207 Spenard Road, Suite 207 Anchorage, AK 99503	222-2440 222-2411 (fax)	<a href="http://www.pwsedd.org">www.pwsedd.org</a>
<i>The Eyak Preservation Council</i>	P.O. Box 460 Cordova, AK 99574	424-5890 424-5891 (fax)	<a href="http://www.redzone.org">www.redzone.org</a>

#### **TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	Cordova is accessed by plane or boat. It is linked directly to the North Pacific Ocean shipping lanes through the Gulf of Alaska. It receives year-round barge services and State Ferry service. A 48-mile gravel road provides access to the Copper River Delta to the east. Plans for a highway up the Copper River to connect with the statewide road system have been controversial.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	The Merle K. "Mudhole" Smith Airport at mile 13 is State-owned and operated, with a 7,500' asphalt runway and 1,900' gravel crosswind runway. The State-owned and City-operated Cordova Municipal Airport has a 1,840' gravel runway. Float planes land at the Lake Eyak seaplane base or the boat harbor.
<i>Airline Services</i>	Daily scheduled jet flights and air taxis are available. Alaska Airlines; Era Aviation; Cordova Air Service; Alaska Wilderness.
<i>Freight</i>	It receives year-round barge services and State Ferry service.
<i>Vessel Support:</i>	Harbor facilities include a breakwater, dock, a 500-slip small boat harbor, boat launch, boat haul-out, a ferry terminal, and marine repair services. A proposed deep draft port at Shepard Point has been funded and is in the final Environmental Impact Statement phase. This will provide access to the mile 13 airport, connected to the deep draft dock with staging for spill response.

#### **FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone Wireless and Internet</i>	Cordova Telephone Cooperative (424-2345); GCI (424-7317) <b>Wireless:</b> Copper Valley Wireless (1-800-235-5414); Cordova Wireless (424-2300) <b>Internet:</b> Copper Valley Telephone Cooperative (424-2345); Cordova Telephone Cooperative (424-2345); GCI (424-7317 or 1-800-800-4800 / <a href="http://www.gci.com">www.gci.com</a> )	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>TV Stations</i>	ARCS; GCI Cable.	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	KLAM-AM (424-3796); KCHU-FM	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	GCI Cable, Inc.	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Legislative Information Office	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Cordova Electric Cooperative, Inc.	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	Cordova Electric Co-op (60,000 gals.); U.S. Coast Guard (22,000 gals.)	
<i>Housing</i>	Reluctant Fisherman; Orca Adventure lodge; Cordova Lighthouse Inn; Prince William Motel	

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Cordova utilizes water from Murcheson Falls, Heney Creek dam, Meals Reservoir, the Orca Reservoir, and Eyak Lake. The water is treated, but only the Eyak water is filtered. Water storage capacity is 2.1 million gallons. The City operates a piped water and sewer system. Sewage is treated before discharge. Over 90% of homes are fully plumbed. Some homes use individual wells and septic systems. The City wants to design a new wastewater treatment plant.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	A new Class 2 landfill and sludge disposal is available at Mile 17. The community participates in recycling and a household hazardous waste program. Cordova Electric Cooperative operates two diesel-powered plants, at Eyak and Orca, and the Humpback Creek Hydro Facility.

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	None identified
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	A proposed deep draft port at Shepard Point has been funded and is in the final Environmental Impact Statement phase. This will provide access to the mile 13 airport, connected to the deep draft dock with staging for spill response.
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	USCG spill response conex; ADEC spill response conex (see page B-72 for an inventory of spill response assets)  Cordova has a large stockpile of equipment located in the community. The equipment is stored in a fenced in area on Industry Road behind the Alaska Marine Trucking facility. There is also a large stockpile of barges located near the ferry dock. Wilson Construction (907-424-3452) is responsible for the deployment of this equipment in a crisis response.



**GAKONA COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<i>Location and Climate</i>	<p>Gakona is located at 62°18'17"N latitude and 145°16'24"W longitude (62.301940, -145.30194) (Sec. 18, T006N, R001E, Copper River Meridian). Gakona is located in the Chitina Recording District. Gakona is located in the center of Copper Valley, surrounded by mountains and the famous Copper River.</p> <p>Gakona is at the confluence of the Copper and Gakona Rivers, 15 miles northeast of Glennallen. It lies at mile 2 on the Tok Cutoff to the Glenn Highway, just east of the Richardson Highway. It lies at approximately 62.30194° N Latitude and -145.30194° W Longitude. (Sec. 18, T006N, R001E, Copper River Meridian.) Gakona is located in the Chitina Recording District. Gakona is located in the continental climate zone, with long, cold winters and relatively warm summers. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -62 to 91. Snowfall averages 61 inches, with total precipitation of 13 inches per year.</p>
<i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i>	<p>Ahtna Indians have lived in the Copper River basin for 5,000 to 7,000 years. Gakona served as a wood and fish camp, and later became a permanent village. In 1904 Doyle's Roadhouse was constructed at the junction of the Valdez-Eagle and Valdez-Fairbanks Trails, and became an essential stopping point for travelers. There was also a post office, stagecoach station and blacksmith shop here. Some buildings are still standing. Gakona Lodge was built in 1929 and is on the National Register of Historical Places. The lodge contains many old relics of the gold rush era.</p> <p>A federally recognized tribe is located in the community -- the Native Village of Gakona. The 2010 Census data shows 19.72 % of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The community has a commercial district, a non-Native residential area, and an Athabascan village. The 2010 Census data also shows 131 total housing units, of which 45 were vacant. Twenty one of these vacant housing units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$98,750, per capita income was \$31,038, and 4.46% of residents were living below the poverty level.</p>
<i>Economy</i>	<p>Gakona depends upon local businesses and seasonal tourist travel. There is a motel, restaurant, bar, newspaper print shop, sawmill and dog sled maker in Gakona. Summers provide income for local fishing and hunting guides, rafting operations and outfitters. Three residents hold commercial fishing permits. Some residents rely on subsistence activities and trapping. Recording equipment for the High Frequency Active Auroral Research Program (HAARP) is located near Gakona.</p>
<i>Subsistence</i>	<p>Residents of Gakona hunt, fish, and gather for the following food sources in and around Copper River Basin area: salmon, moose, dall sheep, bear, and berries.</p>
<i>Population</i>	<p>218 (2010 Census)</p>
<i>Borough Located In</i>	<p>Unorganized</p>
<i>Incorporation Type</i>	<p>Unincorporated</p>
<i>Native Entities</i>	<p><b>Regional:</b> Ahtna, Incorporated  <b>Profit:</b> None identified  <b>Nonprofit:</b> Copper River Native Association  <b>Village:</b> Native Village of Gakona (Federally-recognized Tribe)</p>

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<i>VPSO</i>	Handled through the Copper River Native Association (822-4454)
<i>State Troopers</i>	Serviced through the Glennallen Post (822-3263)
<i>Fire</i>	Gakona Volunteer Fire Department (822-3935)
<i>Medical</i>	The Gakona Health Clinic is operated by Copper River Native Association and housed in the Buster Gene Memorial Facility (822-5175). Auxiliary care provided by Copper River EMS (822-3671) and Cross Road Medical Center in Glennallen (822-3203).

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Ahtna, Incorporated</i>	P.O. box 649 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3476 822-3495 (fax)	<a href="http://www.ahtna-inc.com">www.ahtna-inc.com</a>

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<i>Copper River Basin Regional Housing Authority</i>	P.O. Box 89	822-3633	<a href="http://www.crbrrha.org">www.crbrrha.org</a>
	Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3662 (fax)	
<i>Copper River Native Association</i>	Mile 104 Old Richardson Hwy	822-5241	<a href="http://www.crnative.org">www.crnative.org</a>
	P.O. Box H	822-8803 (fax)	
	Copper Center, AK 99573		
<i>Copper Valley Development Association</i>	P.O. Box 9	822-5001	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
	Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5009	
<i>Gakona Volunteer Fire Department</i>	P.O. Box 337	822-3935	
	Gakona, AK 99586		
<i>Mt. Sanford Tribal Consortium</i>	P.O. Box 357	822-5399	<a href="http://www.mstc.org">www.mstc.org</a>
	Gakona, AK 99586	822-5810 (fax)	
<i>Native Village of Gakona</i>	P.O. Box 102	822-5777	<a href="http://www.nvgakona.com">www.nvgakona.com</a>
	Gakona, AK 99586	822-5997 (fax)	<a href="mailto:gakonavc@cvinternet.net">gakonavc@cvinternet.net</a>

**TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	The Glenn Highway, Richardson Highway, and Tok Cutoff provide access to the Anchorage, Fairbanks and the Lower 48.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	A 5,000-foot paved runway is available at nearby Gulkana.
<i>Airline Services</i>	Copper Valley Air
<i>Freight</i>	Ellis Air
<i>Vessel Support:</i>	Not applicable

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone</i>	Copper Valley Telecom provides both local and long-distance services (822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a> )	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Wireless and Internet Service Provider</i>	Copper Valley Telecom: 822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a>	
<i>TV Stations</i>	Satellite	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	KCAM-AM; KCHU-AM	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	None identified	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Glennallen Legislative Information Office; Prince William Sound Community College located at Mile 188 Glenn Highway (822-3673)	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Copper Valley Electric Association	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	None identified	
<i>Housing</i>	Gakona Junction Village, Gakona Cabin, Red Igloo Cabins, Maclaren River Loge, Riverview Bed and Breakfast, Copper River Country B & B, Gakona Lodge & Trading Post.	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	The primary source of water is groundwater under direct influence of surface water through a community water system. The water system serves 83 residents.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	Refuse collection services are available from Copper Basin Sanitation, which hauls waste to the Glennallen Regional Landfill in Glennallen. ADEC Landfill Classification is Class II and the permit number is SW2A009-15. The landfill permit expiration date is March 1, 2015.	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<i>Potential Command Posts</i>	Gakona Elementary School
<i>Potential Staging Areas</i>	None identified
<i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i>	None identified

**GLENNALLEN COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	The community of Glennallen lies along the Glenn Highway at its junction with the Richardson Highway, 189 road miles east of Anchorage. It is located just outside the western boundary of Wrangell-St. Elias National Park. It lies at approximately 62.10917° N Latitude and -145.54639° W Longitude (62.1092, -145.5464) (Sec. 23, T004N, R002W, Copper River Meridian). Glennallen is located in the Chitina Recording District. Glennallen is located in the continental climate zone, with long, cold winters, and relatively warm summers. Temperature extremes range from -74 to 96. The mean temperature in January is -10°F; in July, it is 56°F. Snowfall averages 39 inches, with total precipitation of 9 inches per year.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The name was derived from Maj. Edwin Glenn and Lt. Henry Allen, both leaders in the early explorations of the Copper River region. It is one of the few communities in the region that was not built on the site of a Native village. The area has historically been occupied by the Ahtna, although Glennallen is currently a non-Native community.
<b>Economy</b>	The 2010 U.S. Census data shows 7.66% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. During the 2010 U.S. Census, there were 336 total housing units, and 133 were vacant, of which 65 of these vacant housing units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$45,688, per capita income was \$22,545, and 0% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Subsistence Population</b>	None identified 483 (2010 U.S. Census)
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unincorporated
<b>Native Entities</b>	Not applicable

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>State Troopers</b>	State Trooper Post: 822-3263
<b>Fire</b>	Glennallen Volunteer Fire Department (822-5885)
<b>Medical</b>	The Cross Road Medical Center is a qualified Emergency Care Center and provides Critical Care Air Ambulance Services (822-3203). Auxiliary care provided by Copper River EMS Council (822-3671).

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>Copper River Record</b> (Newspaper)	P.O. Box 277 Glennallen, AK 99588	259-5277 1-888-870-3169 (fax)	<a href="http://www.copperriverrecord.net">www.copperriverrecord.net</a>
<b>Copper River School District</b>	P.O. Box 108 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3234 822-3949 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crsd.us">www.crsd.us</a>
<b>Copper Valley Chamber of Commerce</b>	P.O. Box 469 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5555 822-5558 (fax)	<a href="http://www.traveltoalaska.com">www.traveltoalaska.com</a>
<b>Copper Valley Community Library</b>	P.O. Box 173 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5427	
<b>Copper Valley Development Org.</b>	P.O. Box 9 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5001 822-5009 (fax)	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
<b>Copper Valley Electric Association, Inc.</b>	P.O. Box 45 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3211	<a href="http://www.cvea.org">www.cvea.org</a>
<b>Glennallen Improvement Corporation</b>	P.O. Box 343 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3181	

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b>Accessibility</b>	The Glenn and Richardson Highways provide year-round road access to Anchorage, Fairbanks and other areas of the state.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	Brenwick's Airport provides public air access, and scheduled services are available. The 2,070-foot turf airstrip is owned and operated by Copper Basin District, Inc. The Gulkana Airport is located 4.3 miles northeast.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Copper Valley Air (822-4200 or 1-866-570-4200)
<b>Freight</b>	None identified.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	A public boat launch site is available at Lake Louise.

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>		
<b>Telephone</b>	Copper Valley Telecom provides both local and long-distance services (822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a> )	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Wireless and Internet</b>	Copper Valley Telecom: 822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a>	
<b>TV Stations</b>	Satellite	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KCAM-AM; KCHU-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None identified	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Glennallen Legislative Information Office; Prince William Sound Community College located at Mile 188 Glenn Highway (822-3673)	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Copper Valley Electric Association. Copper Valley Electric purchases power from the state-owned Solomon Gulch Hydro Facility, and owns diesel plants in Glennallen and Valdez.	
<b>Fuel</b>	Heating oil, gasoline, diesel fuel, jet fuel, AvGas 100LL, propane	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	Crowley maintains 168,000 gallon refined product bulk storage/loading facility and a 30,000 gallon bulk propane storage facility.	
<b>Housing</b>	Caribou Hotel, Wolverine Lodge, Glennallen's Rustic Resort Bed & Breakfast, Evergreen Lodge, Tangle Lakes Lodge	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	<p><b>Alaska Bible College:</b> Public Water System ID AK2292099, Primary Source – Groundwater, System Type – Community Water System, Population Served – 15).</p> <p><b>Blackburn Place Apartments:</b> Public Water System ID AK2291261, Primary Source – Groundwater, System Type – Community Water System, Population Served – 56).</p> <p><b>Copper River School District:</b> Public Water System ID AK2291384, Primary Source – Groundwater, System Type – Non Transient Non Community, Population Served – 59).</p> <p><b>Glennallen Water Works:</b> Public Water System ID AK2291499, Primary Source – Groundwater, System Type – Community Water System, Population Served – 360).</p> <p><b>Tazlina River Mobile Home Park:</b> Public Water System ID AK2291279, Primary Source – Groundwater, System Type – Community Water System, Population Served – 100).</p> <p>The majority of downtown is connected to a piped sewage system operated by The Glennallen Improvement Corporation. The sewage system serves 52 homes and businesses. Most residences have individual septic tank system, but permafrost and high water tables cause drainage failures.</p>	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	Refuse collection services are available from Copper Basin Sanitation, which hauls waste to the Glennallen Regional Landfill. ADEC Landfill Classification is Class II and the permit number is SW2A009-15. The landfill permit expiration date is March 1, 2015.	

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Copper River Correspondence School, Glennallen Elementary School, Glennallen Jr./Sr. High School, and Lottie Sparks Elementary School
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	Bureau of Land Management Glennallen Field Office at milepost 186.5 of the Glenn Highway (822-3217).
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	ADEC spill response conex located at Tazlina (see page B-72 for an inventory of spill response assets)

**GULKANA COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Gulkana is located on the east bank of the Gulkana (Kulkana) River at its confluence with the Copper River. It lies at mile 127 of the Richardson Highway, 14 miles north of Glennallen. It lies at approximately 62.27139° N Latitude and -145.38222° W Longitude. (Sec. 27, T006N, R001W, Copper River Meridian.) Gulkana is located in the Chitina Recording District. Gulkana is located in the continental climate zone, with long, cold winters, and relatively warm summers. Temperature extremes range from -65°F to 91° F. Average snowfall is 47 inches, with 11 inches of precipitation per year.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The Ahtna people have occupied this area for 5,000 to 7,000 years. Gulkana was originally established in 1903 as a telegraph station, and was named “Kulkana” after the nearby river. The Gulkana Roadhouse was built in the early 1900s by C.L. Hoyt, a fur dealer who ran the roadhouse until 1916. A store, post office and Orr stage station were located nearby. Gulkana was originally located across the river from its present site; it was cut in half during construction of the Richardson Highway during World War II. In the early 1950s, the first house was built at the new site. Chief Ewan and his family were the first Native residents, and eventually all of the villagers relocated. Gulkana is an Athabascan village. Subsistence activities supplement incomes. The sale, importation and possession of alcohol are prohibited.
<b>Economy</b>	A federally recognized tribe is located in the community - the Gulkana Village Council. The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 76.47% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The 2010 U.S. Census data also shows there were 60 total housing units, and 24 were vacant, of which 5 of these units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$63,750, per capita income was \$20,351 and 1.35% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Residents of Gulkana depend somewhat on subsistence hunting, fishing, trapping and gathering. Employment is limited to the village council and seasonal construction.
<b>Population</b>	None identified
<b>Borough Located In</b>	119 (2010 U.S. Census)
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unorganized
<b>Native Entities</b>	Unincorporated
	<b>Regional:</b> Ahtna, Incorporated
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> Copper River Native Association
	<b>Village:</b> Gulkana Village (Federally-recognized Tribe)

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>VPSO</b>	Handled through the Copper River Native Association (822-4454)
<b>State Troopers</b>	Serviced through the Glennallen Post (822-3263)
<b>Fire</b>	Gulkana Volunteer Fire Department (822-3935)
<b>Medical</b>	Gulkana Community Health Clinic: 822-3646

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>Ahtna, Incorporated</b>	P.O. Box 649 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3476 822-3495 (fax)	<a href="http://www.ahtna-inc.com">www.ahtna-inc.com</a>
<b>Copper River Basin Regional Housing Authority</b>	P.O. Box 89 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3633 822-3662 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crbrrha.org">www.crbrrha.org</a>
<b>Copper River Native Association</b>	Mile 104 Old Richardson Hwy P.O. Box H Copper Center, AK 99573	822-5241 822-8803 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crnative.org">www.crnative.org</a>
<b>Copper Valley Development Association</b>	P.O. Box 9 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5001 822-5009	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
<b>Gulkana Village</b>	P.O. Box 254 Gulkanan, AK 99586	822-3746 822-3976	<a href="http://www.gulkanacouncil.org">www.gulkanacouncil.org</a> <a href="mailto:admin@gulkanacouncil.org">admin@gulkanacouncil.org</a>

**TRANSPORTATION**

<b>Accessibility</b>	The Richardson Highway passes close by the village and is maintained year-round.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A state-owned 5,001-foot by 100-foot paved runway is available at the Gulkana Airport.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Copper Valley Air (822-4200 or 1-866-570-4200)
<b>Freight</b>	Not identified
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	None

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<b>Telephone</b>	Copper Valley Telecom provides both local and long-distance services (822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a> )	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Wireless and Internet</b>	Copper Valley Telecom: 822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a>	
<b>TV Stations</b>	Satellite	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KCAM-AM; KCHU-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None identified	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Glennallen Legislative Information Office; Prince William Sound Community College located at Mile 188 Glenn Highway (822-3673)	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Copper Valley Electric Association	
<b>Fuel</b>	Jet A, Jet B, 100LL, heating oil, gasoline, diesel	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	Gulkana Fuel, Inc. have 2,200-gallon and 5,000-gallon capacity fuel trucks for jet fuel deliveries, 2,800-gallon capacity truck for heating oil deliveries, and 12,500-gallon capacity FlameShield storage tank for high-flow Jet A and heating oil pump.	
<b>Housing</b>	Sourdough Campground	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is currently derived from a well, is treated and stored in a 100,000-gal. tank. Due to iron and magnesium levels, a new infiltration gallery on the Gulkana River and water treatment improvements are under construction. A piped water and sewer system serves most homes. A community septic tank treats wastewater. Individual wells and septic tanks are also used by a number of residences. A Master Plan is underway to examine connection of all homes to a new system. Permafrost and high water tables are problematic in this region.	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	Refuse collection services are available from Copper Basin Sanitation Company, which hauls waste to the Glennallen Regional Landfill. ADEC Landfill Classification is Class II and the permit number is SW2A009-15. The landfill permit expiration date is March 1, 2015.	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	None identified
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	None identified
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

**KENNY LAKE COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Kenny Lake lies off of the Richardson Highway, between mile 1 and 17 on the Edgerton Highway, and between mile 1 and 8 of the Old Edgerton Highway. It is along the preferred route into the Wrangell-St. Elias National Park. It lies at approximately 61.68361° N Latitude and -144.85234° W Longitude. (Sec. 31, T001S, R003E, Copper River Meridian.) Kenny Lake is located in the Chitina Recording District. Kenny Lake lies in the continental climate zone, with long, cold winters, and relatively warm summers. Temperature extremes range from -58 to 91° F. Snowfall averages 52 inches, with total precipitation of 12 inches per year.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The Ahtna people have occupied the region historically. The area was settled in the 1960s by a number of homesteaders due to the rich fertile soil and agricultural potential. However, a number of homesteaders cleared 20 acres of land, built a cabin and lived there for 6 months of every year for five years as required to obtain ownership, then subdivided and sold the property. There are still four original homesteaders farming their land. Until the 1970s the Old Edgerton Highway was the only road into Kenny Lake. Kenny Lake is an agricultural community. The Kenny Lake Community League organizes activities, is an advocate for local concerns, and administers state grants.
<b>Economy</b>	The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 8.17% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The 2010 U.S. Census data also shows there were 258 total housing units, and 113 were vacant, of which 70 of these units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$63,438, per capita income was \$28,665 and 13.19% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Agricultural crops such as hay and vegetables are grown locally, and cattle are raised as well. A school, sawmill and lumber business, a fur farm, a feed and seed supplier, a glass company and a construction company are located in Kenny Lake. Horse backpacking trips are available for visitors.
<b>Population</b>	None identified
<b>Borough Located In</b>	355 (2010 U.S. Census)
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unorganized
<b>Native Entities</b>	Unincorporated
	Copper River Native Association (Native Non-Profit: Regional)

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>Police</b>	None
<b>VPSO</b>	Handled through the Copper River Native Association (822-4454)
<b>State Troopers</b>	Serviced through the Glennallen Post (822-3263)
<b>Fire</b>	Kenny Lake Volunteer Fire Department (822-5202)
<b>Medical</b>	Kenny Lake does not have a health clinic. Health care is provided by Copper River EMS Council (822-3671) and Copper Center Clinic.

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<b>Copper River Native Association</b>	Mile 104 Old Richardson Hwy P.O. Box H Copper Center, AK 99573	822-5241 822-8803 (fax)	<a href="http://www.cnative.org">www.cnative.org</a>
<b>Copper Valley Development Association</b>	P.O. Box 9 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5001 822-5009 (fax)	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
<b>The Kenny Lake Community League</b>	P.O. Box 231 Copper Center, AK 99573	822-3313/5315	Community Non-profit

**TRANSPORTATION**

<b>Accessibility</b>	From the Edgerton Highway, Kenny Lake has access to the entire state road system.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	No airport facilities. Landing strips are available nearby for general aviation.
<b>Airline Services</b>	None
<b>Freight</b>	None identified
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	None identified

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>	
<b>Telephone</b>	Copper Valley Telecom provides both local and long-distance services (822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a> )
<b>Wireless and Internet</b>	Copper Valley Telecom: 822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a>
<b>TV Stations</b>	Satellite
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KCAM-AM; KCHU-AM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None identified
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Glennallen Legislative Information Office; Prince William Sound Community College located at Mile 188 Glenn Highway (822-3673)
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by Copper Valley Electric Association.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	None identified
<b>Housing</b>	Kenny Lake Mercantile, Diner & Hotel; Copper Moose B&B; Wellwood Center Bed and Breakfast; Golden Spruce Cabins; Kenny lake Chalet
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Most residents and businesses haul water from one of two community wells, located at Mile 5 of the Edgerton Highway, or have water delivered by truck from Glennallen. There are a few successful private wells. The schools use their own well water systems. The majority of the occupied households use individual septic tank systems and are fully plumbed.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	Refuse collection services are available from Copper Basin Sanitation Company, which hauls waste to the Glennallen Regional Landfill. ADEC Landfill Classification is Class II and the permit number is SW2A009-15. The landfill permit expiration date is March 1, 2015.

COMMUNICATIONS

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Kenny Lake Community Hall; Kenny Lake School
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	None identified
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified



**McCARTHY COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	McCarthy lies 61 miles east of Chitina off the Edgerton Highway. It is on the Kennicott River at the mouth of McCarthy Creek, 12 miles northeast of the junction of the Nizina and Chitina Rivers, in the heart of the Wrangell-St. Elias National Park and Preserve. It lies at approximately 61.43333° North Latitude and -142.92167° West Longitude. (Sec. 16, T005S, R014E, Copper River Meridian.) McCarthy is located in the Chitina Recording District. It is located in the continental climate zone. Temperature extremes range from -58 to 91. Snowfall averages 52 inches, with total precipitation of 12 inches per year.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The Kennecott copper mines and camp were established about 1908 across from the Kennicott Glacier, 4.5 miles up the mountain from McCarthy. An early misspelling named the mine and mining company Kennecott, while the town, river and glacier are spelled Kennicott. In 1911, the Copper River & Northwestern Railway carried its first car load of ore from Kennecott to Cordova. Since no gambling or drinking were allowed at the town of Kennicott, nearby McCarthy developed as a colorful diversion for the miners. It provided a newspaper, stores, hotels, restaurants, saloons, a red light district, housing over 800 residents. Kennicott became a company town with homes, a school, hospital, gym, tennis court and silent movie theater. Over its 30-year operation, \$200 million in ore was extracted from Kennecott, the richest concentration of copper ore known in the world. In 1938, the mines closed and both towns were abandoned.
<b>Economy</b>	Zero percent of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The old mine buildings, artifacts, and colorful history attract visitors during the summer months. The area ranks as one of the nation's most endangered landmarks by the National Trust for Historic Preservation. Emergency stabilization of the old buildings has been required, and future work will be necessary. During the 2010 U.S. Census, there were 74 total housing units, and 54 were vacant. 53 of these vacant housing units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$145,069, per capita income was \$37,592, and 0% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Employment is limited and seasonal. Local businesses include lodges, a museum, a small store, gift shop, and guide services.
<b>Population</b>	Unknown
<b>Borough Located In</b>	28 (2010 Census)
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unorganized
<b>Native Entities</b>	Unincorporated
	Not applicable

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>Medical</b>	No clinic in McCarthy. Alternate health care provided by Chitina Health Clinic or Copper Center Clinic.
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**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>McCarthy Area Council</b>	P.O. Box MXY Glennallen, AK 99588	554-4511	
<b>Alaska Regional Development Organization</b>	P.O. Box 9 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5001 822-5009 (fax)	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
<b>Wrangell-St.Elias News</b>	McCarthy #42 P.O. Box MXY Glennallen, AK 99588	554-4454 554-4494 (fax)	<a href="http://www.wsen.net/wsen">www.wsen.net/wsen</a>

**TRANSPORTATION**

<b>Accessibility</b>	McCarthy is accessible from the Richardson via Edgerton Highways. The 58-mile McCarthy Road starts in Chitina and continues into the Wrangell-St. Elias Park. A footbridge is used to cross the Kennicott River.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	There are two gravel airstrips in the vicinity. A private airstrip airstrip is 2,000' long by 35' wide; the state-owned gravel airstrip is 3,500' long by 60' wide. DOT performs irregular winter maintenance of the McCarthy airport.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Wrangell Mountain Air

**TRANSPORTATION**

<b>Freight</b>	None identified
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	No information

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<b>Telephone</b>	<b>In-State Phone:</b> Copper Valley Telephone Cooperative	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
	<b>Long-Distance phone:</b> AT&T	
<b>Wireless and Internet</b>	None	
<b>TV Stations</b>	None	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KXKM-FM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	None	
<b>Electricity</b>	Provided by individual generators	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	None identified	
<b>Housing</b>	McCarthy Lodge (333-5402); McCarthy Road Farm & Rides; Fireweed Mountain Lodge; Kennicott Glacier Lodge (258-2350)	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Water is drawn by hand from a clear water spring. Outhouses are prevalent, although a few septic systems are in use.	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>		

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	None identified
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	None identified
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

**MENTASTA LAKE COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<i>Location and Climate</i>	Mentasta Lake is located 6 miles off the Tok-Slana Cutoff of the Glenn Highway on the west side of Mentasta Pass, 38 miles southwest of Tok Junction. The community lies at approximately 62.931550° North Latitude and -143.792730° West Longitude. (Sec. 07, T013N, R009E, Copper River Meridian.) Mentasta Lake is located in the Chitina Recording District. Mentasta Lake is located in the continental climate zone, with long, cold winters and relatively warm summers. Temperature extremes range from -57° to 93° F. Average annual snowfall is 69 inches, with a total of 16 inches of precipitation per year.
<i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i>	The area is reported to have been the best-known route of Native immigration across the Alaska Range. Early village settlements have been located at various sites around the lake. The families that presently reside in Mentasta Lake comes from Nabesna, Suslota, Slana, and other villages within the area. The U.S. Army Signal Corps established a telegraph station at Mentasta Pass in 1902. A post office was established at the village in 1947 but was discontinued in 1951. The community is primarily Athabascan, and subsistence activities are important.
<i>Economy</i>	A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community – the Mentasta Traditional Council. The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 75.89% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The 2010 U.S. Census data also shows there were 90 total housing units, and 44 were vacant, of which 26 of these units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$23,333, per capita income was \$10,349 and 48.10% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<i>Subsistence Population</i>	Subsistence hunting, fishing, trapping, and gathering make up much of Mentasta Lake’s economy. Cash employment is limited and seasonal.
<i>Borough Located In</i>	None identified
<i>Incorporation Type</i>	112 (2010 U.S. Census)
<i>Native Entities</i>	Unorganized
	Unincorporated
	<b>Regional:</b> Ahtna, Incorporated
	<b>Village:</b> Mentasta Traditional Council (Federally-recognized Tribe)

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<i>VPSO</i>	Handled through the Copper River Native Association (822-4454)
<i>State Troopers</i>	Serviced through the Glennallen Post (822-3263)
<i>Fire</i>	Mentasta Lake Volunteer Fire Department (291-2319)
<i>Medical</i>	Local hospitals or health clinics include Mentasta Lake Health Clinic (291-2320). Emergency Services include highway air and lake access. Emergency service is provided by volunteers and a health aide. Auxiliary health care is provided by Mentasta Rescue Squad (883-5111/291-2312).

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Ahtna, Incorporated</i>	P.O. Box 649	822-3476	<a href="http://www.ahtna-inc.com">www.ahtna-inc.com</a>
	Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3495 (fax)	
<i>Alaska Power and Telephone Company</i>	P.O. Box 3222	1-800-982-0136	<a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a>
	Port Townsend, WA 98368	(360) 385-5177 (fax)	
<i>Copper River Basin Regional Housing Authority</i>	P.O. Box 89	822-3633	<a href="http://www.crbrrha.org">www.crbrrha.org</a>
	Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3662 (fax)	
<i>Copper River Native Association</i>	Mile 104 Old Richardson	822-5241	<a href="http://www.crnative.org">www.crnative.org</a>
	P.O. Box H	822-8803 (fax)	
	Copper Center, AK 99573		
<i>Copper Valley Development Association</i>	P.O. Box 9	822-5001	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
	Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5009	
<i>Mentasta Traditional Council</i>	P.O. Box 6019	291-2319	<a href="mailto:mentastatraditionalcouncil@yahoo.com">mentastatraditionalcouncil@yahoo.com</a>
	Mentasta Lake, AK 99780	291-2305 (fax)	
<i>Mt. Sanford Tribal Consortium</i>	P.O. Box 357	822-5399	<a href="http://www.mstc.org">www.mstc.org</a>
	Gakona, AK 99586	822-5810 (fax)	

**TRANSPORTATION**

<b>Accessibility</b>	Mentasta Lake is connected to the Tok Cutoff to the Glenn Highway by a six-mile spur road.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	There is a small airstrip at Mentasta Lodge.
<b>Airline Services</b>	None identified
<b>Freight</b>	None identified
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	None

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<b>Telephone</b>	Copper Valley Telecom provides both local and long-distance services (822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a> )	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Wireless and Internet</b>	Copper Valley Telecom: 822-3551 / <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a>	
<b>TV Stations</b>	Satellite	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KCAM-AM; KCHU-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None identified	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Glennallen Legislative Information Office; Prince William Sound Community College located at Mile 188 Glenn Highway (822-3673)	
<b>Electricity</b>	Alaska Power and Telephone Company (1-800-982-0136 / <a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a> )	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	Unknown	
<b>Housing</b>	Mentasta Lodge	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Almost half of homes have individual wells and septic tanks and are fully plumbed. Treated well water is available from the washeteria, and privies are used by most residents.	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	None identified	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Mentasta Lake School
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	None identified
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

**NORTHWAY COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<i>Location and Climate</i>	Northway is located on the east bank of Nabesna Slough, 50 miles southeast of Tok. It lies off the Alaska Highway on a 9-mile spur road, adjacent to the Northway airport. It is 42 miles from the Canadian border in the Tetlin National Wildlife Refuge. Northway presently consists of three dispersed settlements: Northway Junction, at milepost 1264, Northway, at the airport, and the Native village, 2 miles north. It lies at approximately 62.96167° North Latitude and -141.9372° West Longitude. (Sec. 26, T014N, R018E, Copper River Meridian.) Northway is located in the Fairbanks Recording District. Northway lies in the Continental climate zone, with long, cold winters and relatively warm summers. Temperatures range from -27 to 70. The average low temperature in January is -27; the average high during July is 69. Extreme temperatures have been recorded from -72 to 91. Average precipitation is 10 inches per year; snowfall is 30 inches annually.
<i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i>	The area around Northway was first utilized by semi-nomadic Athabascans who pursued seasonal subsistence activities in the vicinity of Scottie and Gardiner Creeks and Chisana, Nabesna, and Tanana Rivers. The Native settlement of Northway Village is located 2 miles south of Northway. The Native village was named in 1942 after Chief Walter Northway, who adopted his name from a Tanana and Nabesna riverboat captain. The development and settlement of Northway was due to construction of the airport during World War II. The Northway airport was a link in the Northwest Staging Route, a cooperative project between the U.S. and Canada. A chain of air bases through Canada to Fairbanks were used to supply an Alaska defense during World War II, and during the construction of the Alcan Highway. A post office was first established in 1941.  77.92% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native. The area was traditionally Athabascan, though road construction and the airport have brought a permanent non-Native population. During the 2010 U.S. Census, there were 38 total housing units, and 11 were vacant. 4 of these vacant housing units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$85,750, per capita income was \$30,402, and 9.32% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<i>Economy</i>	Most wage employment is with local government or services for the airport. A grocery store provides some employment. Firefighting, construction, maintenance, social work, and trapping also income. Subsistence is important to the Native population.
<i>Population</i>	71 (2010 Census)
<i>Borough Located In</i>	Unorganized
<i>Incorporation Type</i>	Unincorporated
<i>Native Entities</i>	<b>Federally Recognized Tribe:</b> Northway Village

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<i>State Troopers</i>	State Trooper Post (778-2245)
<i>Fire</i>	Northway Village Fire Department (778-2211)
<i>Medical</i>	Northway Clinic (778-2283)

**ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Doyon, Limited</i>	1 Doyon Place, Suite 300 Fairbanks, AK 99701	459-2000	<a href="http://www.doyon.com">www.doyon.com</a> / <a href="mailto:info@doyon.com">info@doyon.com</a>
<i>Interior Regional Housing Authority</i>	828 27 <sup>th</sup> Ave AK, Fairbanks 99701	452-8315	<a href="http://www.irha.org">www.irha.org</a>
<i>Northway Village</i>	PO BOX 516 Northway, AK 99764	778-2311	<a href="mailto:Alaskabee40@yahoo.com">Alaskabee40@yahoo.com</a>
<i>Tanana Chiefs Conference</i>	122 First Ave, Suite 600 Fairbanks, AK 99701	452-8251	<a href="http://www.tananachiefs.org">www.tananachiefs.org</a>
<i>Tanana Chiefs Conference, Dept. of Health Services</i>	201 First Avenue, Suite 300 Fairbanks, AK 99701	452-8251	<a href="http://www.tananachiefs.org/health-services/">www.tananachiefs.org/health-services/</a>

**TRANSPORTATION**

<b>Accessibility</b>	Connected to the Alaska Highway by an unpaved road. Scheduled buses are available.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A state owned 5,100' long by 100' wide asphalt-gravel runway. Charter services available to Tok.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Information not available.
<b>Freight</b>	Trucking services deliver freight to the community.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	Not applicable

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<b>Telephone</b>	ACS (Local & long distance; no cell phone service)	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<b>Wireless and Internet</b>	<b>Alaska Power and Telephone Company:</b> 800-982-0136 / <a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a>	
<b>Service Provider</b>		
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS	
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KCAM-AM	
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Tok Legislative Information Office	
<b>Electricity</b>	<b>Alaska Power and Telephone Company:</b> 800-982-0136 / <a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a> / diesel generator Power plant operator (907-778-2241)	
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline and diesel.	
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	<b>Tank Owner:</b> Alaska DOT / <b>Tank Capacity:</b> 99,000 gallons <b>Tank Owner:</b> Northway Power Plant / <b>Tank Capacity:</b> 13,500 gallons	
<b>Housing</b>	No lodging.	
<b>Water and Sewage</b>	<b>Alaska Gateway School District &amp; Northway Traditional Council:</b> Haul water and pump sewer to all homes and facilities.	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	An ADEC permitted, Class 3 landfill is operated by Northway Village Council. Grocery store run by Naabia Niigen, LTD. Washeteria run by Northway Council (907-778-2241).	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	<b>Northway Community Center:</b> No current internet, but could be installed upon request; 100 person capacity (907-590-0299); Walter Northway School (Alaska Gateway School District; 907-883-5151)
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	None identified.
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified. The community has privately owned backhoes, bulldozers, and skiffs with outboard motors.

**PAXSON COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Paxson lies on Paxson Lake, at mile 185 of the Richardson Highway, at its intersection with the Denali Highway. It is south of Delta Junction and 62 miles north of Gulkana. It lies at approximately 63.03333° North Latitude and -145.49167° West Longitude. (Sec. 05, T022S, R012E, Fairbanks Meridian.) Paxson is located in the Chitina Recording District. Interior Alaska experiences seasonal temperature extremes. January temperatures average from -22 to -2; July temperatures average 50 to 72. Annual precipitation is 11.3 inches.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	More than 400 archeological sites indicate that this area has been inhabited for at least 10,000 years. In 1906 Alvin Paxson established the Timberline Roadhouse at mile 192, which consisted of a small cabin for a kitchen and two tents for bunkhouses. His cook, Charles Meier, later started Meier’s Roadhouse at mile 174. Paxson then built a two-story roadhouse at mile 191. He later added a barn with a drying room, pump and sleeping quarters, two rooms and a bath. A post office, store, wood house and small ice room followed. The Denali Highway was built in the 1950s from Paxson to Cantwell and the Denali National Park. The 160-mile gravel road was the only access into the park prior to construction of the George Parks Highway. The Denali Highway also provides access to the Tangle Lakes Recreation Area, Summit Lake, and the largest active gold mine in Alaska.
<b>Economy</b>	Zero percent of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The primary residents of Paxson are State highway maintenance personnel and their families. There is no local school. It is a non-Native community. During the 2010 U.S. Census, there were 179 total housing units, and 157 were vacant. 156 of these vacant housing units are used only seasonally. The per capita income was \$38,100 and none of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Subsistence</b>	There are five lodges with restaurants and bars in the area, several gift shops, a post office, gas station, grocery store and bunk house. This area has been a testing site for snowmachine companies for the past several years. Most income is generated during the summer months. One resident holds a commercial fishing permit. Hunting and other subsistence activities contribute to their livelihoods.
<b>Population</b>	Unknown
<b>Borough Located In</b>	40 (2010 Census)
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unorganized
<b>Native Entities</b>	Unincorporated
	Not applicable

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>Medical</b>	No clinic within Paxson. Alternate health care provided by Copper River EMS (822-3671); Delta Junction Health Clinic or Gulkana Clinic.
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**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Copper Valley Development Association</i>	P.O. Box 9	822-5001	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
<i>Paxson Community Affairs</i>	Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5009 (fax)	
	HC2 Box 7275	822-3603	
	Gakona, AK 99586		

**TRANSPORTATION**

<b>Accessibility</b>	The Richardson Highway provides access to Anchorage or Fairbanks. The Denali Highway provides summer access to Cantwell and the Denali Park.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	Paxson Lodge owns and maintains a 2,800’ gravel airstrip, and float planes can land at Summit Lake.
<b>Airline Services</b>	None
<b>Freight</b>	No information
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	No information

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>	
<b>Telephone</b>	In-State Phone: Copper Valley Telephone Cooperative Long-Distance Phone: AT&T
<b>Wireless and Internet</b>	None
<b>TV Stations</b>	ARCS
<b>Radio Stations</b>	KIAK-FM
<b>Cable Provider</b>	None
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Glennallen Legislative Information Office
<b>Electricity</b>	Private generators are used for electricity.
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	None identified
<b>Housing</b>	Paxson Inn & Lodge; Maclaren River Lodge; Tangle River Inn; The Waters Edge
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	Individual wells and septic tanks are used by residents, and public water sources are available for hauling. Over half of all homes are completely plumbed.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	Garbage collection is provided monthly by Copper Basin Sanitation, then hauled to the Glennallen landfill. A large number of homes in this area are only used seasonally. Funds have recently been provided to develop residential telephone service.

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<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	None identified
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	None identified
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified



**TANACROSS COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<i>Location and Climate</i>	Tanacross is located on the south bank of the Tanana River, 12 miles northwest of Tok, off of the Alaska Highway. It lies at approximately 63.38528° North Latitude and - 143.34639° West Longitude. (Sec. 32, T019N, R011E, Copper River Meridian.) Tanacross is located in the Fairbanks Recording District. Tanacross lies within the continental climatic zone, with cold winters and warm summers. In the winter, cold air settles in the valley and ice fog and smoke are common. The average low during January is -22; the average high during July is 65. Extreme temperatures have been measured from -75 to 90.
<i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i>	Residents are Tanah, or Tinneh, Athabascan Indians. Most villagers relocated from Mansfield Village, Kechumstuk and Last Tetlin in 1912 when Bishop Rowe established St. Timothy’s Episcopal Mission. The village was originally located on the north side of the Tanana River, and was called “Tanana Crossing.” It is located where the Eagle Trail crossed the Tanana River. A trading post opened near the mission in 1912, and the St. Timothy’s post office opened in 1920. More Natives moved from Mansfield when a formal school opened in 1932, although classes had been held at the mission. The name was eventually shortened to Tanacross. In the mid-1930s, an airfield was built across the river from the village. In 1941, the village gave the military permission to use its airfield as an emergency deployment post during World War II. The airfield was paved in 1942, and temporary camps were established. Thousands of troops were deployed through Tanacross airfield during the War. People of the village served as volunteer scouts and backup support for the army. After the war, the airfield was closed. In 1972, the village relocated from the north bank of the Tanana River to the south bank, due to water contamination. In 1979, the old village site burned when a grass fire spread out of control.
<i>Economy</i>	A federally recognized tribe is located in the community, the Native Village of Tanacross. 80.15% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. Tanacross is a traditional Athabascan village with a subsistence lifestyle. The possession of alcohol is banned in the community. During the 2010 U.S. Census, there were 73 total housing units, and 20 were vacant. The median household income was \$36,875, per capita income was \$13,039 and 9.27% of residents were living below the poverty level. Many residents are able to work during the summer as emergency fire fighters for the BLM. Some people engage in trapping or in making Native handicrafts to sell. Nearly every family depends on subsistence activities for food. Whitefish, moose, porcupine, rabbit, ptarmigan, ducks and geese are utilized. Caribou may be hunted by lottery permit. Some travel to Copper River for salmon each summer. Employment at the washeteria and clinic is provided by the tribe. They have formed two profit making corporations, Orh Htaad Global Services and Dihthaad Construction, to employ members of their tribe.
<i>Subsistence Population</i>	Unknown
<i>Borough Located In</i>	136 (2010 Census)
<i>Incorporation Type</i>	Unincorporated
<i>Native Entities</i>	Unorganized
	<b>Regional:</b> Doyon, Ltd.
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> Tanana Chiefs Conference
	<b>Profit:</b> Tanacross Incorporated (Village Corporation)
	<b>Village:</b> Native Village of Tanacross (Federally-recognized Tribe)

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<i>Fire</i>	Tanacross Volunteer Fire Department
<i>Medical</i>	Tanacross Health Clinic (883-4131). Alternate health care can be obtained in Tok or Fairbanks.

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Alaska Power and Telephone Company</i>	P.O. Box 3222	1-800-982-0136	<a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a>
	Port Townsend, WA 98368	360-385-5177 (fax)	

<b>LOCAL CONTACTS &amp; REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES</b>			
<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<i>Doyon, Limited</i>	1 Doyon, Limited Fairbanks, AK 99701-2941	459-2000 459-2060 (fax)	<a href="http://www.doyon.com">www.doyon.com</a> / <a href="mailto:info@doyon.com">info@doyon.com</a>
<i>Interior Regional Housing Authority</i>	828 27 <sup>th</sup> Ave Fairbanks, AK 99701	452-8315 456-8941 (fax)	<a href="http://www.irha.org">www.irha.org</a>
<i>Native Village of Tanacross</i>	P.O. Box 76009 Tanacross, AK 99776	883-4008 883-5815 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tanacrossvillagecouncil@yahoo.com">tanacrossvillagecouncil@yahoo.com</a>
<i>Tanacross Incorporated</i>	P.O. Box 76029 Tanacross, AK 99776	883-4130 883-4129 (fax)	<a href="http://www.tanacrossinc.com">www.tanacrossinc.com</a>
<i>Tanana Chiefs Conference</i>	122 First Ave, Suite 600 Fairbanks, AK 99701	452-8251 459-3851 (fax)	<a href="http://www.tananachiefs.org">www.tananachiefs.org</a>

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<i>Accessibility</i>	Tanacross is a mile north of the Alaska Highway. Regular bus services are available out of Tok.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	A 5,100-foot paved runway provides regular flights to Fairbanks. It is owned by the U.S. Bureau of Land Management.
<i>Airline Services</i>	Unknown
<i>Freight</i>	Unknown
<i>Vessel Support:</i>	Unknown

<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>		<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Telephone</i>	Alaska Telephone Company/AP&T	
<i>Wireless and Internet</i>	School Only - GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> )	
<i>TV Stations</i>	None	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	None	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	None	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Tok Legislative Information Office	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Alaska Power Company	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	None identified	
<i>Housing</i>	None identified	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	Piped services have been available in Tanacross since 1976. Water is treated, stored in a 25,000-gallon tank, and piped to most homes. Some residents have individual wells. A piped sewage and septic system serve approximately half of the community; individual septic tanks are also used. Funds have been requested to replace seven failing individual septic tanks with a piped central septic system.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	The landfill is not permitted.	

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<i>Potential Command Posts</i>	There is a community hall and one school (Tanacross School)
<i>Potential Staging Areas</i>	None identified
<i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i>	None identified

**TATITLEK COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Tatitlek is located on the northeast shore of Tatitlek Narrows, on the Alaska Mainland in Prince William Sound. It lies 30 miles east of Valdez by sea near Bligh Island, and 30 air miles northwest of Cordova. It lies at approximately 60.86472° North Latitude and -146.67861° West Longitude. (Sec. 32, T011S, R008W, Copper River Meridian.) Tatitlek is located in the Valdez Recording District. Winter temperatures range from 17 to 28; summers average 49 to 63. Annual precipitation includes 28 inches of rain and 150 inches of snowfall.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	It is an Alutiiq village first reported in the 1880 U.S. Census as "Tatikhlele," with a population of 73. The present spelling was published in 1910 by the U.S. Geological Survey, who wrote that the village originally stood at the head of Gladhaugh Bay, but was moved to its present site in the shadow of Copper Mountain around 1900. A post office was established in 1946. Many residents of Chenega moved to Tatitlek following its destruction by tsunami after the 1964 Good Friday earthquake. The dominant feature in the village is the blue-domed Russian Orthodox Church. Tatitlek is a coastal Alutiiq village with a fishing- and subsistence-based culture. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.  A federally recognized tribe is located in the community -- the Native Village of Tatitlek. The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 60.23% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The 2010 U.S. Census data also shows there were 75 total housing units, and 39 were vacant, of which 29 of these units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$29,464, per capita income was \$17,381 and 17.02% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Economy</b>	Fish processing and oyster farming provide some employment in Tatitlek. Four residents hold commercial fishing permits. Subsistence activities provide the majority of food items. A coho salmon hatchery at Boulder Bay is nearing completion for subsistence use. A fish and game processing facility is under construction. A small community store has recently opened.
<b>Subsistence</b>	Residents of Tatitlek hunt and fish for the following food sources in and around Prince William Sound. Salmon, halibut, deer, waterfowl, seal, sea lions, herring/spawn, bear, oysters/clams, octopus and berries.
<b>Population</b>	88 (2010 U.S. Census)
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Unorganized
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	Unincorporated
<b>Native Entities</b>	<b>Regional:</b> Chugach Alaska Corporation <b>Profit:</b> Tatitlek Corporation <b>Nonprofit:</b> Chugachmiut <b>Village:</b> Native Village of Tatitlek (Federally-recognized Tribe)

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>Police</b>	None
<b>VPSO</b>	441-5541
<b>State Troopers</b>	None identified
<b>Fire</b>	Serviced through Valdez (835-3734)
<b>Medical</b>	Local hospitals or health clinics include Tatitlek Health Clinic (325-2235). Auxiliary health care is provided by Tatitlek EMS (325-2235/2301/2313).

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>Chugach Alaska Corporation</b>	3800 Centerpoint Drive, Ste. 700	561-2668 562-5258 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chugach-ak.com">www.chugach-ak.com</a>
<b>Chugachmiut</b>	1840 Bragaw Street, Ste. 110 Anchorage, AK 99508	562-4155 563-2891 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chugachmiut.org">www.chugachmiut.org</a>
<b>Native Village of Tatitlek</b>	P.O. Box 171 Tatitlek, AK 99677	325-2311 325-2298 (fax)	
<b>North Pacific Rim Housing Authority</b>	8300 King Street Anchorage, AK 99518	562-1444 562-1445 (fax)	<a href="http://www.nprha-ak.org/index.htm">www.nprha-ak.org/index.htm</a>

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<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<i>PWS Economic Development District</i>	2207 Spenard Road, Suite 207 Anchorage, AK 99503	222-2440 222-2411 (fax)	<a href="http://www.pwsedd.org">www.pwsedd.org</a>
<i>Tatitlek Electric Utility</i>	P.O. Box 171 Tatitlek, AK 99677	325-2311 325-2298 (fax)	
<i>The Tatitlek Corporation</i>	561 E 36 <sup>th</sup> Ave Anchorage, AK 99503	278-4000 278-4050 (fax)	<a href="http://www.tatitlek.com">www.tatitlek.com</a>

**TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	Tatitlek is accessible by plane (float or wheel) or boat. The Alaska State Ferry stops in the village on request ( <a href="http://www.alaskaferry.com">www.alaskaferry.com</a> ).
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	Tatitlek has a state-owned 3,701-foot long by 75-foot wide lighted gravel airstrip and a seaplane landing area; air charters are available from Valdez and Cordova. Boats are the primary means of local transportation. In 1996, the Alaska Marine Highway began "whistle stop" service.
<i>Airline Services</i>	There is no regularly scheduled flights in or out of the Village of Tatitlek. Commercial flights are available from Anchorage-Valdez-Anchorage on ERA Aviation (248-4422 / <a href="http://www.era-aviation.com">www.era-aviation.com</a> ) and then charter to Tatitlek.  From Anchorage: Alaska Air Transit (276-5422) From Cordova: Cordova Air (424-3289)
<i>Freight</i>	None identified
<i>Vessel Support</i>	Dock

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone</i>	Copper Valley Telephone Cooperative (835-2231)	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Wireless and Internet</i>	GCI (1-800-800-4800)	
<i>TV Stations</i>	ARCS	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	KCHU-AM; KVAK-AM	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	GCI	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Valdez Legislative Information Office	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Tatitlek Electric Utility.	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	School (20,000 gals.); Village Council (2 @ 12,000); ADOT (3,000)	
<i>Housing</i>	Village Council apartment	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	A dam provides water, which is treated and stored in a 170,000-gallon tank. A piped water and sewer system serves all 34 homes. The piped community septic tank system discharges via an ocean outfall. The village has received funds to expand the water storage capacity and treatment due to recent water shortages, and for solid waste improvements.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	An oil and hazardous waste recycling center was completed in 1998.	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<i>Potential Command Posts</i>	Youth Teen Center, Tatitlek Community Center
<i>Potential Staging Areas</i>	None identified
<i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i>	USCG spill response conex.  Emergency response equipment owned by SERVS is located near the deep-water dock in the village (con-x's containing boom, skimmers etc.) The fishing vessel administrator in the community is responsible for deployment of this equipment in a crisis. The fishing vessel administrator lives in the community year around.

**TAZLINA COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Tazlina is located 5 miles south of Glennallen on the Richardson Highway, at mile 110.5. It is comprised of several small residential subdivisions and a business district. Copperville, Aspen Valley, Tazlina Terrace and Copper Valley School Road are all part of this area. It lies at approximately 62.05079° North Latitude and -145.43588° West Longitude. (Sec. 21, T003N, R001W, Copper River Meridian.) Tazlina is located in the Chitina Recording District. Tazlina is located in the continental climate zone, with long, cold winters, and relatively warm summers. Temperature extremes range from -74 to 96. Snowfall averages 39 inches, with total annual precipitation of 9 inches.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	The village reportedly was a fishing camp of the Ahtna Indian tribes who historically moved up and down the Copper River and its tributaries. Tazlina is Athabascan for "swift water." By 1900 a permanent village had been established on the north and south banks off the Tazlina River near its confluence with the Copper River. During the pipeline era, Tazlina developed around the old Copper Valley School, built to board students from all over the state. It closed in 1971, when local high schools were constructed in the remote areas of the state and boarding schools were discontinued.
<b>Economy</b>	A federally recognized tribe is located in the community -- the Native Village of Tazlina. The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 33.67% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The 2010 U.S. Census data also shows there were 165 total housing units, and 54 were vacant, of which 25 of these units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$63,667, per capita income was \$33,618 and 11.71% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Subsistence Population</b>	Construction, retail, and office work activities are the focus of the economy. One resident holds commercial fishing permit. The school, health clinic, and tribal council provide some employment.
<b>Borough Located In</b>	Some residents depend on subsistence hunting and fishing.
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	297 (2010 U.S. Census)
<b>Native Entities</b>	Unorganized Unincorporated <b>Regional:</b> Ahtna, Incorporated <b>Nonprofit:</b> Copper River Native Association <b>Village:</b> Native Village of Tazlina (Federally-recognized Tribe)

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>VPSO</b>	Copper River VPSO Headquarter (822-5242 or 822-8878) <a href="mailto:jfpepper@crnative.org">jfpepper@crnative.org</a>
<b>Fire</b>	Copper River VPSO Headquarter (822-5242 or 822-8878) <a href="mailto:jfpepper@crnative.org">jfpepper@crnative.org</a>
<b>Medical</b>	Tazlina Health Clinic (822-4385)

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Ahtna, Inc.</i>	PO Box 649 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3476 822-3495 (fax)	<a href="http://www.ahtna.com">www.ahtna.com</a>
<i>Copper River Native Association</i>	Mile 104 Richardson Hwy P.O. Box H Copper Center, AK 99573	822-5241 822-8803 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crnative.org">www.crnative.org</a>
<i>Native Village of Tazlina</i>	P.O. Box 87 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-4375 822-5865 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tazlina@cvinternet.net">tazlina@cvinternet.net</a>
<i>Copper Valley Development Association</i>	PO Box 9 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-5001 822-5009 (fax)	<a href="http://www.coppervalley.org">www.coppervalley.org</a>
<i>Copper River Basin Regional Housing Authority</i>	PO Box 89 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3633 822-3662 (fax)	<a href="http://www.crbaha.org">www.crbaha.org</a>
<i>The Association of Tazlina Residents</i>	PO Box 532 Glennallen, AK 99588	259-4112	

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Located on the Richardson Highway.
<b>Airport Facilities</b>	A 1,200-foot long by 40-foot wide gravel runway and float plane landing area are available.
<b>Airline Services</b>	Information not available.
<b>Freight</b>	Information not available.
<b>Vessel Support:</b>	Not applicable
<b>FACILITIES &amp; UTILITIES</b>	
<b>Telephone</b>	AT&T (Long Distance): 1-800-288-2020 / <a href="http://www.att.com">www.att.com</a>
<b>Wireless and Internet</b>	<b>Copper Valley Telecom:</b> 1-800-478-6612 / 822-3551 <a href="http://www.cvinternet.net">www.cvinternet.net</a>
<b>TV Stations</b>	Satellite
<b>Radio Stations</b>	<b>KXGA Public Radio:</b> 835-4665 (office) / 835-4671 (news) / <a href="mailto:news@kchu.org">news@kchu.org</a> / <a href="http://www.kchu.org">www.kchu.org</a>
<b>Cable Provider</b>	
<b>Teleconferencing</b>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Valdez Legislative Information Office
<b>Electricity</b>	<b>Copper River Valley Electric Association, Inc:</b> 822-3211 / <a href="http://www.cvea.org">www.cvea.org</a>
<b>Fuel</b>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane
<b>Fuel Storage</b>	None Identified
<b>Housing</b>	
<b>Water &amp; Sewage</b>	The majority of residents have individual wells and septic systems. Others haul water or have it delivered from Glennallen.
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	Refuse is collected by Copper Basin Sanitation Service Co.
<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>	
<i>(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)</i>	
<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	Contact Native Village of Tazlina for available facilities at 822-4375.
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	None identified
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	None identified

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**TETLIN COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<i>Location and Climate</i>	Tetlin is located along the Tetlin River, between Tetlin Lake and the Tanana River, 20 miles southeast of Tok. It lies in the Tetlin National Wildlife Refuge. The village is not connected by road to the Alaska Highway. It lies at approximately 63.13722° North Latitude and -142.51611° West Longitude. (Sec. 29, T018N, R015E, Copper River Meridian.) Tetlin is located in the Fairbanks Recording District. Tetlin lies within the continental climatic zone, with cold winters and warm summers. In the winter, cold air settles in the valley and ice fog and smoke are common. The average low during January is -32° F; the average high during July is 72° F. Extreme temperatures have been measured from -71° to 99° F.
<i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i>	The semi-nomadic Athabascan Indians have historically lived in this area, moving with the seasons between several hunting and fishing camps. In 1885, Lt. H.T. Allen found small groups of people living in Tetlin and Last Tetlin, to the south. The residents of Last Tetlin had made numerous trips to trading posts on the Yukon River. In 1912, villagers from Tetlin would trade at the Tanana Crossing Trading Post. During the Chisana gold stampede in 1913, a trading post was established across the river from Tetlin. When two trading posts were opened in the village during the 1920s by John Hajdukovich and W.H. Newton, residents from Last Tetlin relocated to Tetlin. A school was constructed in 1929, and a post office was opened in 1932. The 786,000-acre Tetlin Indian Reserve was established in 1930. An airstrip was constructed in 1946. When the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA) was passed in 1971, the reserve was revoked. Tetlin opted for surface and subsurface title to the 743,000 acres of land in the former Reserve. Due to the community's isolation, the residents are able to pursue a traditional Athabascan culture and lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.
<i>Economy</i>	A federally recognized tribe is located in the community - the Native Village of Tetlin. 89.8% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. During the 2010 U.S. Census, there were 43 total housing units, and 19 were vacant. 11 of these vacant housing units are used only seasonally. 41 residents were employed. The unemployment rate at that time was 42.25%. The median household income was \$45,417, per capita income was \$11,789, and 16.67% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<i>Subsistence</i>	The school, health clinic, and tribal council provide most employment. Some residents are also employed seasonally with wildland firefighting.
<i>Population</i>	Residents of Tetlin hunt large game, small game, and waterfowl, trap fur bearing animals, fish for salmon, whitefish, burbot, grayling, suckers, and pike, and pick a variety of berries and plants.
<i>Borough Located In</i>	127 (2010 U.S. Census)
<i>Incorporation Type</i>	Unorganized
<i>Native Entities</i>	Unincorporated
	<b>Corporation:</b> Tetlin Native Corporation (Tok)
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> Tanana Chiefs Conference (Fairbanks)
	<b>Village:</b> Native Village of Tetlin (Federally-recognized Tribe)

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<i>Police</i>	None
<i>VPSO</i>	Tanana Chiefs VPSO HQ (800-478-6822 xt. 3236) <a href="mailto:jody.potts@tananachiefs.org">jody.potts@tananachiefs.org</a>
<i>State Troopers</i>	None
<i>Fire</i>	Tanana Chiefs VPSO HQ (800-478-6822 xt. 3236) <a href="mailto:jody.potts@tananachiefs.org">jody.potts@tananachiefs.org</a>
<i>Medical</i>	Tetlin Health Clinic 324-2151.

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Tetlin Native Corporation</i>	PO Box 657 Tok, AK 99780	347-2741 (general) 883-6652 (office)	<a href="http://www.tetlin-nativecorp.com">www.tetlin-nativecorp.com</a>
<i>Tanana Chiefs Conference</i>	122 First Ave, Suite 600 Fairbanks, AK 99701	452-8251/324-2130 459-3851 (fax)	<a href="http://www.tananachiefs.org">www.tananachiefs.org</a>

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<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<i>Native Village of Tetlin</i>	PO Box 797 Tok, AK 99780	883-2021 883-1267 (fax)	<a href="mailto:tetlinvillagecouncil@gmail.com">tetlinvillagecouncil@gmail.com</a>
<i>Interior Regional Housing Authority</i>	828 27 <sup>th</sup> Ave Fairbanks, AK 99701	452-8315 456-8941 (fax)	<a href="http://www.irha.org">www.irha.org</a>

**TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	Tetlin is connected by a gravel road to the Alaska Highway. Many residents own cars, trucks, skiffs, and snow machines for hunting, fishing, and hauling wood.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	The state owns a 3,500' long by 75' wide runway. The village also owns and maintains a 1,700' turf airstrip. Scheduled and charter flights are available from Tok.
<i>Airline Services</i>	40-mile Air (883-5191, <a href="http://www.fortymileair.com">www.fortymileair.com</a> )
<i>Freight</i>	40-mile Air (883-5191, <a href="http://www.fortymileair.com">www.fortymileair.com</a> )
<i>Vessel Support:</i>	Not applicable

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone</i>	<b>Alaska Power &amp; Telephone Co.</b> 1-800-982-0136 / <a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a>	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Wireless and Internet</i>	<b>Alaska Power &amp; Telephone Co.</b> 1-800-982-0136 / <a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a>	
<i>TV Stations</i>	Satellite	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	<b>KUAC Public Radio:</b> 474-4791 (office) / 474-6700 (news) / <a href="http://www.kuac.org">www.kuac.org</a>	
<i>Cable Provider</i>		
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Valdez Legislative Information Office	
<i>Electricity</i>	<b>Alaska Power and Telephone Company:</b> 1-800-982-0136 / <a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a> . Diesel generator receives power from Tok intertie.	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	<b>Tank Owner:</b> Village Council / <b>Number of Tanks:</b> 3 / <b>Tank Capacity:</b> 45,000 gallons <b>Tank Owner:</b> Village Corp / <b>Number of Tanks:</b> / <b>Tank Capacity:</b> 120,000 gallons	
<i>Housing</i>		
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	Tetlin IRA Council responsible for community water system.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	Tetlin IRA Council responsible for landfill (0.5 mile east).	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<i>Potential Command Posts</i>	Contact Native Village of Tetlin for available facilities (883-2021).
<i>Potential Staging Areas</i>	None identified
<i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i>	None identified



**TOK COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<i>Location and Climate</i>	<p>Tok is located at the junction of the Alaska Highway and the Tok Cutoff to the Glenn Highway, 200 miles southeast of Fairbanks. It is called the “Gateway to Alaska,” as it is the first major community upon entering Alaska, 93 miles from the Canadian border. It lies at approximately 63.33667° North Latitude and -142.98556° West Longitude. (Sec. 18, T018N, R013E, Copper River Meridian.) Tok is located in the Fairbanks Recording District. Tok is in the continental climate zone, with cold winters and warm summers. In the winter, ice fog and smoke conditions are common. The average low temperature during January is -32° F; the average high during July is 72° F. Extreme temperatures have been measured from -71° F to 99° F. Annual precipitation is 11 inches, including 33 inches of snow.</p>
<i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i>	<p>There are several versions of how Tok obtained its name. The nearby “Tokai River” was first reported in 1887 by Lt. Allen. “Tok River” was recorded in 1901 by the USGS. Tok began in 1942 as an Alaska Road Commission camp. So much money was spent in the camp’s construction and maintenance that it earned the name “Million Dollar Camp” by those working on the highway. In 1944 a branch of the Northern Commercial Company was opened, and in 1946 Tok was established as a Presidential Townsite. With the completion of the Alcan Highway in 1946, a post office and a roadhouse were built. In 1947 the first school was opened, and in 1958 a larger school was built to accommodate the many newcomers. The U.S. Customs Office was located in Tok between 1947 and 1971, when it was moved to Alcan, at the border. Between 1954 and 1979, a U.S. Army fuel pipeline operated from Haines to Fairbanks, with a pump station in Tok. The pump station’s facilities were purchased as area headquarters for the Bureau of Land Management. The U.S. Coast Guard constructed a LORAN (Long Range Aid to Navigation) station in 1976. Four 700’ towers, located 6 miles east of Tok junction, transmit radio navigation signals for air and marine traffic in the Gulf of Alaska. In July of 1990, Tok faced extinction when a lightning-caused forest fire jumped two rivers and the Alaska Highway, putting both residents and buildings in peril. The town was evacuated and even the efforts of over a thousand firefighters could not stop the fire. At the last minute a “miracle wind” (so labeled by Tok’s residents) came up, diverting the fire just short of the first building. The fire continued to burn the remainder of the summer, eventually burning more than 100,000 acres. Evidence of the burn can be seen on both sides of the highway just east of Tok. The area was traditionally Athabaskan, although the current population is primarily non-Native. Tok has become known as the “Sled Dog Capital of Alaska.” Although residents have chosen not to incorporate as a municipality, there are numerous local volunteer committees for various community functions and various membership organizations.</p>
<i>Economy</i>	<p>12% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. During the 2010 U.S. Census, there were 724 total housing units, and 192 were vacant. 67 of these vacant housing units are used only seasonally. 518 residents were employed. The unemployment rate at that time was 43.66%. The median household income was \$43,750, per capita income was \$22,754, and 12.79% of residents were living below the poverty level.</p>
<i>Subsistence</i>	<p>Tok is the transportation, business, service and government center for the Upper Tanana region. Employment and business revenues peak in the summer months, with the rush of RV travelers on the Alaska Highway. Residents are employed in education, construction and maintenance, retail, service, lodging, and wildland firefighting.</p>
<i>Population</i>	<p>Subsistence and recreational activities are prevalent. Moose, bear, rabbit, grouse, and ptarmigan are taken. Dahl sheep and caribou are hunted outside of the region, but only through lottery permits. Salmon are obtained from the Copper River to the south. Berry-picking and gardening are also popular activities.</p>
<i>Borough Located In</i>	<p>1,258 (2010 Census)</p>
<i>Incorporation Type</i>	<p>Unorganized</p>
<i>Native Entities</i>	<p>Unincorporated</p> <p><b>Nonprofit:</b> Tanana Chiefs Conference (Fairbanks), Tok Native Association (Tok), United Crow Band, Unincorporated (Dot Lake)</p>

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<i>Police</i>	None
<i>VPSO</i>	None

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<i>State Troopers</i>	State Troopers, Tok Office (883-5111)
<i>Fire</i>	Tok Volunteer Fire Department (883-5647), Alaska Division of Forestry, Tok Office (883-1400)
<i>Medical</i>	

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<i>Tok Chamber of Commerce</i>	PO Box 389 Tok, AK 99780	883-5775	<a href="http://www.tokalaskainfo.com">www.tokalaskainfo.com</a>
<i>Alaska Gateway School District</i>	PO Box 226 Tok, AK 99780	883-5151 883-5154 (fax)	<a href="http://www.agsd.us">www.agsd.us</a>
<i>Tok Native Association</i>	PO Box 372 Tok, AK 99780	883-3718 883-3719 (fax)	<a href="http://www.toknativeassociation.wordpress.com">www.toknativeassociation.wordpress.com</a>
<i>Tanana Chiefs Conference</i>	122 First Ave, Suite 600 Fairbanks, AK 99701	452-8251 459-3851 (fax)	<a href="http://www.tananachiefs.org">www.tananachiefs.org</a>
<i>Mukluk News</i> <i>(Bi-monthly news)</i>	PO Box 90 Tok, AK 99780	883-2571	
<i>Tok Community Umbrella Corporation</i>	PO Box 547 Tok, AK 99780	883-5320 883-4481 (fax)	

**TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	Tok is directly accessible to Anchorage and Fairbanks because of its location at the junction of two highways. Bus services are available to Anchorage and Fairbanks, and freight is delivered by truck.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	The Tok Airport includes a gravel runway 3,000' long, paved and lighted. A 2,510' paved runway is also available at Tok Junction. There are two additional private airstrips in the vicinity.
<i>Airline Services</i>	40-mile Air (883-5191, <a href="http://www.fortymileair.com">www.fortymileair.com</a> )
<i>Freight</i>	40-mile Air (883-5191, <a href="http://www.fortymileair.com">www.fortymileair.com</a> )
<i>Vessel Support:</i>	Not applicable

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone</i>	<b>Alaska Power &amp; Telephone Co.</b> 1-800-982-0136 / <a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a>	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Wireless and Internet</i>	<b>Alaska Power &amp; Telephone Co.</b> 1-800-982-0136 / <a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a>	
<i>TV Stations</i>	Satellite	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	<b>KUAC Public Radio:</b> 474-4791 (office) / 474-6700 (news) / <a href="http://www.kuac.org">www.kuac.org</a>	
<i>Cable Provider</i>		
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Valdez Legislative Information Office	
<i>Electricity</i>	<b>Alaska Power and Telephone Company:</b> 1-800-982-0136 / <a href="http://www.aptalaska.com">www.aptalaska.com</a> . Diesel generator	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane (4 stations in town)	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	<b>Tank Owner:</b> Village Council / <b>Number of Tanks:</b> 4 / <b>Tank Capacity:</b> (2) 12,000 gals, (2) 3,000 gals	
<i>Housing</i>	Chenega IRA Council has housing with 14 people capacity. Call 573-5132 for availability. ??	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>		
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	JD Refuse Service responsible for Tok landfill	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<i>Potential Command Posts</i>	None Identified
<i>Potential Staging Areas</i>	Airport, school, refuge
<i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i>	None Identified

**VALDEZ COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<i>Location and Climate</i>	Valdez is located on the north shore of Port Valdez, a deep water fjord in Prince William Sound. It lies 305 road miles east of Anchorage, and 364 road miles south of Fairbanks. It is the southern terminus of the Trans-Alaska oil pipeline. It lies at approximately 61.13083° North Latitude and -146.34833° West Longitude. (Sec. 32, T008S, R006W, Copper River Meridian.) Valdez is located in the Valdez Recording District. January temperatures range from 21° to 30° F; July temperatures are 46° to 61° F. Annual precipitation is 59.3 inches. The average snowfall is, incredibly, 300 inches (25 feet) annually.
<i>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</i>	The Port of Valdez was named in 1790 by Don Salvador Fidalgo for the celebrated Spanish naval officer Antonio Valdes y Basan. Due to its excellent ice-free port, a town developed in 1898 as a debarkation point for men seeking a route to the Eagle Mining District and the Klondike gold fields. Valdez soon became the supply center of its own gold mining region, and incorporated as a City in 1901. Fort Lisicum was established in 1900, and a sled and wagon road was constructed to Fort Egbert in Eagle by the U.S. Army. The Alaska Road Commission further developed the road for automobile travel to Fairbanks; it was completed by the early 1920s. A slide of unstable submerged land during the 1964 earthquake destroyed the original City waterfront, killing several residents. The community was rebuilt on a more stable bedrock foundation 4 miles to the west. During the 1970s, construction of the Trans-Alaska oil pipeline terminal and other cargo transportation facilities brought rapid growth to Valdez. In March 1989, it was the center for the massive oil-spill cleanup after the “Exxon Valdez” disaster. In a few short days, the population of the town tripled. As a result of significant oil taxation revenues, the City offers a variety of quality public services.
<i>Economy</i>	The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 8.17% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The 2010 U.S. Census data also showed there were 1,763 total housing units, and 190 were vacant, of which 50 of these units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$80,476, per capita income was \$36,609 and 5.51% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<i>Subsistence</i>	Valdez has one of the highest municipal tax bases in Alaska as the southern terminus and off-loading point of oil extracted from Prudhoe Bay on the North Slope. Four of the top ten employers in Valdez are directly connected to the oil terminus. Alyeska Pipeline Service Co. employs nearly 300 persons. Valdez is a major seaport, with a \$48 million cargo and container facility. City, state, and federal agencies combined provide significant employment. 42 residents hold commercial fishing permits.
<i>Population</i>	The majority of Valdez residents do not practice the subsistence lifestyle. However, there is a small tribal presence in Valdez that does practice subsistence. Valdez has a healthy sports fishing and recreational fishing industry as well.
<i>Borough Located In</i>	3,976 (2010 U.S. Census)
<i>Incorporation Type</i>	Unorganized
<i>Native Entities</i>	Home Rule City
	<b>Regional:</b> Chugach Alaska Corporation
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> Chugachmiut (Regional); The Valdez Native Tribe (Local)

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<i>Police</i>	City Police Department (835-4560)
<i>State Troopers</i>	State Troopers Post (835-4307)
<i>Fire</i>	City Fire Dept./EMS (835-4560); Robe River Fire Hall; Civil Air Patrol
<i>Medical</i>	Valdez Community Hospital (835-2249); Valdez Native Tribe Clinic (835-4951). Auxiliary health care provided by Valdez Fire Dept/EMS (835-4560 x301).
<i>Harbormaster</i>	835-4981

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	PHONE	WEBSITE/EMAIL
<i>Chugach Alaska Corporation</i>	3800 Centerpoint Dr., Ste. 700 Anchorage, AK 99503	561-2668 532-5258 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chugach-ak.com">www.chugach-ak.com</a>

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<i>Chugachmiut</i>	1840 Bragaw Street, Ste. 110 Anchorage, AK 99508	562-4155 563-2891 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chugachmiut.org">www.chugachmiut.org</a>
<i>City of Valdez</i>	P.O. Box 307 Valdez, AK 99686	835-4313 835-2992 (fax)	<a href="http://www.ci.valdez.ak.us">www.ci.valdez.ak.us</a>
<i>Connecting Ties, incorporated</i>	P.O. Box 2017 Valdez, AK 99686	835-3274 835-3512 (fax)	<a href="http://www.connectingties.org">www.connectingties.org</a>
<i>Copper Valley Electric Association, Inc.</i>	P.O. Box 45 Glennallen, AK 99588	822-3211	<a href="http://www.cvea.org">www.cvea.org</a>
<i>PWS Economic Development District</i>	2207 Spenard Road, Ste. 207 Anchorage, AK 99503	222-2440 222-2411 (fax)	<a href="http://www.pwsedd.org">www.pwsedd.org</a>
<i>The Valdez Native Tribe</i>	P.O. Box 1108 Valdez, AK 99686	835-4951 835-5589 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chugachmiut.org">www.chugachmiut.org</a>
<i>Valdez City School District</i>	P.O. Box 398 Valdez, AK 99686	835-4357 835-4964 (fax)	<a href="http://www.edline.net/pages/Valdez_City_Schools">www.edline.net/pages/Valdez_City_Schools</a>
<i>Valdez Convention and Visitors Bureau</i>	104 Chenega Street Valdez, AK 99686	835-4636 835-4845 (fax)	<a href="http://www.valdezalaska.org">www.valdezalaska.org</a> <a href="mailto:info@valdezalaska.org">info@valdezalaska.org</a>
<i>Valdez Star Newspaper</i>	P.O. Box 2949 Valdez, AK 99686	835-2405 835-3882 (fax)	<a href="http://www.valdezstar.net">www.valdezstar.net</a>

**TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	The Richardson Highway connects Valdez to Anchorage, Fairbanks and Canada. Port Valdez is ice-free year round and is navigated by hundreds of ocean-going oil cargo vessels each year. The State Ferry provides transport to Whittier, Cordova, Kodiak, Seward and Homer in the summer; Cordova only in the winter.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	The airport is operated by the state, with a 6,500-foot paved runway, instrument landing system and control tower. A State-owned seaplane base is available at Robe Lake.
<i>Airline Services</i>	Alaska Airlines; Era Aviation; Era Helicopters; Alaska Air Transit (Charter Service)
<i>Freight</i>	Both barges and trucking services deliver cargo to the City.
<i>Vessel Support</i>	Valdez has the largest floating concrete dock in the world, with a 1,200 feet front and water depth exceeding 80 feet. Numerous cargo and container facilities are present in Valdez. A small harbor accommodates 546 commercial fishing boats and recreational vessels. Boat launches and haul-out services are available.

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone</i>	GCI (1-800-800-4800 / <a href="http://www.gci.com">www.gci.com</a> ) Copper Valley Telephone Cooperative (835-2231 or 1-800-478-6612 / <a href="mailto:vdzcustserv@cvtc.org">vdzcustserv@cvtc.org</a> )	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Wireless and Internet</i>	GCI (1-800-800-4800 / <a href="http://www.gci.com">www.gci.com</a> ) Copper Valley Telephone Cooperative (835-2231 or 1-800-478-6612 / <a href="mailto:vdzcustserv@cvtc.org">vdzcustserv@cvtc.org</a> )	
<i>TV Stations</i>	None	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	KCHU; KVAK	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	GCI	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Legislative Information Office	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Copper Valley Electric	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	Unknown	
<i>Housing</i>	Best Western Valdez Harbor Inn, Keystone Hotel, Mountain Sky Hotel, Glacier Sound Inn, Totem Inn	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	Water is derived from four primary wells and is stored in two 750,000-gal. reservoirs prior to piped distribution throughout Valdez. Water storage capacity is 2.24 million gallons. The sewage treatment plant is capable of processing 1.25 million gallons a day. Sewage is deposited in a secondary treatment lagoon. Over 95% of homes are fully plumbed. Many homes use individual wells and septic tanks.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	The Class 2 landfill uses a balefill system. An oil and hazardous waste recycling center was completed in 1998.	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<b>Potential Command Posts</b>	SERVS Valdez Emergency Operations Center (835-6620); MSO Valdez; Valdez Convention & Civic Center (835-4440); Black Gold Recreation Hall; Valdez Teen Center; Valdez Native Assoc. Bingo Hall; Valdez Senior Citizens Center; Valdez Consortium Library and Valdez Museum; Prince William Sound Community College (834-1600); Valdez High School (835-4767); Valdez Jr. High (835-2244); Valdez Elementary (835-4728)
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>	State Operated Airport (835-5658); Alaska National Guard Armory (835-2234); Prince William Sound Community College (834-1600); Valdez High School (835-4767); Valdez Jr. High (835-2244); Valdez Elementary (835-4728); State District Court; ADEC Warehouse (835-4698); Harbor (835-4981)
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>	ADEC spill response conex (see page B-72 for an inventory of spill response assets). Valdez is the center for crisis response equipment in Prince William Sound. Alyeska/SERVS (Ship Escort Response Vessel System) has an enormous stockpile of response equipment.

**WHITTIER COMMUNITY PROFILE**

<b>Location and Climate</b>	Whittier is on the northeast shore of the Kenai Peninsula, at the head of Passage Canal. It is on the west side of Prince William Sound, 75 miles southeast of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 60.77306° North Latitude and -148.68389° West Longitude. (Sec. 24, T008N, R004E, Seward Meridian.) Whittier is located in the Anchorage Recording District. Winter temperatures range from 17° to 28° F; summer temperatures average 49° to 63° F. Average annual precipitation includes 66 inches of rain and 80 inches of snowfall.
<b>History, Culture, &amp; Demographics</b>	Passage Canal was once the quickest route from Prince William Sound to Cook Inlet. Chugach Indians would portage to Turnagain Arm in search of fish. Nearby Whittier Glacier was named for the American poet John Greenleaf Whittier, and was first published in 1915 by the U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey. A port and railroad terminus were constructed by the U.S. Army for transport of fuel and other supplies into Alaska during World War II. The railroad spur and two tunnels were completed in 1943, and the Whittier Port became the entrance for troops and dependents of the Alaska Command. The huge buildings that dominate Whittier began construction in 1948. The 14-story Hodge Building (now Begich Towers) was built for Army bachelors quarters and family housing, with 198 apartments. The Buckner Building, completed in 1953, had 1,000 apartments and was once the largest building in Alaska. It was called the “city under one roof,” with a hospital, bowling alley, theater, gym, swimming pool and shops for Army personnel. Whittier Manor was built in the early 1950s by private developers as rental units for civilian employees. The Port remained an active Army facility until 1960; at that time, the population was 1,200. Whittier Manor was converted to condominiums in 1964; Begich Towers now houses the majority of residents, as the Buckner Building is no longer occupied. The City was incorporated in 1969. Residents enjoy sport-fishing, commercial fishing and subsistence activities.
<b>Economy</b>	The 2010 U.S. Census data showed 5.45% of the population are Alaska Native or part Native. The 2010 U.S. Census data also showed there were 280 total housing units, and 166 were vacant, of which 104 of these units are used only seasonally. The median household income was \$46,250, per capita income was \$31,624 and 13.96% of residents were living below the poverty level.
<b>Subsistence Population</b>	The city, school, local services and summer tourism support Whittier. Tours, charters and sport fishing in Prince William Sound attract seasonal visitors. Ten residents hold commercial fishing permits.
<b>Borough Located In</b>	A small portion of Whittier residents practice the subsistence lifestyle.
<b>Incorporation Type</b>	220 (2010 U.S. Census)
<b>Native Entities</b>	Unorganized
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Class City
	<b>Regional:</b> Chugach Alaska Corporation
	<b>Nonprofit:</b> Chugachmiut

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

<b>Police</b>	City Police (472-2340)
<b>Fire</b>	City Volunteer Fire Department (472-2340); City Fire Hall, City Ambulance
<b>Medical</b>	The City of Whittier Medical Clinic (472-2303) is a qualified Emergency Care Center. Auxiliary health care provided by Whittier Volunteer Ambulance Corps (Clinic 472-2303/472-2340).
<b>Harbormaster</b>	472-2375; Alyeska/SERVS (472-2473)

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<b>Chugach Alaska Corporation</b>	3800 Centerpoint Drive, Ste, 700 Anchorage, AK 99503	561-2668 562-5258 (fax)	<a href="http://www.chugach-ak.com">www.chugach-ak.com</a>
<b>City of Whittier</b>	P.O. Box 608 Whittier, AK 99693	472-2327 472-2404 (fax)	<a href="http://www.whittieralaska.gov">www.whittieralaska.gov</a> <a href="mailto:info@whittieralaska.gov">info@whittieralaska.gov</a>
<b>Eastern Aleutian Tribes, Incorporated</b>	3380 C Street, Suite 100 Anchorage, AK 99503	277-1440 277-1446 (fax)	<a href="http://www.eatribes.org">www.eatribes.org</a> (Native Health Care Provider)

**LOCAL CONTACTS & REGIONAL/STATE ORGANIZATIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICES**

<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>WEBSITE/EMAIL</b>
<i>Greater Whittier Chamber of Commerce</i>	P.O. Box 607 Whittier, AK 99693	278-2493 278-2491 (fax)	<a href="http://www.whittieralaskachamber.org">www.whittieralaskachamber.org</a>
<i>Municipality of Anchorage</i>	6325 West 6 <sup>th</sup> Ave., Suite 250 Anchorage, AK 99501	343-4311 343-4313 (fax)	<a href="http://www.muni.org">www.muni.org</a> (Landfill Operator)
<i>PWS Economic Development District</i>	2207 Spenard Road, Suite 207 Anchorage, AK 99503	222-2440 222-2411 (fax)	<a href="http://www.pwsedd.org">www.pwsedd.org</a>

**TRANSPORTATION**

<i>Accessibility</i>	Whittier is an ice-free port and is accessible by road, rail, ferry, boat and aircraft. To enter Whittier by vehicle, you must pass through the state maintained tunnel and pay a \$12.00 roundtrip toll to enter (1-877-611-2586 / <a href="http://dot.alaska.gov/creg/whittiertunnel/schedule.shtml">http://dot.alaska.gov/creg/whittiertunnel/schedule.shtml</a> ). Whittier has a 1480' by 58' gravel airstrip that accommodates charter aircraft and a city-owned seaplane dock available for passenger transfer.
<i>Airport Facilities</i>	The State-owned 1,480-foot gravel airstrip accommodates charter aircraft, and a City-owned seaplane dock is available for passenger transfer.
<i>Airline Services</i>	None
<i>Freight</i>	
<i>Vessel Support</i>	

**FACILITIES & UTILITIES**

<i>Telephone</i>	<b>Local Service:</b> Yukon Telephone (472-2300 / <a href="http://www.yukontel.com">www.yukontel.com</a> ) <b>Long Distance:</b> GCI (1-800-800-4800 / <a href="http://www.gci.com">www.gci.com</a> )	<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>
<i>Wireless and Internet</i>	GCI (1-800-800-4800 / <a href="http://www.gci.com">www.gci.com</a> )	
<i>TV Stations</i>	None	
<i>Radio Stations</i>	KCHU-AM	
<i>Cable Provider</i>	Supervisions Cable TV	
<i>Teleconferencing</i>	Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Valdez Legislative Information Office	
<i>Electricity</i>	Provided by Chugach Electric Association	
<i>Fuel</i>	Gasoline, diesel, and propane.	
<i>Fuel Storage</i>	Shoreside Petroleum Inc. (48,000 gals.); Department of Defense.	
<i>Housing</i>	June's Whittier B&B Suites, Anchor INN; Sportsman's Inn; Tent/RV Park	
<i>Water &amp; Sewage</i>	Water is derived from wells and a reservoir. Water storage capacity is 1.2 million gallons. The entire community is served by a piped water and sewer system, and over 95% of homes are fully plumbed. The older portions of the City sewer system need replacement.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	Refuse is hauled out by a private contractor to Anchorage - the landfill has been closed. An oil and hazardous waste recycling center was completed in 1998.	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*(Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.)*

<i>Potential Command Posts</i>	Begich Towers Cullum Room; City Library; Whittier Historical & Fine Arts Museum; Whittier Community School
<i>Potential Staging Areas</i>	None identified
<i>Local Spill Response Equipment</i>	ADEC spill response conex (see page B-72 for an inventory of spill response assets). SERVS 14 emergency response equipment conexas are located behind Long Dock. Additional emergency response equipment is located near the HarborMaster's office and the USCG maintains equipment in the railroad yard. Shoreside Petroleum has their own cleanup equipment that they manage and maintain. Shoreside provides fuel for the City of Whittier, cruise ships, and fishing vessels in the small boat harbor. The Harbormaster and the Fishing Vessel Administrator are responsible for the deployment of the SERVS equipment in a crisis. Currently both positions are held by the same person.

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**9770.9.1 – Angoon Community Profile**

**Angoon**

**Population:** 466 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Sealaska Corporation

**Location & Climate:**

This Tlingit community is the only permanent settlement on Admiralty Island, located on the southwest coast at Kootznahoo Inlet. Angoon , 55 miles southwest of Juneau and 41 miles northeast of Sitka, lies at approximately 57.50333° North Latitude and -134.58389° West Longitude. (Sec. 25, T050S, R067E, Copper River Meridian.) Angoon is located in the Juneau Recording District. Angoon's maritime climate is characterized by cool summers and mild winters: summer temperatures range from 45 to 61 degrees Fahrenheit, winter temperatures 25 to 39. Extremes in temperature have been recorded from -6 to 77. Angoon receives much less precipitation than is typical of Southeast Alaska, averaging 43 inches annually, including 63 inches of snowfall. Strong north winds during winter months cause rough seas, which may prevent aircraft landings.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b> City Public Safety Dept	788-3631	<b>Fire:</b>	City Fire Hall: 788-3411 Office: 209-9140 or 788-3653
<b>VPSO:</b> <b>Village Police Officer:</b>	788-3631/209-9139 209-9139	<b>EMS:</b>	788-3411
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>		<b>Hospital:</b> Jessie Jim Health Center	788-4600; 788-3633

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Angoon	<b>Phone:</b> 788-3653; 209-9140	<b>Fax:</b> 788-3821	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 189, Angoon, AK 99820	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> mayor820@eagle.ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Chatham Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 788-3302	<b>Fax:</b> 788-3252,	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 109,	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> whopkins@do.chathamso.org

Angoon, AK 99820			
<b>Village Corporation:</b> Kootznoowoo, Incorporated	<b>Phone:</b> 790-2992	<b>Fax:</b> 790-2995	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 8585 Old Dairy Road #201, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Email:</b>		
<b>Village Council:</b> Angoon Community Association	<b>Phone:</b> 788-3411	<b>Fax:</b> 788-3412	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 188, Angoon, AK 99820,	<b>Email:</b>		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		Scheduled and charter flights available.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Facilities include a deep draft dock, a small boat harbor with 45 berths, and a State ferry terminal.
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Angoon is accessible only by float plane or boat.	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Alaska Sea Plane Service; Alaska Coastal; Wings of Alaska; Ward Air.	

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES		
Lodging		
Housing Facility	Website	Phone
Kootznahoo Inlet Lodge		788-3501 or 788-3615
Whalers Cove Sportfishing Lodge		788-3344
Favorite Bay Inn		788-3125/3123
Thayer Lake Lodge		
Sophie's Place B&B		
Food Service & Groceries		

Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		

#### Supplies & Other Services

	Name	Phone
General Store		
Hardware Store		
Bank or ATM		
[Other]		

#### Fuel

Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
[Name/Operator]			

Tank Farm	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity
Angoon Oil & Gas			4 tanks/ 80,000 gals
Tlingit Haida Regional Electric Assoc.			3 tanks/ 62,468 gals
City Water			1 tank/ 3,000 gals

#### Communications and Utilities

	Name/Service Provider
Telephone (Landline)	
Telephone (Cellular)	
Internet Service Provider	ACS Internet
Electricity Provider	Inside Passage Electric Cooperative
Local Power Plant	
School Power Plant	
Primary Water Supply System:	The Tillinghast Lake reservoir
Primary Sewage System:	

#### SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT

*The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.*

#### Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/Size	Internet Yes/No
City Youth Center			

ANB Hall			
Angoon Community Building			
Public Safety Building (capacity 35)	788-3123		
Angoon School			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
Ferry Terminal Parking Lot	788-3653	Capacity 10 trailers	
Harbor Parking Lot	788-3653	Capacity 5 trailers	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe		3	
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar		3	
Front-end loaders		3	
Skiff, 35 ft w/outboard		1	
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?			
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection	

**Economy:**

Commercial fishing is a major source of income; in 2010, 18 residents held commercial fishing permits, primarily hand-trolling for king and coho salmon. A shellfish farm was recently funded by state and federal grants. The Chatham School District is the primary employer. Logging on Prince of Wales Island provides occasional jobs. Subsistence remains an important part of the lifestyle; the most important resources are deer, salmon, bear, halibut, shellfish, geese, seaweed and berries. The 2006-2010 American Community Survey estimated 178 residents as employed, with the public sector employing 22% of all workers. The local unemployment rate was 18%, and the percentage of workers not in labor force was 43%.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Admiralty Island has long been the home of the Kootznoowoo Tlingit tribe. Kootznoowoo means "fortress of bears." From the 1700s to the mid-1800s, fur trading was the major money-making activity in the area. In 1878, the Northwest Trading Company established a trading post and whaling station on nearby Killisnoo Island and villagers were employed to hunt whales. Whaling, a BIA school and a Russian Orthodox Church attracted many Tlingits to Killisnoo. In 1882, a whaling vessel's harpoon charge accidentally misfired and exploded, killing a Native

crewmember - a Tlingit shaman, or medicine man. Villagers demanded payment of 200 blankets to the man's family, as was customary. The Northwest Trading Co. felt threatened and sought assistance from the U.S. Navy at Sitka. The village and a summer camp were subsequently shelled and destroyed by the Navy Cutter *U.S.S. Corwin*. Native accounts of the attack claim six children died by smoke inhalation. In 1973, Angoon won a \$90,000 out-of-court settlement from the federal government for the 1882 bombardment. Whaling did not last long, and the company switched to herring processing. During this time, many Tlingits moved to Killisnoo for employment at the plant, but in 1928 Killisnoo was destroyed by fire, and many Tlingits returned to Angoon. The Angoon post office was established in 1928, a city formed in 1963. Many summer homes have developed on Killisnoo Island. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community -- the Angoon Community Association. Angoon is a Tlingit village with a commercial fishing and subsistence lifestyle.

**9770.9.2 – Coffman Cove Community Profile**

**Coffman Cove**

**Population:** 170 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Coffman Cove is on the northeast coast of Prince of Wales Island in Southeast Alaska. It lies 73 miles northeast of Ketchikan and 42 miles southeast of Wrangell, at approximately 56.01389° North Latitude and -132.82778° West Longitude. (Sec. 28, T068S, R082E, Copper River Meridian.) Coffman Cove is located in the Ketchikan Recording District. The area is dominated by a cool maritime climate: summer temperatures range from 46 to 70; winter temperatures range from 32 to 42.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b> None	None	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire/EMS	329-2295
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Coffman Cove Fire/EMS Prince of Wales Island Area EMS	329-2209/2213/2302 826-2367/3330
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	755-2955	<b>Hospital:</b>	
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	329-2233		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Coffman Cove	<b>Phone:</b> 329-2233	<b>Fax:</b> 329-2069	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.ccalaska.com/">http://www.ccalaska.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 18047, Coffman Cove, AK 99918	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> <a href="mailto:clerk@ccalaska.com">clerk@ccalaska.com</a>

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		The nearest landing strip is in Klawock. A State-owned seaplane base is available, and Taquan and Ketchikan Air provide daily scheduled air service from Ketchikan.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Yes.
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		

<b>Local Transportation:</b>	The Inter-Island Ferry landing at Hollis provides access to the Prince of Wales Island road system.
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Taquan and Ketchikan Air Service.

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Coffman Cove Wilderness Lodge		329-2249	
Coffman Cove Bunkhouse		329-2219	
King Fisher Cabins		329-2235	
Ocean View RV Park		329-2015	
Anderson Ville		329-2267	
Misty Sea Charters & Lodging		329-2069	
Coffman Cove Adventures		329-2043	
Bearbuck B&B		520-6119	
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
	General Store		
	Hardware Store		
	Washeteria		
	Bank or ATM		
	[Other]		
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>

Louisiana Pacific/Ketchikan Pulp Co.			7 tanks/ 45,842 gals
Power Utility			6,300 gals
Gas Plus			2 tanks/ 7,800 gals
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)			
Telephone (Cellular)			
Internet Service Provider	Cove Connect		
Electricity Provider	Alaska Power Company		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:			
Primary Sewage System:			

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Coffman Cove Community Building			
Howard Valentine School			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
Boat Launch Parking Area	city office 329-2233	1 Acre	
Log Dump	329-2233	2 Acres	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe		4	
Bulldozer		1	
Dump truck or similar		4	
Skiff w/outboard		1	
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?			
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitude</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>	



**Economy:**

Historically, logging support services provided the majority of employment. Coffman Cove was one of the major log transfer sites on Prince of Wales Island. Because of the decline in the timber industry, this is no longer the case. Although there are still a few logging support services in the area, most of the employment is now tourism-based. A large number of the people in the community operate bed and breakfasts or rent cabins to people who want to hunt or fish. There are a number of charter and commercial fishermen operating out of the cove, as well. Oyster farming also occurs in Coffman Cove. In 2010, four residents held commercial fishing permits. Recreation includes hunting bear and deer, fishing, hiking, and boating.

**Culture & Demographics:**

The site was named in 1886 by Lt. Comdr. A.S. Snow, USN, for Lt. Dewitt Coffman, a member of his party. Coffman Cove was first settled as a logging camp in the 1950s. Land was made available for private ownership through selection under the Alaska Statehood Act. Coffman Cove's pioneer lifestyle and clean, safe environment were featured on ABC's "20/20" program in 1984, prompting a deluge of mail from persons around the country wanting to relocate. The city government was incorporated in 1989. The city serves as a supply and service base for the Island. The majority of houses are mobile homes. There is a general store, gift shop and a gas station. Six percent of the population is Alaska Native or part Native.

### 9770.9.3 – Craig Community Profile

#### Craig

**Population:** 1,240 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Sealaska Corporation

#### Location & Climate:

Craig is located on a small island off the west coast of Prince of Wales Island but connected by a short causeway. It is 31 road miles west of Hollis and 56 air miles northwest of Ketchikan, 750 air miles north of Seattle, and 220 miles south of Juneau, at approximately 55.47639° North Latitude and -133.14833° West Longitude. (Sec. 06, T074S, R081E, Copper River Meridian.) Craig is located in the Ketchikan Recording District. Prince of Wales Island is dominated by a cool, moist, maritime climate. Summer temperatures range from 49 to 63° F; winter temperatures range from 32 to 42° F. Average annual precipitation is 120 inches, including 40 inches of snow. Gale winds are common in the fall and winter months.

EMERGENCY SERVICES			
<b>Police:</b> City Police Dept.	826-3330	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire Dept.	Dispatch: 911 Office:
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Craig EMS Prince of Wales Island Area EMS	826-2367/826-3330 826-2367/3330
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	755-2291	<b>Hospital:</b> Seaview Medical Center	826-3257

LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS			
<b>Name:</b> Prince of Wales Chamber of Commerce/Craig	<b>Phone:</b> 826-2353	<b>Fax:</b> 826-2926	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 497, Craig, AK 99921	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> powcvc@eagle.ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> City of Craig	<b>Phone:</b> 826-3275	<b>Fax:</b> 826-3278	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 725, Craig, AK 99921	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> tbriggs@aptalaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Craig City Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 826-3274	<b>Fax:</b> 826-3322	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.ccsd.k12.ak.us/">http://www.ccsd.k12.ak.us/</a>

<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 800, Craig, AK 99921	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> jholst@ccsd.k12.ak.us
<b>Name:</b> Harbormaster	<b>Phone:</b> 826-3404 or 401-1621	<b>Fax:</b>	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b>	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Village Corporation:</b> Shaan-Seet, Incorporated	<b>Phone:</b> 826-3251	<b>Fax:</b> 826-3980	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 690, Craig, AK 99921	<b>Email:</b>		<b>Other:</b> ssinc.@ptialaska.net
<b>Village Council:</b> Craig Community Association	<b>Phone:</b> 826-3996	<b>Fax:</b> 826-3997	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 828, Craig, AK 99921	<b>Email:</b>		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access to Island. A paved road exists between Hollis, Thorne Bay, Craig, Klawock, and north to the airport.
<b>AIR:</b>		Scheduled air transportation to Ketchikan is available from the nearby Klawock airport
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	The Inter-Island Ferry serves Hollis 30 miles away and enables transportation of passengers, cargo and vehicles to the island.
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: Chief Wiah Cab; Craig/Klawock Taxi; Irish Cab.	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	Wilderness Car Rental 755-2691 (www.wildernesscarrental.com); TLC 826-2966 (www.alaskarentals-tlc.com); Shaub-Ellison Tire & Fuel 826-3450	
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Ketchikan Air Service; Taquan Air; Pro-Mech Air; Duke's Charter; Island Air Express	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Fish Fur & Feathers		826-2309	
Full Limits - El Capitan Lodge		850-0036	
Birds Eye View B&B		826-5987	
Beachcomber B&B		826-2268	
Ocean Hooked Inn		826-2271	
Oceanview B&B		826-2543	
Shelter Cover Lodge	<a href="http://www.ktn.net/shelter/">http://www.ktn.net/shelter/</a>	826-2939	
Haida Way Lodge		826-3268	
Ruth Ann's Hotel		826-3378/3292	
Inn of the Little Blue Heron B&B		826-3606	
Sunnahae Lodge		826-4000	
Windy Way Lodge		826-3082	
Out Back RV Park			
Big Salt Lake RV Park			
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Washeteria			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Petro Marine Services			12 tanks/ 320,010 gals
Ward Cove Packing			2 tanks/ 5,100 gals
Alaska Power & Telephone			10,698 gals
City			968 gals

AT&T Alascom		2,000 gals
THRHA Senior Apartment		1,100 gals
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>		
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>	
Telephone (Landline)	Alaska Telephone Company/AP&T	
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom; Alaska Telephone	
Internet Service Provider	Alaska Power & Telephone Company	
Electricity Provider	Alaska Power & Telephone Co	
Local Power Plant		
School Power Plant		
Primary Water Supply System:		
Primary Sewage System:		

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Craig City Hall			
Craig Alternative & Correspondence School			
Craig Elementary School			
Craig Middle & High School			
PACE			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
False Island Boat Harbor	401-1621		
Waste Water Treatment Plant	826-3275		
Public Works Yard	826-3275		
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.	Harbormaster, 826-3404	Containment boom – 1300ft, 8-12 Anchors, some sorbent pads.	
Backhoe		2	
Bulldozer		1	
Dump truck or similar		2	
Skiff w/ outboard		1	
[other]			
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			

What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

The economy in Craig is based on the fishing industry, logging support and sawmill operations. A fish buying station and a cold storage plant are located in Craig. In 2010, 151 residents held commercial fishing permits. Craig has grown as a service and transportation center for the Prince of Wales Island communities. Shan-Seet Village Corporation timber operations, the Viking Lumber Co. sawmill, fishing, fish processing, government and commercial services provide most employment. Deer, salmon, halibut, shrimp and crab are harvested for recreational or subsistence purposes.

**Culture & Demographics:**

The Tlingit and Haida peoples have historically utilized the area around Craig for its rich resources. With the help of local Haidas, a fish saltery was built on nearby Fish Egg Island in 1907. Between 1908 and 1911, the Lyndenburger Packing Company and cold storage plant was built at the present site of Craig. In 1912, a post office, school, sawmill, and salmon cannery were constructed. A city government was formed in 1922. Excellent pink salmon runs contributed to development and growth through the late 1930s – some families from the Dust Bowl relocated to Craig during this time. The cannery and sawmill peaked during World War I. During the 1950s, the fishing industry collapsed due to depleted salmon runs. In 1972, a large sawmill was built six miles from Craig near Klawock, which provided year-round jobs and helped to stabilize the economy. Craig is still predominantly a fishing community. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Craig Community Association, with 20% of the population Alaska Native or part Native.

**9770.9.4 – Gustavus Community Profile**

**Gustavus**

**Population:** 460 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Gustavus lies on the north shore of Icy Passage at the mouth of the Salmon River, 48 air miles northwest of Juneau, at the edge of the St. Elias Mountains and at the entrance to Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve at approximately 58.41333° North Latitude and -135.73694° West Longitude. (Sec. 12, T040S, R058E, Copper River Meridian.) Glacier Bay Park is 3.3 million acres, and offers 16 tidewater glaciers. Gustavus is located in the Juneau Recording District. The area's maritime climate is characterized by cool summers and mild winters: summer temperatures range from 52 to 63° F; winter temperatures from 26 to 39° F.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b> None	None	<b>Fire:</b> Glacier Bay National Park VFD	697-2230 697-2709
<b>VPSO:</b> None	None	<b>EMS:</b> Gustavus Emergency Response	697-2222/697-2290
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	465-4000	<b>Hospital:</b> Gustavus Community Clinic	697-3008

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> Gustavus Community Assoc	<b>Phone:</b> 697-2451	<b>Fax:</b> 697-2451	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.gca.gustavus.ak.us/">http://www.gca.gustavus.ak.us/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 62, Gustavus, AK 99826	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> president@gca.gustavus.ak.us
<b>Name:</b> Gustavus Visitors Association,	<b>Phone:</b> 697-2285	<b>Fax:</b>	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 167, Gustavus, AK 99827	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b>

<b>Name:</b> Gustavus Electric Company	<b>Phone:</b> 697-2299	<b>Fax:</b> 697-2355	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 102, Gustavus, AK 99826	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access.
<b>AIR:</b>		Scheduled and charter flights available. Air traffic is relatively high during peak summer months
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	AMHS Ferry. Regulations limit the number of boats entering Glacier Bay, to protect the humpback habitat. Permits are required for boaters between June 1 and August 31, and may be obtained from the National Park Service (697-2268). Tours are available from Bartlett Cove, Gustavus and Juneau.
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: TLC Taxi Service (697-2239)	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	There is a 10-mile local road connecting Bartlett Cove with the airport.	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	BW Auto Rental (697-2245)	
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Alaska Airlines (summers only); Air Excursions; Wings of Alaska	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>		
<b>Lodging</b>		
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Glacier Bay Lodge		
Glacier Bay Country Inn		
Gustavus Inn		697-2254
Aimee's Guesthouse		
Annie Mae Lodge		697-2346
Beyond Good River		
Fairweather Lodge		
Faraway Nearby Studio Cottage		



Noah's Ark			
Salmon River Cabins			
Spruce Tip Lodge			
The Growley Bear Inn			
Whalesong Lodge			697-2288
Glacier Bay B & B			
Good River B & B			
A Puffin's B & B Lodge			
Tri B & B			
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>		<b>Phone</b>
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
Gustavus Dray Gas Station			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Glacier Bay Nat'l Park			5 tanks/ 7,600 gals
Whalesong Lodge			1,000 gals
Dick Levitt	697-2481		4 tanks/ 128,630 gals
Gustavus Electric Dray			111,678 gals
Gustavus Dray Gas Station			7,520 gals
Gustavus Dray/Airport			9,432 gals
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	ACS of the Northland		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom		
Internet Service Provider	SEAKnet		
Electricity Provider	Gustavus Electric Company		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			

Primary Water Supply System:	Individuals; US Park Service
Primary Sewage System:	Individuals; US Park Service

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Gustavus Comm. Assoc			
Public Lib. & School Library			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
Public Use Dock	907 697-2632		
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			
ADEC response equipment conex	located at the Bartlett Cove tank farm, may be available through Glacier Bay National Park by contacting the Chief Ranger at 697-2621, x621		
[other]			
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?			
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitude</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>	

**Economy:**

Gustavus has a seasonal economy, with Glacier Bay National Park attracting a large number of tourists and recreation enthusiasts during the summer months. Gustavus has three kayaking companies and a nine-hole golf course. There are several sport fishing guides, and some commercial fishing occurs. Over 50% of the working people are employed by the Park Service. The lodge, airport, school, and small businesses also offer employment. Permanent residents number

approximately 460, but the number doubles in the summer. Approximately 60,000 tourists visit or transit this small community annually. Gardening is a prevalent activity during the summer.

**Culture & Demographics:**

When Capt. George Vancouver sailed through Icy Strait in 1794, Glacier Bay was completely covered by the Grand Pacific Glacier. Over the next century, the glacier retreated some 40 miles, and a spruce-hemlock forest began to develop. By 1916, it had retreated 65 miles from the position observed by Vancouver in 1794. Originally known as Strawberry Point due to the abundant wild strawberries, Gustavus, located on a flat area formed by the outwash from the glacier, an area that is still growing, began as an agricultural homestead in 1914. President Calvin Coolidge established Glacier Bay National Monument (including Gustavus) in 1925. After many appeals the homesteaders were able to keep their land and the Gustavus area was excluded from the monument, which became a National Park in 1980 with the passage of the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act. The City of Gustavus was incorporated on April 1, 2004. Gustavus is primarily a "lifestyle" settlement community with a number of seasonal-use homes for Juneau residents; many residents came to Gustavus for the lifestyle, the nearness to natural resources, the beauty of the area, and the availability of subsistence activities. Just over 8% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native. Glacier Bay National Park is a major recreation and tourist attraction in Southeast Alaska.

## 9770.9.5 – Haines Community Profile

### Haines

**Population:** 1,806 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** Haines Borough

**Regional Native Corporation:** Sealaska Corporation

### Location & Climate:

Haines is located on the western shore of Lynn Canal, between the Chilkoot and Chilkat Rivers, 80 air miles northwest of Juneau, just south of the Canadian border at British Columbia, and 570 air miles southeast of Anchorage, 600 from Fairbanks. By road, it is 775 miles from Anchorage NS lies at approximately 59.23583° North Latitude and -135.445° West Longitude. (Sec. 34, T030S, R059E, Copper River Meridian.) Haines has a maritime climate characterized by cool summers and mild winters: summer temperatures range from 46 to 66° F; winters range from 10 to 36. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -16 to 90° F. Total precipitation averages 52 inches a year, with 133 inches of snowfall.

EMERGENCY SERVICES			
<b>Police:</b> City Police Dept	766-2121	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire Dept	766-2115
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Haines Volunteer Fire Dept/EMS Borough/Klehini Valley Fire Hall	766-2115/766-2121
<b>Alaska Troopers:</b> State Troopers Post	766-2552	<b>Hospital:</b> Haines Medical Clinic	766-2521 or 766-6300
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	766-2448 or 314-0173		

LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS			
<b>Name:</b> Haines Chamber of Commerce	<b>Phone:</b> 766-2202	<b>Fax:</b> 766-2271	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://haineschamber.org/">http://haineschamber.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 1449, Haines, AK 99827	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> chamber@haineschamber.org
<b>Name:</b> City of Haines	<b>Phone:</b> 766-2231	<b>Fax:</b> 766-3179	<b>Website:</b>

<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 1049, Haines, AK 99827	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> svjohnston@wytbear.com
<b>Name:</b> Haines Visitors Bureau	<b>Phone:</b> 766-2234	<b>Fax:</b> 766-3155	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.haines.ak.us/">http://www.haines.ak.us/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 530, Haines, AK 99827	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> hcvb@haines.ak.us
<b>Name:</b> Chilkat Valley News	<b>Phone:</b> 766-2688	<b>Fax:</b> 766-2689	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.chilkatvalleynews.com/">http://www.chilkatvalleynews.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 630, Haines, AK 99827	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> cvn@chilkatvalleynews.com
<b>Name:</b> KHNS Radio	<b>Phone:</b> 766-2020	<b>Fax:</b> 766-2022	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 1109, Haines, AK 99827	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Village Council:</b> Chilkoot Indian Association of Haines	<b>Phone:</b> 766-2323	<b>Fax:</b> 766-2365	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 490, Haines, AK 99827-0490	<b>Email:</b>		<b>Email:</b> DaveBerry@wytbear.com

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	Yes.
<b>AIR:</b>		Scheduled and charter flights available. Haines has a State-owned 4,600' paved runway, with daily scheduled flights to Juneau by small aircraft. There is also a State-owned seaplane base.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Yes. Haines is a major transshipment point because of its ice-free, deepwater port and dock. Northern stop for the

		Alaska Marine Highway (ferry) System.
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: Haines Taxi	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	Year-round road access to Canada and Interior Alaska on the Haines and Alaska Highways.	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	New Other Guys Car Rentals, at local hotels	
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Wings of Alaska; Air Excursions.	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Captain's Choice Motel		766-3111	
Eagles Nest Motel			
Fort Seward Lodge			
Hotel Halsingland			
Mountain View Motel			
Thunderbird Motel		766-2131	
Riverhouse B & B			
Summer Inn B & B			
Officers Inn B & B			
Fort Seward B & B			
Chilkat Eagle B & B			
Cathedral Peaks B & B			
Little Red House			
Chilkat Valley Inn B & B			
Bear Creek Camp & International Hostel			
Haines Hitch-Up RV Park			
Eagle Camper Park			
Portage Cove State Recreation Sites			
Mosquito Lake State Recreation Sites			
Chilkoot Lake State Recreation Sites			
Chilkat State Park			
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		

	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
White Pass Alaska			1,072,900 gals
Delta Western			3,240,000 gals
Ward Cove Packing			18,000 gals
Tlingit Haida Reg. Electric			23,000 gals
Klukwan Forest Products			60,000 gals
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	Alaska Telephone Company/AP&T		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom; GCI		
Internet Service Provider	GCI (www.gci.net); ICE Communications (www.wytbear.com); SEAKnet		
Electricity Provider	Alaska Power Company, 766-6500 / 800-982-0136		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	City Crystal Cathedrals Water		
Primary Sewage System:			

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Borough/Chilkat Center for the Arts			
Bingo-ANB-ANS Hall			
Museum-Borough/Sheldon Museum & Cultural Center			

Library-Borough Public Library & School Libraries			
Haines Elementary School			
Haines High School			
Haines Junior High School			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
Boat Harbor	Harbormaster, 766-2448	two acres capacity	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			
SEAPRO	225-7002		
Skiff w/outboard	766-2448 or 314-0173		
ADEC response equipment conex	Available through the City & Borough of Haines; contact the harbormaster at 766-2448, cell: 723-4730.		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?			
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection	

**Economy:**

Commercial fishing, timber, government, tourism, and transportation are the primary employers. Many jobs are seasonal. Tourism as well as the traffic Haines draws as a result of its road connection to the State Ferry are important factors in the economy. In 2001, Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines ceased serving Haines as a port of call; the town now averages around 45,000 cruise ship passenger visit yearly. In 2010, 107 residents held commercial fishing permits. The Chilkat Bald Eagle Preserve draws visitors from around the world.

**Culture & Demographics:**

The Haines area was called "Dei Shu" by the Tlingit, meaning "end of the trail." The Chilkat Tlingit tightly controlled the trading routes between the coast and the Interior. In 1881, a Presbyterian minister received permission from the Chilkat to build a mission and school, which was named Haines in 1884. During the Klondike gold rush in the late 1890s, Haines grew as a mining supply center since the Dalton Trail from Chilkat Inlet to Whitehorse offered an easier route to the Yukon



for prospectors. Gold was also discovered 36 miles from Haines in 1899. Four canneries had been constructed in the area by the turn of the century and the city incorporated in 1910. The first permanent U.S. military installation was constructed south of Haines in 1904, and until World War II it was the only U.S. Army post in Alaska; it was deactivated in 1946 and sold as surplus property to a group of veterans who established it as Port Chilkoot, which became a city in 1956, but merged with Haines into one municipality in 1970. The post was designated a national historic site in 1972, and the original name, Fort William Seward, restored. The last of the canneries closed in 1972 due to declining fish stocks. Expansion of the timber industry in the early 1970s fueled growth, but the sawmills closed in 1976. In 2002, the city was consolidated with the Haines Borough. Haines is home to the world's largest congregation of bald eagles, who feed from the hot spring-fed rivers; the Chilkat Bald Eagle Preserve, 18 miles north of Haines, is a major attraction. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Chilkoot Indian Assoc. of Haines., with 19% of the population Alaska Native or part Native. Historically Chilkat Indian territory, Haines is now predominantly a non-Native community. There are two Chilkat Indian Villages in the area: the Chilkoot in Haines and the Chilkat in Klukwan.

**9770.9.6 – Hoonah Community Profile**

**Hoonah**

**Population:** 753 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Sealaska Corporation

**Location & Climate:**

Hoonah is a Tlingit community located on the northeast shore of Chichagof Island, 40 air miles west of Juneau, at approximately 58.11° North Latitude and -135.44361° West Longitude. (Sec. 28, T043S, R061E, Copper River Meridian.) Hoonah is located in the Sitka Recording District. Hoonah's maritime climate is characterized by cool summers and mild winters: summer temperatures average 52 to 63° F; winter temperatures average 26 to 39° F. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -25 to 87. Precipitation averages 100 inches annually, with 71 inches of snowfall. The airport is closed 20 to 30 days a year due to poor weather; usually foggy periods in the spring and fall.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b> City Police Dept	945-3655	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire Dept./EMS	945-3655
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Hoonah Volunteer EMS	945-3631/945-3655
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	945-3620	<b>Hospital:</b> Hoonah Medical Clinic	945-3235
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	945-3670		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Hoonah	<b>Phone:</b> 945-3663	<b>Fax:</b> 945-3445	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 360, Hoonah, AK 99829	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Hoonah City Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 945-3611	<b>Fax:</b> 945-3492	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.hoonahschools.org/">http://www.hoonahschools.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 157,	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> <a href="mailto:howarddiamond@yahoo.com">howarddiamond@yahoo.com</a>

Hoonah, AK 99829-0157			
<b>Village Corporation:</b> Huna Totem Corporation	<b>Phone:</b> 789-1773	<b>Fax:</b> 789-1896	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 9301 Glacier Hwy. #A-103, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Email:</b>		
<b>Village Council:</b> Hoonah Indian Association	<b>Phone:</b> 945-3545	<b>Fax:</b> 945-3703	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 602, Hoonah, AK 99829	<b>Email:</b> JDybd1111@aol.com		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access.
<b>AIR:</b>		Scheduled and charter flights available. The State owns and operates an airport with a 3,000' paved runway and a seaplane base, both served by scheduled small aircraft from Juneau.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Yes. AMHS Ferry
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: Papa's Cab	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	Extensive logging road system on northwest Chichagof Island.	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Wings of Alaska; Glacier Bay Airways; Air Excursions.	

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES		
Lodging		
Housing Facility	Website	Phone
Hoonah Lodge		945-3663
Mary's Inn		945-3228
Snug Harbor Lodge		
Tina's Room Rentals & Apts		945-3442/9442

Whale Watch Lodge B&B			945-3327
Dancing Bears B&B			
Three Wolves Den			945-3762
Icy Straight Lodge			945-3636 / 209-4806
High Hopes			945-3777
Wind N Sea			945-3438
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>		<b>Phone</b>
	General Store		
	Hardware Store		
	Bank or ATM		
	[Other]		
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Hoonah Oil Co./L Kane Store			5 @ 101,360 gals.
THREA			5 @ 34,484
Hoonah Trading			6 @ 212,105
School District			3,000
Ward Cove Packing			2 @ 6,100
Tlingit-Haida Reg. Housing			1,100
Hoonah Cold Storage			1,971

Hoonah Public Works			2,000
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	ACS of the Northland		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom		
Internet Service Provider	Hoonah.Net		
Electricity Provider	Tlingit-Haida Regional Electrical Authority and Inside Passage Electric Cooperative (IPEC) 945-3611		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:			
Primary Sewage System:			

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
ANB/ANS Hall			
Hoonah City Hall			
City Youth Center			
Senior Center			
Bingo Hall			
Museum-Hoonah Indian Assoc			
Public Library & School Library			
Hoonah Elementary School			
Hoonah Jr./Sr. High School			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
HMIC		Boat Haul, Front St. Capacity 3 acres	
Hoonah Ferry Terminal		Front St., 1.5 acres, (State AMHS Ferry DOT/PF)	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe		1	
Bulldozer		1	

Dump truck or similar	Public Works: 957-2386	2
Skiff w/ outboard	Harbormaster, 945-3670 / 321-5476	1
ADEC response equipment conex	Harbormaster, 945-3670 / 321-5476	
USCG response equipment conex		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitute	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Fishing and local government are mainstays of the economy; in 2010, 82 residents held commercial fishing permits. Some employment occurs at the Hoonah Cold Storage plant. Whitestone Logging Inc. and Southeast Stevedoring (a sort-yard and timber transfer facility) are major private employers. The city and the school district are the main public sector employers. In 2004, Hoonah began hosting cruise ship visitors from the Celebrity Summit twice each week at Icy Strait Point. Subsistence activities are an important component of the lifestyle; salmon, halibut, shellfish, deer, waterfowl and berries are harvested.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Hoonah means "village by the cliff" and is the principal village for the Huna, a Tlingit tribe that has occupied the Glacier Bay/Icy Strait area since prehistory. Local legend tells of an original ancestral home in Glacier Bay that was destroyed by a glacial advance. The Northwest Trading Co. built the first store in Hoonah in 1880, and the next year the Presbyterian Home Mission and school were built. By 1887, 450 to 500 people were wintering in the village, and a post office was established in 1901. In 1912, the Hoonah Packing Co. built a large cannery one mile north of town. The Thompson Fish Company still operates today as Hoonah Cold Storage. In 1944, a fire destroyed much of the city and many priceless Tlingit cultural objects; the federal government assisted in rebuilding the community. The City of Hoonah was incorporated in 1946. Commercial fishing and logging remain major industries, and most residents maintain a subsistence lifestyle. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Hoonah Indian Association, with 70% of the population Alaska Native or part Native. Hoonah is the largest Tlingit village in Alaska.

**9770.9.7 – Hydaburg Community Profile**

**Hydaburg**

**Population:** 406 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Sealaska Corporation

**Location & Climate:**

Hydaburg is located on the southwest coast of Prince of Wales Island, 45 air miles northwest of Ketchikan, 36 road miles west of Hollis, site of the State Ferry landing. Hydaburg is located in the Ketchikan Recording District and lies at approximately 55.20806° North Latitude and 132.82667° West Longitude. (Sec. 12, T077S, R083E, Copper River Meridian.) Prince of Wales Island is dominated by a cool, moist, maritime climate: summer temperatures range from 49 to 63° F; winter temperatures range from 32 to 42° F. Average annual precipitation is 120 inches, including 40 inches of snow.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	None	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire Dept.; City Fire Hall	285-3321
<b>VPSO:</b> State VPSO	953-3322/285-3321	<b>EMS:</b> Hydaburg EMS Prince of Wales Island Area EMS	285-3375 826-2367/3330
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b> Troopers in Klawock	755-2955	<b>Hospital:</b> Hydaburg Health Clinic	285-3462

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Hydaburg	<b>Phone:</b> 285-3761	<b>Fax:</b> 285-3760	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 49, Hydaburg, AK 99922	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> hydaburgcity@hotmail.com
<b>Name:</b> Hydaburg City Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 285-3491	<b>Fax:</b> 285-3391	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 109, Hydaburg, AK 99922-0109	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> hydaburgschools@hotmail.com

<b>Village Corporation:</b> Haida Corporation	<b>Phone:</b> 285-3721	<b>Fax:</b> 285-3944	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 89, Hydaburg, AK 99922	<b>Email:</b> ceo-haida@excite.com		
<b>Village Council:</b> Hydaburg Cooperative Association	<b>Phone:</b> 285-3666	<b>Fax:</b> 285-3667	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 349, Hydaburg, AK 99922	<b>Email:</b>		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		Scheduled flights from Hydaburg connect to Ketchikan. The State owns and operates a seaplane base in Hydaburg, with an FAA-designated approach
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Inter-Island Ferry docks
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>		
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	A road leads to Craig, Klawock and Hollis, where the Inter-Island Ferry docks.	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Taquan Air Service; Ketchikan Air Service	

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES			
Lodging			
Housing Facility	Website	Phone	
Marlene Edenshaw's Boarding House		285-3254	
Fran Sanderson's B&B		285-3139	
Food Service & Groceries			
Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
Hyda Market	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		285-3311
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria /		



	Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		

**Supplies & Other Services**

	Name	Phone
General Store		
Hardware Store		
Bank or ATM		
[Other]		

**Fuel**

Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
[Name/Operator]			

Tank Farm	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity
Haida Oil Products			6 tanks/ 100,000 gals
Haida Apartment Bldg.			1,100
Alaska Power & Telephone			2 @ 21,000

**Communications and Utilities**

	Name/Service Provider
Telephone (Landline)	Alaska Telephone Company/AP&T
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom; Alaska Telephone
Internet Service Provider	Alaska Power & Telephone Company
Electricity Provider	Alaska Power Company
Local Power Plant	
School Power Plant	
Primary Water Supply System:	
Primary Sewage System:	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.*

**Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities**

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	Internet Yes/No
ANB Hall			
Hydaburg Municipal Building			
Hydaburg Elementary School			

Hydaburg Jr./Sr. High School		
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>		
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>
Ball Park	Call the City Office, 285-3761	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>		
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe	285-3666	1
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
[other]		
[other]		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Hydaburg has a fishing and timber-based economy, with 22 residents holding commercial fishing permits in 2011. The Haida Corporation owns a substantial timber holding, although it suspended logging in 1985 due to a decline in the timber market. The Corporation's log storage facility and sort yard are leased to Sealaska Corp., where residents are employed with Southeast Stevedoring part-time in shipping and loading timber. The city, school, Haida Corp. and SEARHC are other leading employers. The community is interested in developing a fish processing facility, a U.S. Forest Service Visitor Center, specialty woodworking, and a mini-mall/retail center. Subsistence food sources include deer, salmon, halibut, shrimp and crab.

**Culture & Demographics:**

During the mid to late 1700s, the Haida Indians migrated to Prince of Wales, a predominantly Tlingit area, from Graham Island in the Queen Charlotte Islands, Canada. In 1911, three Haida villages (Sukkwan, Howkan and Klinkwan) combined at the present site for their children to attend school; it was designated as the Hydaburg Indian Reservation in 1912. The new village established a trading company, store and sawmill. However, the villagers were never comfortable with the arrangement, and at their request in 1926, the land was restored to its former status as part of the Tongass National Forest, with 189 acres of land reserved for the school and townsite disposals. Hydaburg was incorporated as a city in 1927, three years after its people had become citizens of the United States. The first fish processing plant opened in 1927, and three other canneries operated through the 1930s. When the Indian Reorganization Act (IRA) was amended in 1936 to

include Alaska Natives, Hydaburg became the first village in Alaska to form an IRA Council. Hydaburg remains the largest Haida village in Alaska. Residents maintain a subsistence and commercial fishing lifestyle. A totem park, developed in the 1930s, is located in the village. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Hydaburg Cooperative Association, with 90% of the population Alaska Native or part Native.

**9770.9.8 – Hyder Community Profile**

**Hyder**

**Population:** 94 (2011 Alaska Department of Labor Estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** N/A

**Location & Climate:**

Hyder is nestled at the head of Portland Canal, a 70 mile-long fjord, which forms a portion of the U.S./Canadian border. Hyder is just two miles from Stewart, British Columbia, 75 air miles from Ketchikan, and lies at approximately 55.916940° North Latitude and -130.02472° West Longitude. (Sec. 01, T069S, R100E, Copper River Meridian.) Hyder is located in the Ketchikan Recording District. It is the only community below Haines and Skagway in southeastern Alaska accessible by road. Hyder is in the maritime climate zone with warm winters, cool summers and heavy precipitation: summer temperatures range from 41 to 57° F; winters range from 25 to 43° F. Temperature extremes have been measured from -18 to 89° F. Rainfall averages 78 inches annually, with an annual mean snowfall of 162 inches.

*(Note: Hyder is the only town in Alaska that does not use the 907 area code.)*

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	None	<b>Fire:</b> Hyder VFD	250-636-9148
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Hyder Emergency Services	250-636-6804/2722
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b> State Troopers in Ketchikan	225-5118	<b>Hospital:</b> Hyder Health Clinic Stewart General Hospital in B.C., Canada flight to Ketchikan or Juneau	

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> Hyder Community Association, Inc	<b>Phone:</b> 250-636-9148	<b>Fax:</b> 250-636-2518	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 149 Hyder, AK 99923-0149	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Tongass Power & Light Company	<b>Phone:</b> 250-638-8101	<b>Fax:</b> 250-638-5695	<b>Website:</b>

<b>Address:</b> 5220 Keith Avenue Terrace, BC V8G 4R5	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
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TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	Yes.
<b>AIR:</b>		Hyder usually is accessed by the twice-weekly mail plane or chartered float plane out of Ketchikan. A gravel airstrip is located in Stewart B.C.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>		
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	A spur road off the Cassiar Hwy through Canada provides road access north to the Alaska Hwy. or south to the Yellowhead Hwy.	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Taquan Air Service	

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES			
Lodging			
Housing Facility	Website	Phone	
Kathy's Korner B&B		250-636-2393	
Sealaska Inn		604-636-9001	
Grand View Inn		604-636-9174	
King Edward Hotel in Stewart, BC		604-636-2244	
Food Service & Groceries			
Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria / Grocery Store]		
Supplies & Other Services			
	Name	Phone	
General Store			

Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	Alaska Telephone Company/AP&T		
Telephone (Cellular)	Telus (Canadian Company)		
Internet Service Provider	Telus		
Electricity Provider	Tongass Power & Light Company and BC Hydro		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:			
Primary Sewage System:			

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Hyder Public Safety/Community Hall			
Hyder School			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			
[other]			
[other]			

Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Hyder's economy is based primarily on tourism today; visitors cross the border from Canada. Four of the five largest employers are tourist-related, and visitor services are shared with Stewart, B.C. A bottled water business employs local residents. Four residents hold commercial fishing permits. Recreational fishing and hunting provide food for some families. Deer, salmon, shrimp and crab are the favorite resources.

**Culture & Demographics:**

The Nisga'a tribe, who live throughout western British Columbia, called the head of Portland Canal "Skam-A-Kounst," meaning "safe place," probably referring to the site as a retreat from the harassment of the coastal Haidas. The Nisga'a used this area as a seasonal berry-picking and bird-hunting site. In 1896, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers explored Portland Canal. Gold and silver lodes were discovered in this area in late 1898, mainly on the Canadian side in the upper Salmon River basin. Townships sprung up concurrently on the Alaskan and Canadian sides of the border: on the Alaskan side, the township of Portland City was founded. In 1914, local prospectors applied for a postal permit for the settlement, but were denied on the basis that too many United States communities shared the name "Portland." So the community chose Hyder, after Frederick Hyder, a respected Canadian mining engineer who predicted a bright future for the area. Hyder was the only practical point of access to the silver mining properties in Canada, and the community became the ocean port, supply point, and post office for miners by 1917. The Riverside Mine on U.S. territory extracted gold, silver, copper, lead, zinc, and tungsten, operating from 1924 until 1950 and providing Hyder's boom years, primarily between 1920 and 1930. In 1948, the townsite, built on pilings, was destroyed by fire. By 1956, all major mining in the region had closed except for the Granduc Copper Mine in Canada, which operated until 1984. Several mining startups near Stewart have come and gone in the past three decades, but no mining activity has occurred on the Alaskan side of the border since the Riverside Mine closed. The population of the community consists of 4.1% Alaska Native or part Native. Hyder is dependent on tourism from ferry and highway visitors and is known as the "Friendliest Ghost Town in Alaska." Due to its isolation from other Alaskan communities and its close proximity to Stewart, British Columbia (population 500), Hyder has many cultural ties with Canada and also receives electric and telephone service from Canadian companies, thus it uses the 250 area code (Hyder is the only community in Alaska not using the 907 area code.) Because of its proximity to the border and the lack of banks in Hyder or Stewart, Hyder businesses operate on either U.S. or Canadian currency.

**9770.9.9 – Juneau Community Profile**

**Juneau**

**Population:** 32,290 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Unified Home Rule Municipality

**Borough Located In:** Juneau

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Located on the mainland of Southeast Alaska, opposite Douglas Island, Juneau was built at the heart of the Inside Passage along the Gastineau Channel. The city lies 900 air miles northwest of Seattle and 577 air miles southeast of Anchorage, at approximately 58.30194° North Latitude and -134.41972° West Longitude. (Sec. 23, T041S, R067E, Copper River Meridian.) Juneau, located in the mildest climate zone in Alaska, has a mild, maritime climate: average summer temperatures range from 44 to 65° F; winter temperatures range from 25 to 35° F. Annual precipitation is 92 inches in downtown Juneau and 54 inches at the airport ten miles north. Snowfall averages 101 inches.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b> Borough Police Dept	586-0600	<b>Fire:</b> Capital City Fire/Rescue	Dispatch: 911 Office: 586-5322
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Capital City Fire/Rescue/EMS Dept	
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	465-4000	<b>Hospital:</b> Bartlett Regional Hospital	586-2611 / 463-4919 / 465-3353

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City & Borough of Juneau	<b>Phone:</b> 586-5240	<b>Fax:</b> 586-5385	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.juneau.org/">http://www.juneau.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 155 South Seward Street, Juneau, AK 99801,	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Juneau Chamber of Commerce	<b>Phone:</b> 463-3488	<b>Fax:</b> 463-3489	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 3100 Channel	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>



Drive, Suite 300, Juneau, AK 99801			
<b>Name:</b> Juneau Convention & Visitors Bureau	<b>Phone:</b> 586-1737	<b>Fax:</b> 463-4961	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.juneau.com/">http://www.juneau.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 369 S. Franklin Street, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> jcvb@ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Juneau Economic Dev. Council	<b>Phone:</b> 463-3662	<b>Fax:</b> 463-3929	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.jedc.org/">http://www.jedc.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 612 W. Willoughby Avenue, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> admin@jedc.org
<b>Name:</b> Alaska Electric Light & Power Co.	<b>Phone:</b> 463-3304	<b>Fax:</b> 463-3304	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.aelp.com/">http://www.aelp.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 5601 Tonsgard Court, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> webmaster@aelp.com
<b>Name:</b> Tlingit-Haida Regional Electrical Authority	<b>Phone:</b> 789-3196	<b>Fax:</b> 798-0585	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 210149, Auke Bay, AK 99821	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Tlingit-Haida Reg Housing Authority	<b>Phone:</b> 780-6868	<b>Fax:</b> 780-6895	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 32237,	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> thrha@ptialaska.net

Juneau, AK 99803			
<b>Name:</b> Capitol Information Group	<b>Phone:</b> 586-3118	<b>Fax:</b> 586-1987	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 319 Seward St. #6, Juneau, AK 99501	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> KTOO Radio & TV	<b>Phone:</b> 586-1670	<b>Fax:</b> 586-2561	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 360 Egan Drive, Juneau, AK 99801-1748	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> KJUD TV	<b>Phone:</b> 586-1670	<b>Fax:</b> 586-2561	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 175 S. Franklin, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> KATH TV	<b>Phone:</b> 586-8384	<b>Fax:</b> 586-8394	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 1107 W 8th, #1, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> kathtv@ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> KINY/KSUP Radio	<b>Phone:</b> 586-1800	<b>Fax:</b> 586-3266	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 1107 W. 8th Ave., Suite 2, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Alaska Fishermen's Journal	<b>Phone:</b> 463-5455	<b>Fax:</b> 463-5415	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 2 Marine Way, Suite 208, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> junobob@alaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Juneau Empire	<b>Phone:</b> 586-3740	<b>Fax:</b> 586-3028	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.juneauempire.com/">http://www.juneauempire.com/</a>

<b>Address:</b> 3100 Channel Drive, Juneau, AK 99801-7814	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Alaska Municipal League	<b>Phone:</b> 586-1325	<b>Fax:</b> 463-5480	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 217 Second Street #200, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> juliek@pobox.alaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Southeast Alaska Conservation Council	<b>Phone:</b> 586-6942	<b>Fax:</b> 463-3312	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.seacc.org/">http://www.seacc.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 419 Sixth St., #328, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> info@seacc.org
<b>Name:</b> Southeast Conference	<b>Phone:</b> 463-3445	<b>Fax:</b> 463-4425	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.seconference.org/">http://www.seconference.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 21989, Juneau, AK 99802	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> Loren_Gerhard@seconference.org
<b>Name:</b> Southeast Alaska Regional Health Consortium	<b>Phone:</b> 463-4000	<b>Fax:</b> 463-4075	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.searhc.org/">http://www.searhc.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 3245 Hospital Dr., Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> webmaster@searhc.org
<b>Name:</b> Alyeska Central School	<b>Phone:</b> 465-2835	<b>Fax:</b> 465-2935	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 3141 Channel Dr., #100, Juneau, AK 99801-7897	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> michael_opp@eed.state.ak.us

<b>Name:</b> Juneau Borough Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 463-1700	<b>Fax:</b> 463-1768	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.juneauschools.org/">http://www.juneauschools.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 10014 Crazy Horse Dr., Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> baderg@jsd.k12.ak.us
<b>Name:</b> Sealaska Corporation	<b>Phone:</b> 586-1512	<b>Fax:</b> 586-1826	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.sealaska.com/">http://www.sealaska.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> One Sealaska Plaza #400, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> ross.soboleff@sealaska.com
<b>Village Corporation:</b> Goldbelt	<b>Phone:</b> 790-4990	<b>Fax:</b> 790-4999	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.goldbelt.com/">http://www.goldbelt.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 9097 Glacier Hwy. #200, Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Email:</b> goldbelt@goldbelt.com		
<b>Village Council:</b> Aukquan Traditional Council	<b>Phone:</b> 465-4120	<b>Fax:</b> 790-2550	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 9296 Stephen Richards Memorial Dr., Juneau, AK 99801	<b>Email:</b>		
<b>Village Council:</b> Central Council Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska	<b>Phone:</b> 586-1432	<b>Fax:</b> 586-8970	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.ccthita.org/">http://www.ccthita.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 320 W. Willoughby	<b>Email:</b> econdev@ccthita.org		

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TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>	Juneau International Airport	Scheduled and charter flights available.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Yes (Alaska Marine Highway (ferry) System)
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Municipal Bus System; Taxis: Capital Cab; Taku Glacier Cab; Alaska Cab;	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	Avis; Hertz; All Star; Payless; Rent-a-Wreck	
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Alaska Airlines; Alaska Coastal; Era Helicopters; Temsco Helicopters; Ward Air; Wings of Alaska	

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES			
Lodging			
Housing Facility	Website	Phone	
Alaskan Hotel			
The Driftwood Lodge			
Breakwater Inn			
Prospector Hotel			
Cashen Quarters B&B			
Goldbelt Hotel			
Westmark Baranof			
Best Western			
Grandma's Featherbed Travelodge			
Frontier Suites			
Blueberry Lodge B&B			
Inn at the Waterfront			
Silverbow Inn			
Super 8 Motel			
Best Western Country Lane Inn			
Pearson's Pond Luxury Inn and Garden Spa			
Juneau International Youth Hostel			
Food Service & Groceries			
Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		

	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Washeteria			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
		<b>Fuel Available</b>	
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>		<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
		<b>Fuel Available</b>	
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>		<b>Capacity</b>
Delta Western			
Petro Marine			
Crowly			
AEL&P/Auke Bay Power Plant			125,000 gals
AEL&P Lemon Creek Power Plant			200,000 gals
Klukwan Forest Products			11 tanks/ 126,500 gals
Echo Bay Alaska Inc./Kensington Mine			3 tanks/ 60,000 gals
Greens Creek Mine/Admiralty Island			6 tanks/ 366,000 gals
Landfill			12,500 gals
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)			
Telephone (Cellular)	GCI		
Internet Service Provider	GCI		
Electricity Provider	Alaska Electric Light & Power Company		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:			
Primary Sewage System:			

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Private/Zach Gordon Youth Center Community Hall			
Centennial Hall			
Borough Assembly Chambers			
Moose Lodge			
Elks Lodge			
Bingo Hall			
Movie Theater			
Alaska State Museum			
Library			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			
[other]			
[other]			
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?			
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitude</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>	

**Economy:**

As the State capital, State and federal employment provide the bulk of jobs, with tourism providing a major seasonal boost. State government, the City & Borough of Juneau, and federal agencies provide nearly 45% of the employment in the community. Juneau is home to State legislators and their staff during the legislative session between January and May. Tourism, based primarily on ships cruising the Inside Passage, is a significant contributor to the private sector economy during the summer months, providing a \$130 million income and nearly 2,000 jobs. Over 690,000 visitors arrive by cruise ship, and another 100,000 independent travelers visit Juneau each year. Support services for logging and fish processing contribute to the Juneau economy, and 357 residents hold commercial fishing permits. DIPAC, a private non-profit organization, operates a fish hatchery that increases the local salmon population. The Kennecott Green's Creek Mine produces gold, silver, lead and zinc, and is the largest silver mine in North America.

**Culture & Demographics:**

The area was a fish camp for the indigenous Tlingit Indians. In 1880, nearly 20 years before the gold rushes to the Klondike and Nome, Chief Kowee of the Auk Tribe lead Joe Juneau and Richard Harris to Gold Creek, where they found mother lode deposits upstream, staked mining claims, and developed a 160-acre-incorporated city, which brought many prospectors to the area. The City of Juneau was formed in 1900 and the State capital transferred from Sitka to Juneau in 1906. The Treadwell and Ready Bullion mines across the channel on Douglas Island became world-scale mines, operating from 1882 until 1917, when a cave-in and flood closed the Treadwell mine. In 1916, the Alaska-Juneau gold mine was built on the mainland, becoming the largest operation of its kind in the world, before closing in 1944. A sawmill, the fishing industry, canneries, and transportation and trading services contributed to Juneau's growth through the early 1900s. In 1970, the City of Juneau and City of Douglas were unified into the City & Borough of Juneau. Juneau, the third largest community in Alaska, has a Native Tlingit history along with a strong historical influence from the early prospectors and boom town that grew around mining operations. About one-third of residents live downtown or on Douglas Island; the remaining two-thirds live elsewhere along the road system, mostly in the Mendenhall Valley. Federally-recognized tribes located in the community include the Central Council Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska; the Douglas Indian Association; and the Aukquan Traditional Council (not recognized), and 17% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native.



**9770.9.10 – Kake Community Profile**

**Kake**

**Population:** 579 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Sealaska Corporation

**Location & Climate:**

Kake is located on the northwest coast of Kupreanof Island along Keku Strait, 38 air miles northwest of Petersburg, and 95 air miles southwest of Juneau, at approximately 56.975830° North Latitude and -133.94722° West Longitude. (Sec. 34, T056S, R072E, Copper River Meridian.) Kake is located in the Petersburg Recording District. Kake has a maritime climate characterized by cool summers and mild winters: average summer temperatures range from 44 to 62° F; winter temperatures average 26 to 43° F. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -14 to 88. Kake receives less precipitation than is typical of Southeast Alaska, averaging 54 inches a year, with 44 inches of snow.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b> City Police Dept	785-3393	<b>Fire:</b>	None
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Kake EMS Clinic	785-3333/785-3393
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	None	<b>Hospital:</b> Kake Health Center	785-3333 flight to Sitka or Juneau

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Kake	<b>Phone:</b> 785-3804	<b>Fax:</b> 785-4815	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 500, Kake, AK 99830	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b> kakecityclerk@starband.net	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Kake City School District	<b>Phone:</b> 785-3741	<b>Fax:</b> 785-6439	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 450, Kake, AK 99830	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> %20egebhart@hotmail.com

<b>Village Council:</b> Kake Tribal Corporation	<b>Phone:</b> 785-3221	<b>Fax:</b> 785-6407	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 263, Kake, AK 99830	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Village Council:</b> Organized Village of Kake (IRA)	<b>Phone:</b> 785-6471	<b>Fax:</b> 785-4902	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 316, Kake, AK 99830-0316	<b>Email:</b> keexkwaan@starband.net		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
		There are scheduled float plane and air taxi flights from Petersburg, Juneau, Sitka and Wrangell. Kake has a State-owned 4,000' long by 100' wide lighted paved runway west of town, and a seaplane base at the City dock.
<b>AIR:</b>		
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Yes. State ferry terminal.
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>		
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		There are about 120 miles of logging roads in the Kake area, but no connections to other communities on Kupreanof Island.
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
<b>Airline Services:</b>		Alaska Seaplane Service, Air Excursions

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES		
Lodging		
Housing Facility	Website	Phone
Rocky Pass Resort		
Keex' Kwaan Lodge		785-3434
Waterfront Lodge		785-3472
Nugget Inn		

<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		

<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>		
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>
General Store		
Hardware Store		
Bank or ATM		
[Other]		

<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Kake Tribal Corp			177,974 gals
THREA			67,296 gals
SOS Value Mart			5,000 gals
Tlingit Haida Senior Center			1,000 gals
City/Community Bldg			3,563 gals
Kake Hatchery			2,200 gals
Temsco Helicopters			1,000 gals

<b>Communications and Utilities</b>	
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>
Telephone (Landline)	ACS of the Northland
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom
Internet Service Provider	SEAKnet, GCI – School only
Electricity Provider	Inside Passage Electric Cooperative
Local Power Plant	
School Power Plant	
Primary Water Supply System:	
Primary Sewage System:	

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Community Bldg.			

Kake City Hall	Contact William Lee, 785-3804		
Tribal Council	Contact Larain Jackson, 785-3221		
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			
ADEC response equipment conex	contact the city, 785-3804.		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?			
Location	Latitude & Longitute	Reason for protection	

**Economy:**

The city, school district, and Kake Tribal Corp. are the largest employers. Fishing, seafood processing, and logging contribute considerably to the economy. In 2011, 31 residents held commercial fishing permits, down from the 67 in 1999. The non-profit Gunnuk Creek Hatchery has assisted in sustaining the salmon fishery. Kake Foods produces smoked and dried salmon and halibut. Turn Mountain Timber, a joint venture between Whitestone Logging and Kake Tribal Corp., employs residents in logging tribal corporation lands. Southeast Stevedoring, a Sealaska contractor, also provides employment at the log sort yard and transfer facility at Point McCarny. Salmon, halibut, shellfish, deer, bear, waterfowl and berries are important food sources.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Historically, the Kake tribe of the Tlingits controlled the trade routes around Kuiu and Kupreanof islands, defending their territory against other tribal groups in the region. Ventures into the region by early European explorers and traders resulted in occasional skirmishes between Native Tlingits and the foreigners. Tensions between locals and outsiders had been escalating when, in 1869, a non-Native sentry at the settlement in Sitka shot and killed a Kake Native. In accordance with their traditional custom, the Kakes then killed two prospectors in retribution. In reprisal, the U.S. Navy sent the *USS Saginaw* to punish the Kakes by shelling their villages and destroying their homes,

boats and stored foods. The Kake people survived this onslaught, but were forced to disperse and live with other tribes to survive. Over the following 20 years, the Kakes regrouped at the current village site. In 1891, a government school and store were built and a Society of Friends mission established. In the early part of this century, Kake became the first Alaska Native village to organize under federal law, resulting in U.S. citizenship for community residents. A post office was established in 1904, and the first cannery was built near Kake in 1912. After the Second World War, timber harvesting and processing became a major local industry. The city incorporated in 1952. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community -- the Organized Village of Kake; Central Council Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska. The population of the community consists of 75% Alaska Native or part Native. It is a Tlingit village with a fishing, logging and subsistence lifestyle; traditional customs are important to the Kakes. The world's largest totem pole was commissioned by Kake and carved by Chilkats in 1967 for Alaska's centennial celebration; the 132-foot totem pole now stands on a bluff overlooking town. Sale of alcohol is restricted to the city-owned package store.

**9770.9.11 – Ketchikan Community Profile**

**Ketchikan**

**Population:** 8,142 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Home Rule City

**Borough Located In:** Ketchikan Gateway Borough

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Ketchikan, located on the southwestern coast of Revillagigedo Island, opposite Gravina Island, near the southern boundary of Alaska is 679 miles north of Seattle and 235 miles south of Juneau, at approximately 55.34222° North Latitude and -131.64611° West Longitude (Sec. 30, T075S, R091E, Copper River Meridian. The area lies in the maritime climate zone noted for its warm winters, cool summers, and heavy precipitation: summer temperatures range from 51 to 65° F, winter temperatures from 29 to 39° F. Ketchikan averages 162 inches (13.5 feet) of precipitation annually, including 32 inches of snowfall.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b> City Police Dept.	225-6631	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire/EMS	225-9616 or 225-6631, 24hr.
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> South Tongass Fire/EMS Division Pond Reef Vol. Fire/EMS Temsco Helicopters/Pond Reef Medi-Flite	225-13226  247-2698 225-5141
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	225-5118	<b>Hospital:</b> Ketchikan General Hospital Ketchikan Tribal Health Clinic Gateway Center for Human Services U.S. Coast Guard Ketchikan Dispensary	225-5171  225-4135 228-0320
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	228-5632		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> Greater Ketchikan	<b>Phone:</b> 225-3184	<b>Fax:</b> 225-3187	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.ketchikanchamber.com/">http://www.ketchikanchamber.com/</a>

Chamber of Commerce			
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 5957, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> kchamber@ktn.net
<b>Name:</b> City of Ketchikan	<b>Phone:</b> 228-5603	<b>Fax:</b> 225-5075	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.city.ketchikan.ak.us/">http://www.city.ketchikan.ak.us/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 334 Front Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> mayor@city.ketchikan.ak.us
<b>Name:</b> Ketchikan Visitors Bureau	<b>Phone:</b> 225-6166	<b>Fax:</b> 225-4250	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.visit-ketchikan.com/">http://www.visit-ketchikan.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 131 Front Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> kvb@ktn.net
<b>Name:</b> Ketchikan Cable News	<b>Phone:</b> 225-3157	<b>Fax:</b> 225-1096	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 7900, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> mailbag@ktn.net
<b>Name:</b> KTKN-AM/KGTW-FM	<b>Phone:</b> 225-3699	<b>Fax:</b> 225-0444	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 526 Stedman St., Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> ktknkgw@ktn.net
<b>Name:</b> KFMJ Radio	<b>Phone:</b> 247-3699	<b>Fax:</b> 247-5365	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.thelocalpaper.com/">http://www.thelocalpaper.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 516 Stedman, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> kfmj@ktn.net
<b>Name:</b> KRBD Radio	<b>Phone:</b> 225-9655	<b>Fax:</b> 247-0808	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 123 Stedman Street, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> bdnews@ptialaska.net

<b>Name:</b> Ketchikan Daily News	<b>Phone:</b> 225-3157	<b>Fax:</b> 225-1096	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.ketchikandailynews.com/">http://www.ketchikandailynews.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 7900, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> kdn@ktn.net
<b>Village Council:</b> Ketchikan Indian Corporation	<b>Phone:</b> 228-4941	<b>Fax:</b> 247-5158	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.kictribe.org/">http://www.kictribe.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 2960 Tongass Avenue, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Email:</b> kictribe@ktn.org		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		State-owned Ketchikan International Airport, located on nearby Gravina Island, a 10-minute ferry ride to the waterfront, offers a paved, lighted 7,500' runway. There are four floatplane landing facilities: Tongass Narrows, Peninsula Point, Ketchikan Harbor, and Murphy's.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Alaska Marine Highway (ferry) System provides passenger and vehicle transport to ports north and south
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: Sourdough; Alaska Cab; Yellow Taxi; Borough Transit System	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	Avis; Payless; Alaska Car Rental	
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Alaska Airlines; Ketchikan Air Service; Taquan Air; Pro-Mech Air; Seaside Air; Misty Fjords Air & Outfitting; Temsco	

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES
<b>Lodging</b>



<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Westmark Cape Fox Lodge		225-8001	
Best Western Landing		225-5166	
Ingersoll Hotel			
Gilmore Hotel		225-9423	
Best Western Landing			
Super 8 Motel		225-9088	
Ketchikan Youth Hostel	(summer only)		
Alaska's Rain Forest Inn			
Clover Pass RV			
Internet Reservations for 20 B&Bs	<a href="http://www.ktn.net/krs/index.html">http://www.ktn.net/krs/index.html</a>		
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	

General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Petro Marine			
Island Fuels Inc./Petro Alaska			3 tanks/60,000 gals
Boyer Alaska Barge Lines			5 tanks/ 150,000 gal
Ketchikan Utilities			230,000 gal
E.C. Phillips & Son			9,100 gal
Andrews Oil			920,500 gal
White Pass Alaska			6,902,100 gal
Ward Cove Packing			7,000 gal
Salmon Falls Marine			
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	Ketchikan Public Utilities		
Telephone (Cellular)	GCI; ACS Long Distance		
Internet Service Provider	ACS Internet ( <a href="http://www.acsalaska.net">www.acsalaska.net</a> ); AT&T WorldNet ( <a href="http://www.worldnet.att.net">www.worldnet.att.net</a> ); GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); Ketchikan Public Utilities ( <a href="http://www.kpunet.net">www.kpunet.net</a> ); SkyTalkwest Telecom		

Electricity Provider	Ketchikan Public Utilities (225-5505) purchases power from the state-owned Swan Lake Hydro Facility and owns three hydroelectric plants -- Ketchikan, Beaver Falls, and Silvis -- and two diesel-fueled plants.
Local Power Plant	
School Power Plant	
Primary Water Supply System:	
Primary Sewage System:	

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Ted Ferry Civic Center	228-5655		
American Legion Hall			
Coliseum Twin Theatre			
Public city and school library.			
Houghtaling Elementary School			
Ketchikan Charter School			
Ketchikan Correspondence			
Ketchikan High School			
Point Higgins School			
Revilla Jr./Sr. High School			
Schoenbar Middle School			
Southeast Island Correspondence			
Valley Park Elementary School			
White Cliff Elementary School			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
Fire Station #2	Contact Chief, 225-9616		
AMHS Parking Lot (Ferry)	Contact AMHS		
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			

Backhoe		
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
SEAPRO	Dave Owings, 225-7002	
ADEC response equipment conex	contact the Director of Ports & Harbors, 228-5632	
USCG response equipment conex		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Ketchikan is an industrial center with a diverse economy and a major port of entry in Southeast Alaska. Ketchikan is supported by a large fishing fleet, fish processing, tourism and timber industries. In 2011, 335 area residents held commercial fishing permits. Several processing and cold storage facilities support the fishing industry. The state operates the Deer Mountain Hatchery, which produces over 450,000 King salmon, Coho salmon, Steelhead and Rainbow trout annually. Cruise ships bring over 650,000 visitors, and another 50,000 independent travelers visit Ketchikan each year.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Tongass and Cape Fox Tlingits traditionally used Ketchikan Creek as a fish camp, which they called "kitschk-hin," meaning creek of the "thundering wings of an eagle." The abundant fish and timber resources attracted non-Natives to Ketchikan. In 1885, Chief Kyan sold 160 acres, which later became the township. The first cannery opened in 1886 near the mouth of Ketchikan Creek, and four more were built by 1912. The Ketchikan Post Office was established in 1892, and the city incorporated in 1900, by which time nearby gold and copper discoveries briefly brought bustling activity to Ketchikan as a mining supply center. During 1936, seven canneries were in operation, producing 1.5 million cases of salmon. The need for lumber for new construction and packing boxes spawned the Ketchikan Spruce Mills in 1903, which operated for over 70 years. Spruce was in high demand during World War II, and Ketchikan became a supply center for area logging. A \$55 million pulp mill was constructed at Ward Cove near Ketchikan in 1954, and its operation fueled growth in the community. After 43 years, the mill's 50-year contract with the U.S. Forest Service for timber was canceled, and the pulp mill closed in March 1997. The largest collection of totem poles in the world is found at the Totem Bight State Historical Park and the Totem Heritage Center Museum in Saxman Native Village. Federally-recognized tribes located in the community include the Ketchikan Indian Corporation and the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska. Over 22% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native, and most Native residents are Tlingit.



**9770.9.12 – Klawock Community Profile**

**Klawock**

**Population:** 813 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Klawock is located on the west coast of Prince of Wales Island, on Klawock Inlet, across from Klawock Island. It is 7 road-miles north of Craig, 24 road-miles from Hollis, and 56 air-miles west of Ketchikan, at approximately 55.55222° North Latitude and -133.09583° West Longitude. (Sec. 09, T073S, R081E, Copper River Meridian.) Klawock is located in the Ketchikan Recording District. Prince of Wales Island is dominated by a cool, moist, maritime climate: summer temperatures range from 49 to 63° F; winter temperatures range 32 to 42° F. Average annual precipitation is 120 inches, including 40 inches of snow.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	755-2777	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire/EMS/Ambulance	775-2222
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Klawock Volunteer Fire/EMS Prince of Wales Island Area EMS	755-2261 826-2367/3330
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	755-2918	<b>Hospital:</b> Alicia Roberts Medical Center	775-4800
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	775-2260		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Klawock	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2261	<b>Fax:</b> 755-2403	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.cityofklawock.com/">http://www.cityofklawock.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 469, Klawock, AK 99925	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> sybilg@cityofklawock.com
<b>Name:</b> Big Salt Community Association	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2184	<b>Fax:</b> 755-2174	<b>Website:</b>

<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 57, Klawock, AK 99925	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Klawock City Schools District	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2220	<b>Fax:</b> 755-2320	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.klawockschool.com/">http://www.klawockschool.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 9, Klawock, AK 99925-0009	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> v_steward@hotmail.com
<b>Village Corporation:</b> Klawock Heenya Corporation	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2270	<b>Fax:</b> 755-2966	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.klawockheenya.com/">http://www.klawockheenya.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 129, Klawock, AK 99925	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> marge@klawockheenya.com
<b>Village Council:</b> Klawock Cooperative Association	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2265	<b>Fax:</b> 755-8800	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 430, Klawock, AK 99925	<b>Email:</b>		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		The only airstrip on Prince of Wales Island is located here, a 5,000' paved runway. A seaplane base is operated by the State on the Klawock River.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	connected by the Island road system to other communities, including Hollis where the Inter-Island Ferry offers passenger and vehicle service.
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: Chief Wiah Cab; Irish Setter Cab; Prince of Wales Transporter	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	connected by the Island road system to other communities, including Hollis where the Inter-Island Ferry offers passenger and vehicle service.	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	Log Cabin Sports Rentals	

<b>Airline Services:</b>	Ketchikan Air Service; Taquan Air; Island Air Express
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**LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES**

**Lodging**

Housing Facility	Website	Phone
Fireweed Lodge/Restaurant		755-2930
Columbine Inn		
Log Cabin Resort/RV Park		755-2205
Bay Inn		
Prince of Wales Lodge		755-2227
P&P RV Park School		

**Food Service & Groceries**

Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		

**Supplies & Other Services**

	Name	Phone
General Store		
Hardware Store		
Bank or ATM		
[Other]		

**Fuel**

Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season



[Name/O perator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Klawock Island Fuels			4 tanks/ 120,000 gals
THREA			1,000 gal
Viking Lumber Co.			19,984 gal
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephon e (Landline)	ACS of the Northland		
Telephon e (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom		
Internet Service Provider	Alaska Power & Telephone Company ( <a href="http://www.aptalaska.net">www.aptalaska.net</a> )		
Electricity Provider	Alaska Power Company: the Tlingit-Haida Regional Electric Authority (THREA) purchases electricity from Alaska Power & Telephone over the Craig/Klawock intertie. THREA also owns four standby diesel generators in Klawock..		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:			
Primary Sewage System:			

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>

City Youth Center		
AND/ANS Hall		
Klawock City School		
Potential Staging Areas		
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size
Local Spill Response Equipment		
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Quantity
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe		
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
USCG response equipment conex		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitute	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

The economy has been dependent on fishing and cannery operations in the past, but the timber industry has risen in prominence; Sealaska's logging operations through a contract with Shaan-Seet, Inc. provide employment in logging and ship-loading in the Klawock and Craig area. The state operates a fish hatchery on Klawock Lake that contributes to the local salmon population, but cannery operations were closed in the late 1980s. In 2011, 31 residents held commercial fishing permits. City and school district employment also provide local employment. Subsistence foods include deer, salmon, halibut, shrimp and crab.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Early inhabitants from Tuxekan, a Tlingit winter village to the north, used Klawock as a summer fishing camp, which has also been known as Klawerak, Tlevak, Clevak and Klawak. The history of Klawock is closely tied to the fishing industry: a trading post and salmon saltery were established in 1868, and the first cannery in Alaska built here by a San Francisco firm in 1878. The subsequent canneries that sprouted in the area contracted Chinese laborers. A hatchery for red salmon operated at Klawock Lake between 1897 and 1917. In 1929, Klawock incorporated as a city, and a school was constructed. In 1934, Klawock received federal funds under the Wheeler Howard Act

to develop a local cannery on the condition that residents voted to be liquor-free. In 1971 the Alaska Timber Corp. built a sawmill; soon after, the Klawock-Heenya Village Corp., the Shaan Seet Corp. of Craig, and Sealaska Timber Corp. expanded area facilities with a log sort yard outside of Klawock and a deep-water dock on Klawock Island. The State constructed a new salmon hatchery on Klawock Lake in 1978, very near the former hatchery site. Most residents pursue a subsistence lifestyle to provide food sources. The community takes great pride in its Totem Park, which displays 21 restored totem poles and replicas from the old village; the Totem Park includes a Heritage Center and Long House. Klawock is a mixed Tlingit and non-Native city; a federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Klawock Cooperative Association, and 58% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native. Sale of alcohol is restricted to the city-owned package store.

**9770.9.13 – Metlakatla Community Profile**

**Klawock**

**Population:** 813 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Klawock is located on the west coast of Prince of Wales Island, on Klawock Inlet, across from Klawock Island. It is 7 road-miles north of Craig, 24 road-miles from Hollis, and 56 air-miles west of Ketchikan, at approximately 55.55222° North Latitude and -133.09583° West Longitude. (Sec. 09, T073S, R081E, Copper River Meridian.) Klawock is located in the Ketchikan Recording District. Prince of Wales Island is dominated by a cool, moist, maritime climate: summer temperatures range from 49 to 63° F; winter temperatures range 32 to 42° F. Average annual precipitation is 120 inches, including 40 inches of snow.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	755-2777	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire/EMS/Ambulance	775-2222
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Klawock Volunteer Fire/EMS Prince of Wales Island Area EMS	755-2261 826-2367/3330
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	755-2918	<b>Hospital:</b> Alicia Roberts Medical Center	775-4800
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	775-2260		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Klawock	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2261	<b>Fax:</b> 755-2403	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.cityofklawock.com/">http://www.cityofklawock.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 469, Klawock, AK 99925	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> sybilg@cityofklawock.com
<b>Name:</b> Big Salt Community Association	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2184	<b>Fax:</b> 755-2174	<b>Website:</b>

<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 57, Klawock, AK 99925	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Klawock City Schools District	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2220	<b>Fax:</b> 755-2320	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.klawockschool.com/">http://www.klawockschool.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 9, Klawock, AK 99925-0009	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> v_steward@hotmail.com
<b>Village Corporation:</b> Klawock Heenya Corporation	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2270	<b>Fax:</b> 755-2966	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.klawockheenya.com/">http://www.klawockheenya.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 129, Klawock, AK 99925	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> marge@klawockheenya.com
<b>Village Council:</b> Klawock Cooperative Association	<b>Phone:</b> 755-2265	<b>Fax:</b> 755-8800	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 430, Klawock, AK 99925	<b>Email:</b>		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		The only airstrip on Prince of Wales Island is located here, a 5,000' paved runway. A seaplane base is operated by the State on the Klawock River.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	connected by the Island road system to other communities, including Hollis where the Inter-Island Ferry offers passenger and vehicle service.
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: Chief Wiah Cab; Irish Setter Cab; Prince of Wales Transporter	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	connected by the Island road system to other communities, including Hollis where the Inter-Island Ferry offers passenger and vehicle service.	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	Log Cabin Sports Rentals	

<b>Airline Services:</b>	Ketchikan Air Service; Taquan Air; Island Air Express
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<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>
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<b>Lodging</b>
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Housing Facility	Website	Phone
Fireweed Lodge/Restaurant		755-2930
Columbine Inn		
Log Cabin Resort/RV Park		755-2205
Bay Inn		
Prince of Wales Lodge		755-2227
P&P RV Park School		

<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>
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Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		

<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>
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	Name	Phone
General Store		
Hardware Store		
Bank or ATM		
[Other]		

<b>Fuel</b>
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Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season

[Name/O perator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Klawock Island Fuels			4 tanks/ 120,000 gals
THREA			1,000 gal
Viking Lumber Co.			19,984 gal
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephon e (Landline)	ACS of the Northland		
Telephon e (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom		
Internet Service Provider	Alaska Power & Telephone Company ( <a href="http://www.aptalaska.net">www.aptalaska.net</a> )		
Electricity Provider	Alaska Power Company: the Tlingit-Haida Regional Electric Authority (THREA) purchases electricity from Alaska Power & Telephone over the Craig/Klawock intertie. THREA also owns four standby diesel generators in Klawock..		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:			
Primary Sewage System:			

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>

City Youth Center		
AND/ANS Hall		
Klawock City School		
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>		
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>		
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe		
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
USCG response equipment conex		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitute	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

The economy has been dependent on fishing and cannery operations in the past, but the timber industry has risen in prominence; Sealaska's logging operations through a contract with Shaan-Seet, Inc. provide employment in logging and ship-loading in the Klawock and Craig area. The state operates a fish hatchery on Klawock Lake that contributes to the local salmon population, but cannery operations were closed in the late 1980s. In 2011, 31 residents held commercial fishing permits. City and school district employment also provide local employment. Subsistence foods include deer, salmon, halibut, shrimp and crab.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Early inhabitants from Tuxekan, a Tlingit winter village to the north, used Klawock as a summer fishing camp, which has also been known as Klawerak, Tlevak, Clevak and Klawak. The history of Klawock is closely tied to the fishing industry: a trading post and salmon saltery were established in 1868, and the first cannery in Alaska built here by a San Francisco firm in 1878. The subsequent canneries that sprouted in the area contracted Chinese laborers. A hatchery for red salmon operated at Klawock Lake between 1897 and 1917. In 1929, Klawock incorporated as a city, and a school was constructed. In 1934, Klawock received federal funds under the Wheeler Howard Act



to develop a local cannery on the condition that residents voted to be liquor-free. In 1971 the Alaska Timber Corp. built a sawmill; soon after, the Klawock-Heenya Village Corp., the Shaan Seet Corp. of Craig, and Sealaska Timber Corp. expanded area facilities with a log sort yard outside of Klawock and a deep-water dock on Klawock Island. The State constructed a new salmon hatchery on Klawock Lake in 1978, very near the former hatchery site. Most residents pursue a subsistence lifestyle to provide food sources. The community takes great pride in its Totem Park, which displays 21 restored totem poles and replicas from the old village; the Totem Park includes a Heritage Center and Long House. Klawock is a mixed Tlingit and non-Native city; a federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Klawock Cooperative Association, and 58% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native. Sale of alcohol is restricted to the city-owned package store.

**9770.9.14 – Pelican Community Profile**

**Pelican**

**Population:** 83 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Pelican is located on the northwest coast of Chichagof Island on Lisianski Inlet, 80 miles north of Sitka and 70 miles west of Juneau., at approximately 57.96083° North Latitude and -136.2275° West Longitude. (Sec. 19, T045S, R057E, Copper River Meridian) in the Sitka Recording District. Pelican has a maritime climate characterized by cool summers and mild winters: summer temperatures range from 51 to 62, winter temperatures 21 to 39. Temperature extremes have been recorded from -3 to 84. Annual precipitation is 127 inches, including 120 inches of snow. During winter months, fog, winds and high seas can limit access. Most of the community is built on pilings over the tidelands.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	None	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire Dept/EMS	735-2261
<b>VPSO:</b>	735-2201	<b>EMS:</b> Pelican Volunteer Fire & EMS,	735-2245
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	None	<b>Hospital:</b> Pelican Health Clinic	735-2250
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	735-2212		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Pelican	<b>Phone:</b> 735-2202	<b>Fax:</b> 735-2258	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.pelican.net/">http://www.pelican.net/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 737, Pelican, AK 99832	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> cityhall@pelikancity.org
<b>Name:</b> Pelican Visitors Association	<b>Phone:</b> 735-2259	<b>Fax:</b> 735-2259	<b>Website:</b>

<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 737, Pelican, AK 99832	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> AKCharters@worldnet.att.net
<b>Name:</b> Pelican Utility Company	<b>Phone:</b> 735-2204	<b>Fax:</b> 735-2281	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 110, Pelican, AK 99832	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Pelican City Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 735-2236	<b>Fax:</b> 735-2263	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 90, Pelican, AK 99832-0090	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> pelsd1@ptialaska.net
<b>Village Council:</b> Pelican Traditional Council	<b>Phone:</b> 735-2201	<b>Fax:</b>	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 27, Pelican, AK 99832	<b>Email:</b>		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		Daily scheduled air taxis are available from Juneau and Sitka.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Alaska State Marine Highway (ferry) system. Ferry provides two monthly departures during the summer and one monthly departure during winter
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>		
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
<b>Airline Services:</b>		Wings of Alaska; Alaska Sea Planes

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES
<b>Lodging</b>

Housing Facility	Website	Phone	
Rose's Plaza			
Harbor B&B		735-2310	
Lisianski Lodge		735-2521 or 800-962-8441	
Reddings B&B			
Off the Beaten Path B&B			
Otter Cove B&B			
PB&G B&B			
Food Service & Groceries			
Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
Supplies & Other Services			
	Name	Phone	
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
Fuel			
Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
[Name/Operator]			
Tank Farm	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity
Communications and Utilities			
	Name/Service Provider		
Telephone (Landline)	ACS of the Northland		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom		
Internet Service Provider	ACS Internet ( <a href="http://www.acsalaska.net">www.acsalaska.net</a> )		
Electricity Provider	Pelican Utility Company (735-2515)		
Local Power Plant			

School Power Plant	
Primary Water Supply System:	
Primary Sewage System:	

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Youth Center: City/Community Hall	735-2202		
Pelican City Hall			
Pelican School			
Fire Hall	735-2261		
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
Pelican Breakwater	735-2241		
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe	contact Allen Stewart, 735-2241	1	
Bulldozer	contact Allen Stewart, 735-2241	1	
Dump truck or similar	contact Allen Stewart, 735-2241	1	
Skiff with outboard motor	VPSO (735-2201)		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?			
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitude</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>	

**Economy:**

Commercial fishing and seafood processing are the mainstays of Pelican's economy; in 2011, 29 residents held commercial fishing permits. Several businesses in Pelican cater to the visitor industry. The Pelican Utility District, which owns the electric utility and fuel company, employs some residents. The city and school provide year-round employment for several residents.

**Culture & Demographics:**

A cold storage plant was the first development at this site in 1938 when Kalle (Charley) Raataikainen chose this protected inlet as an ideal cold storage site and named the place after his

fish-packing vessel "The Pelican." He proceeded to buy fish in this area and transport it to Sitka; two of his fish-buying scows were used as a cookhouse, mess hall, bunkhouse and warehouse; the community of Pelican grew around this operation. A store, office, sawmill, post office and sauna came in 1939. A school and cannery were constructed in the 1940s, and the city formed in 1943. Because of the lack of flat land, much of the community is built on pilings over tidelands and a boardwalk serves as the town's main thoroughfare. The economy is highly dependent on commercial salmon fishing and longline halibut and sablefish. Most people in Pelican rely on subsistence resources as an important part of their lifestyle. The community has increased activity in the visitor industry and from recreational boaters, and there is a seasonal population influx of commercial fishermen and part-time residents. Approximately 25% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native.

**9770.9.15 – Petersburg Community Profile**

**Petersburg**

**Population:** 3,030 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Home Rule City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Petersburg is located on the northwest end of Mitkof Island, where the Wrangell Narrows meet Frederick Sound. It lies midway between Juneau and Ketchikan, about 120 miles from either community, at approximately 56.8125° North Latitude and -132.95556° West Longitude. (Sec. 27, T058S, R079E, Copper River Meridian.) Petersburg's climate is characterized by mild winters, cool summers, and year-round rainfall. Average summer temperatures range from 40 to 56° F, winters from 27 to 43° F. Annual precipitation averages 106.3 inches, including 97 inches of snow.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	772-3838	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire Dept./EMS	772-3355
<b>VPSO:</b>	772-3838	<b>EMS:</b> Petersburg Volunteer Fire Dept./EMS	772-3355/772-3830
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	772-3100	<b>Hospital:</b> Petersburg Medical Center	772-4291
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	772-4688		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Petersburg	<b>Phone:</b> 772-4519 or 772-4425	<b>Fax:</b> 772-3759	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.ci.petersburg.ak.us/">http://www.ci.petersburg.ak.us/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 329, Petersburg, AK 99833	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b> clerk@ci.petersburg.ak.us	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> KFSK Coast Alaska Radio	<b>Phone:</b> 772-3808	<b>Fax:</b> 772-9296	<b>Website:</b>

<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 149, Petersburg, AK 99833	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> kfsknews@pobox.alaska.net
<b>Name:</b> KRSA Radio	<b>Phone:</b> 772-3891	<b>Fax:</b> 772-4538	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 650, Petersburg, AK 99833	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> krsa@alaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Petersburg Pilot	<b>Phone:</b> 772-9393	<b>Fax:</b> 772-4871	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.petersburgpilot.com/">http://www.petersburgpilot.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 930, Petersburg, AK 99833	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> pgspub@mitkof.net
<b>Name:</b> Petersburg City Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 772-4271	<b>Fax:</b> 772-4719	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 289, Petersburg, AK 99833- 0289	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> super@psgsd.k12.ak.us
<b>Village Council:</b> Petersburg Indian Association	<b>Phone:</b> 772-3636 or 772-4425	<b>Fax:</b> 772-3637	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 1418, Petersburg, AK 99833	<b>Email:</b> piatrd@gci.net		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access. Petersburg is accessed by air and water.
<b>AIR:</b>		The State-owned James A. Johnson Airport and Lloyd R. Roundtree Seaplane Base (on



		the Wrangell Narrows) allow for scheduled jet and float plane services. The 6,000' runway is paved.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Alaska Marine Highway (ferry) System
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	<i>Taxis:</i> City Cab; Chris Cab	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	Avis	
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Alaska Airlines; Ketchikan Air Service; Wings of Alaska; Temsco	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>		
<b>Lodging</b>		
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Tides Inn		772-4288
Scandia House		772-4281
Narrows Inn		
Beachcomber Inn		772-3888
Jewels by the Sea		772-4820
Green Rocks Lodge		
Rocky Point Resort		
Lodge Across the Bay		
Nordic House		
Broom Hus		
Water's Edge		
Mountain Point		
Harbor Day		
LeConte RV Park		
Twin Creek RV Park		
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>		

Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
Supplies & Other Services			
	Name		Phone
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
Fuel			
Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
[Name/Operator]			
Tank Farm	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity
White Pass Alaska	772-4251		299,000 gals
Unocal 76			396,000 gals
Communications and Utilities			
	Name/Service Provider		
Telephone (Landline)	Alaska Telephone Company/AP&T		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom; GCI		
Internet Service Provider	GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); Mitkof.net ( <a href="http://www.mitkof.net">www.mitkof.net</a> ); SEAKnet ( <a href="http://www.seaknet.alaska.edu">www.seaknet.alaska.edu</a> )		
Electricity Provider	Petersburg Municipal Power & Light (772-4203) purchases electricity from the Tyee Lake Hydro Facility and also owns the Crystal Lake Hydro Facility and three diesel-fueled generators.		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			

Primary Water Supply System:	
Primary Sewage System:	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.*

**Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities**

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	Internet Yes/No
Mountain View Manor	772-3445		
Police/Fire Training Room	772-3838		
Youth Center			
Community Hall			
Mitkof Middle School			
Petersburg High School			
Rae C. Stedman Elementary School			

**Potential Staging Areas**

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size
Harbor Parking Area	772-4688	

**Local Spill Response Equipment**

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Quantity
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe	Public Works, 772-4430	
Bulldozer	Public Works, 772-4430	
Dump truck or similar	Public Works, 772-4430	
Emergency Response Spill Materials	Petro Marine, 772-4251	
Skiff with outboard motor	Contact the harbormaster, 772-4688	
ADEC response equipment conex	Contact the harbormaster, 772-4688	
USCG response equipment conex		

Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.

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What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Since its beginning, Petersburg's economy has been based on commercial fishing and timber harvests and is the supply and service center for many area logging camps. Petersburg currently is one of the top-ranking ports in the U.S. for the quality and value of fish landed. Several processors operate cold storage, canneries and custom packing services. The State runs the Crystal Lake Hatchery, which contributes to the local salmon resource, and 469 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Residents include salmon, halibut, shrimp and crab in their diet. Independent sportsmen and tourists use local charter boats and lodges, but there is no deep water dock suitable for cruise ships.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Tlingit Indians from Kake used the north end of Mitkof Island as a summer fish camp; some reportedly began living year-round at the site. Petersburg is named after a Norwegian immigrant and pioneer in the cannery business who arrived in the late 1890s and built the Icy Strait Packing Company cannery, a sawmill, and a dock by 1900; the initial family homesteads grew into this community, populated largely by people of Scandinavian origin. A city formed in 1910, and within 10 years 600 people lived there year-round. During this time, fresh salmon and halibut were packed in glacier ice for shipment. Across the narrows, the town of Kupreanof was once busy with fur farms, a boat repair yard, and a sawmill. In 1916 came Alaska's first shrimp processor, followed by a cold storage plant in 1926. The cannery, now known as Petersburg Fisheries, a subsidiary of Icycle Seafoods, Inc., has operated continuously since then, and Petersburg has developed into one of Alaska's major fishing communities. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Petersburg Indian Association, and 12% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native. The community maintains a mixture of Tlingit and Scandinavian cultures and history.

**9770.9.16 – Port Alexander Community Profile**

**Port Alexander**

**Population:** 62 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Port Alexander is located on the south end of Baranof Island, 65 miles south of Sitka, at approximately 56.24972° North Latitude and -134.64444° West Longitude (Sec. 07, T065S, R070E, Copper River Meridian ) in the Petersburg Recording District. Port Alexander is in the maritime climate zone, marked by cool summers and mild winters: summer temperatures range from 41 to 55° F, winter temperatures from 32 to 45° F. Record temperatures range from 4 to 80° F. The average total precipitation is 172 inches per year, including 85 inches of snow. The town’s location provides a safe harbor during the gales and storms that frequent Chatham Strait.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	None	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire/EMS	
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Port Alexander EMS	568-2210 or flight to Sitka
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	Troopers in Sitka, 747-3254	<b>Hospital:</b>	
<b>Harbormaster:</b>			

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Port Alexander	<b>Phone:</b> 568-2211	<b>Fax:</b> 568-2207	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 8068, Port Alexander, AK 99836	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> <a href="mailto:cityofportalexander@yahoo.com">cityofportalexander@yahoo.com</a> <a href="mailto:cityofportalexander@gmail.com">cityofportalexander@gmail.com</a>

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access. Transportation is by floatplane and boat.

<b>AIR:</b>		A State-owned seaplane base is available. Passengers can fly on the mail floatplane from Sitka or can charter flights from Sitka, Petersburg, Wrangell and Juneau.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Skiffs are often used for local transportation.
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>		
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	There are few roads.	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
<b>Airline Services:</b>		

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Laughing Raven Lodge (seasonally)		568-2266	
Cape Omaney Lodge			
Rainforest Retreat			
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
School			12,212 gals.

Store			2,000 gals
Pelican Cold Storage			25,000 gals
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	ACS of the Northland		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T		
Internet Service Provider			
Electricity Provider	Provided by individual generators; there is no central electrical generation		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	Water is supplied through the Dirty Dick Dam, treated, stored in a tank, and piped to households. One home uses a rain catchment system.		
Primary Sewage System:	Individual septic tanks, honeybuckets, or outhouses are used for sewage disposal. Only 11 of 36 occupied homes have complete plumbing		

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
City/Bear Hall Community Center			
Port Alexander School			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
ADEC response equipment conex	contact city, 568-2211		
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe			
Bulldozer			
Dump truck or similar			

Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Commercial fishing and subsistence uses of marine and forest resources constitute the economic base. In 2011, 18 residents held commercial fishing permits. The city, school, and post office provide the only year-round employment. Deer, salmon, halibut, shrimp and crab are favorite food sources.

**Culture & Demographics:**

In 1795, the British explorer Capt. George Vancouver recorded his entry into this sheltered while looking for Natives to trade with, but found only a deserted village. The site was named Port Alexander in 1849 by the Governor of the Russian American colonies. In 1913, salmon trollers discovered the rich fishing grounds of the South Chatham Strait area, and fishermen began using the area as their seasonal base; two floating processors arrived soon after. By 1916, there was a fishing supply store, a shore station owned by Northland Trading and Packing Company, and a bakery. Families of fishermen began coming to the community during the summers, and many of the first arrivals lived in tents. A Norwegian immigrant, Karl Hansen, established a fish-buying station, the Pacific Mild Cure Company, sold supplies and fuel, and installed a wireless station. During the 1920s and 1930s, a year-round community evolved around the prosperous fishing fleet and constructed houses, stores, restaurants, a post office, and a school. A soda fountain, butcher shop, dairy, dance hall and hotel came along as well. During the summer, over 1,000 fishing boats would anchor in the protected harbor. Beginning in 1938, fish stocks declined dramatically and processing became uneconomical. The outbreak of World War II essentially collapsed the town's economy; Karl Hansen left Port Alexander in the late 1940s, after 20 prosperous years and 10 years of struggle, bankrupted. By 1950, only 22 residents lived in the town year-round. In the 1970s, State land disposal sales and upswings in salmon stocks enabled new families to build and settle in the community. A city incorporated in 1974 and seceded from the City and Borough of Sitka during that year. Port Alexander today is a fishing community with a quiet, family-oriented lifestyle. Approximately 13% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native. The sale of alcohol is prohibited, although importation and possession are allowed.



**9770.9.17 – Saxman Community Profile**

**Saxman**

**Population:** 439 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Home Rule City

**Borough Located In:** Ketchikan Gateway Borough

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Saxman is located on the west side of Revillagigedo Island, two miles south of Ketchikan on the South Tongass Highway, at approximately 55.31833° North Latitude and -131.59583° West Longitude. (Sec. 33, T075S, R091E, Copper River Meridian) Saxman is located in the Ketchikan Recording District. Saxman lies in the maritime climate zone noted for its warm winters, cool summers, and heavy precipitation. Average summer temperatures range from 46 to 59, average winter temperatures from 29 to 48° F. The record high temperature is 97° F; the record low is -4° F. Precipitation averages 163 inches per year, including 69 inches of snow.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	225-4166	<b>Fire:</b> South Tongass Fire Dept	225-6673
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Saxman EMS	225-9616
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	225-5118	<b>Hospital:</b> Ketchikan General Hospital	225-5171 (3 miles away)
<b>Harbormaster:</b> Saxman Seaport	225-9040		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Saxman	<b>Phone:</b> 225-4166	<b>Fax:</b> Fax 225-6450	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> Route 2, Box 1 - Saxman, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> saxcity@ptialaska.net,%20saxman_city_clerk@yahoo.com

<b>Village Corporation:</b> Cape Fox Corporation	<b>Phone:</b> 225-5163	<b>Fax:</b> 225-3137	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 8558, Ketchikan, AK 99901	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Village Council:</b> Organized Village of Saxman	<b>Phone:</b> 247-2502	<b>Fax:</b> 247-2504	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> Route 2, Box 2, Saxman, AK 99901	<b>Email:</b> igapihp@ptialaska.net		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	Saxman and Ketchikan are connected by the South Tongass Highway
<b>AIR:</b>		The community relies on Ketchikan for its boat moorage, State ferry services, and airport.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	The community relies on Ketchikan for its boat moorage, State ferry services, and airport.
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>		
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
<b>Airline Services:</b>		Scheduled jet and air taxi services are available in Ketchikan

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES			
Lodging			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Community Hall (open all year, no beds)		247-4178	
Food Service & Groceries			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>

	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		

**Supplies & Other Services**

	Name	Phone
General Store		
Hardware Store		
Bank or ATM		
[Other]		

**Fuel**

Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
[Name/Operator]			
Tank Farm	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity

**Communications and Utilities**

	Name/Service Provider
Telephone (Landline)	
Telephone (Cellular)	
Internet Service Provider	
Electricity Provider	
Local Power Plant	
School Power Plant	
Primary Water Supply System:	
Primary Sewage System:	

**SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT**

*The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.*

**Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities**

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	Internet Yes/No
Community Hall	247-4178		
Cape Fox Heritage Building			
Beaver Tribal House			

**Potential Staging Areas**

Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size
Saxman Seaport	225-9040	

Local Spill Response Equipment		
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Quantity
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe	225-4166	
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar	225-4166	
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Most residents are employed in Ketchikan. The city and Saxman Seaport provide some employment, and the Cape Fox Corporation offers tourist- and timber-related employment. A rail-barge terminal at the Saxman Seaport was completed in 1967; it serves as the Ketchikan's major cargo container terminal. The Saxman Totem Park has become a major attraction for Ketchikan-area visitors; the park includes a tribal house, a carving center, and a cultural hall for traditional Tlingit dance exhibitions. One resident holds a commercial fishing permit. Deer, salmon, and halibut significantly contribute to residents' diets.

**Culture & Demographics:**

In 1886, Tlingits from the old villages of Tongass and Cape Fox wanted a new site to construct a central BIA school and Presbyterian Church. The village subsequently was named for Samuel Saxman, a Presbyterian teacher who was lost at sea with a Cape Fox elder while searching for the new site. By 1894, the new village site was chosen, ideally located on a protected harbor off the Tongass Narrows. A small sawmill was built and construction of the school and houses began immediately. Fishing and lumber cutting for the growing towns of Saxman and Ketchikan were the economic mainstays of the new village. By 1900, 142 people were living in Saxman. In 1929, the community incorporated as a city. During the 1930s, many totem poles and ceremonial artifacts, such as carvings and masks, were retrieved by the Civilian Conservation Corps from the abandoned villages at Cape Fox, Tongass, Cat Island, and Pennock Island. Totem poles were restored and relocated to Saxman as part of a U.S. Forest Service program. A recently-developed totem pole carving center is fostering traditional skills and providing tourism opportunities. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Organized Village of Saxman, and 70% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native. Most residents are Tlingit and lead a subsistence lifestyle.

**9770.9.18 – Sitka Community Profile**

**Sitka**

**Population:** 8,985 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)  
**Incorporation Type:** Unified Home Rule Municipality  
**Borough Located In:** Sitka  
**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Sitka sits on the west coast of Baranof Island on Sitka Sound, fronting the Pacific Ocean, 95 air miles southwest of Juneau, 185 miles northwest of Ketchikan, and 862 air miles north of Seattle. Located at approximately 57.05306° North Latitude and -135.33° West Longitude (Sec. 36, T055S, R063E, Copper River Meridian) An extinct volcano, nearby Mount Edgecumbe rises 3,200 feet above the community. January temperatures range from 23 to 35° F; summers vary from 48 to 61° F. Average annual precipitation is 96 inches, including 39 inches of snowfall.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	747-3245	<b>Fire:</b>	747-5890
<b>VPSO:</b>	747-6977	<b>EMS:</b> Sitka Fire Dept./Ambulance/Rescue	747-3233/747-3245
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	747-6611	<b>Hospital:</b> SEARHC Mt. Edgecumbe Hospital Sitka Community Hospital U.S. Coast Guard Air Station & Medevac SEARHC Air Medical	966-2411 747-3241 966-5430 966-2411
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	623-0940		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City & Borough of Sitka	<b>Phone:</b> 747-1808 or 747-3294	<b>Fax:</b> 747-7403	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.cityofsitka.com/">http://www.cityofsitka.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> 100 Lincoln Street, Sitka, AK 99835	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> colleen@cityofsitka.com
<b>Name:</b> Greater Sitka	<b>Phone:</b> 747-8604	<b>Fax:</b> 747-7413	<b>Website:</b>

Chamber of Commerce			
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 638, Sitka, AK 99835	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> sitkacoc@ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Sitka Convention & Visitors Bureau	<b>Phone:</b> 747-5940	<b>Fax:</b> 747-3739	<b>Website:</b> http://www.sitka.org/
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 1226, Sitka, AK 99835	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> scvb@ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Sitka Electric Department	<b>Phone:</b> 747-6633	<b>Fax:</b> 747-3208	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 1306 Halibut Point Road, Sitka, AK 99835	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Name:</b> Baranof Island Housing Auth.	<b>Phone:</b> 747-5088	<b>Fax:</b> 747-5701	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 517, Sitka, AK 99835	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> board@ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Sitka Sentinel	<b>Phone:</b> 747-3219	<b>Fax:</b> 747-8898	<b>Website:</b> http://www.sitkasentinel.com/
<b>Address:</b> 112 Barrack St., Sitka, AK 99835	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> sitkanews@ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> KIFW-AM Radio	<b>Phone:</b> 747-5439	<b>Fax:</b> 747-8455	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 611 Lake Street, Sitka, AK 99835	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> kifw@ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> KCAW Radio	<b>Phone:</b> 747-5877	<b>Fax:</b> 747-5977	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 2 Lincoln Street, Suite B, Sitka, AK 99835	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> ravennews@worldnet.att.net
<b>Name:</b> Mt. Edgecumbe High School	<b>Phone:</b> 966-2201	<b>Fax:</b> 966-2442	<b>Website:</b> http://www.mehs.us/

<b>Address:</b> 1330 Seward Ave., Sitka, AK 99835-9348	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> hal_spackman@mte.educ.state.ak.us
<b>Name:</b> Sitka Borough Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 747-8622	<b>Fax:</b> 966-1260	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.sitkaschools.org/">http://www.sitkaschools.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 179, Sitka, AK 99835-0179	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> bradshaws@mail.ssd.k12.ak.us
<b>Village Corporation:</b> Shee Atika, Incorporated	<b>Phone:</b> 747-3534	<b>Fax:</b> 747-5727	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 201 Katlian St. #200, Sitka, AK 99835	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b>
<b>Village Council:</b> Sitka Tribe of Alaska	<b>Phone:</b> 747-3207	<b>Fax:</b> 747-4915	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> 456 Katlian Street, Sitka, AK 99835-7505	<b>Email:</b>		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		Daily jet service is provided, and several scheduled air taxis, air charters and helicopter services are available. The State-owned Rocky Gutierrez Airport on Japonski Island has a 6,500' paved and lighted runway, an instrument landing system, and a 24-hour FAA Flight Service Station.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Alaska Marine Highway (ferry) System
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: Arrowhead; Sitka Cabs	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	Baranof Motors; Avis; Allstar; Advantage	

<b>Airline Services:</b>	Alaska Airlines
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<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>
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<b>Lodging</b>		
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Sitka Hotel		747-3288
Cascade Inn		
Super 8 Motel		747-6604
Westmark Hotel		747-6241
Potlatch House		
AAA B & B		
Abner's B & B		
Alaska Ocean View B & B		
Annahootz B & B		
Archangel B & B		
Biorka B & B		
By the Sea B & B		
Creeks Edge Guest House		
Eagle's Landing B & B		
Gavan Hill B & B		
Hannah's B & B		
Karras B & B		
Pacific Sunset B & B		



Seaview B & B			
Vonnie's on Shelikof youth hostel			
campgrounds			
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>		<b>Phone</b>
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
City & Borough Incinerator			25,000 gals
Petro Marine Services	747-3414		865,500 gal
Alaska Pulp Corp			1,572,800 gal

Hidden Falls Hatchery			22,000 gal
Sitka Fuel			155,000 gal
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	ACS of the Northland		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom; GCI; ACS Long Distance		
Internet Service Provider	ACS Internet ( <a href="http://www.acsalaska.net">www.acsalaska.net</a> ); AT&T WorldNet ( <a href="http://www.worldnet.att.net">www.worldnet.att.net</a> ); Chugach.Net ( <a href="http://www.chugach.net">www.chugach.net</a> ); GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); Sinbad Network Communications ( <a href="http://www.sinbad.net">www.sinbad.net</a> )		
Electricity Provider	Sitka Electric Department; the borough owns hydroelectric facilities at Blue Lake and Green Lake and a diesel-fueled generator at Indian River.		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	Water is drawn from a reservoir on Blue Lake and Indian River, treated, stored, and piped to nearly all homes in Sitka. The maximum capacity is 8.6-million gallons per day, with 197-million gallons of storage capacity.		
Primary Sewage System:	Approximately 95% of homes are connected to the piped sewage system, which receives primary treatment.		

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Municipal/Sitka Teen Resource Center	747-3225		
Municipal/Harrigan Centennial Hall,			
Tribal/Sheetka Kwaan Naa Kahidi Community House			
ANB Hall			
American Legion Post #13			
Coliseum Theatre			
college library			
Westmark Hotel	747-6241		

<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>		
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>
Crescent, Eliason, or Sealing Harbor parking lots	747-3439	
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>		
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe	contact 747-1806	
Bulldozer	contact 747-1806	
Dump truck or similar	contact 747-1806	
Sitka Harbor	contact the harbormaster, 747-3439	
Petro Marine & Halibut Pt Marine Spill Kits	747-3414/4999	
ADEC response equipment conex	contact the harbormaster, 747-3439	
USCG response equipment conex		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitute	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Fishing, fish processing, tourism, government, transportation, retail, and health care services provide a diversified economy for Sitka. Cruise ships bring over 200,000 visitors annually. Fish processing provides seasonal employment; Sitka Sound Seafood and the Seafood Producers Co-op are major employers. In 2011, 776 residents held commercial fishing permits. The U.S. Forest Service and the U.S. Coast Guard also employ a significant number of residents; in 2011, 191 Coast Guard personnel were stationed in Sitka.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Sitka was originally inhabited by a major tribe of Tlingits, who called the village "Shee Atika." The village was discovered by the Russian Vitus Bering expedition in 1741, and the site became "New Archangel" in 1799. St. Michael's Redoubt trading post and fort were built here by Alexander Baranof, manager of the Russian-American company. Tlingits burned down the fort and looted the warehouse in 1802. Two years later the Russians retaliated by destroying the Tlingit fort in the Battle of Sitka. This was the last major stand by the Tlingits against the Russians, and the Indians evacuated the area until about 1822. By 1808, Sitka was the capital of Russian Alaska. During the mid-1800s, Sitka was the major port on the north Pacific coast, with ships calling from

many nations. Furs destined for European and Asian markets were the main export, but salmon, lumber and ice were also exported to Hawaii, Mexico and California. After the purchase of Alaska by the U.S. in 1867, Sitka remained the capital of the Territory until 1906, when the seat of government moved to Juneau. Founded in 1878, a school for natives nearly closed four years later until Presbyterian missionary Sheldon Jackson came to its rescue, and the college, which later was named for him, went on to become the oldest institution of higher learning in Alaska until it closed in 2007. Also in 1878, one of the first canneries in Alaska was built in Sitka. During the early 1900s, gold mines contributed to its growth, and the city incorporated in 1913. During World War II, the town was fortified and the U.S. Navy built an air base across the harbor on Japonski Island, which served 30,000 military personnel and over 7,000 civilians. After the war, the BIA converted some of the buildings for use as a boarding school for Alaska Natives, Mt. Edgecumbe High School. The U.S. Coast Guard now maintains the air station and other facilities on the island. A large pulp mill began operations at Silver Bay in 1960, but closed amid controversy in 1999. In 1971, the city and borough governments were unified. Ownership of the Sheldon Jackson college campus was transferred in 2011 to the non-profit organization behind the Sitka Fine Arts Camp. Tlingit culture, Russian influences, arts and artifacts remain a part of the local color. Sitka has year-round access to outdoor recreation in the Gulf of Alaska and Tongass National Forest. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Sitka Tribe of Alaska, plus the Central Council Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, and 25% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native.

**9770.9.19 – Skagway Community Profile**

**Skagway**

**Population:** 965 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Skagway, located 90 miles northeast of Juneau at the northernmost end of Lynn Canal at the head of Taiya Inlet, lies 108 road miles south of Whitehorse, just west of the Canadian border, at approximately 59.45833° North Latitude and -135.31389° West Longitude. (Sec. 11, T028S, R059E, Copper River Meridian.) The town experiences a maritime climate with cool summers and mild winters: average summer temperatures range from 45 to 67° F; winter temperatures 18 to 37° F. Within the shadow of the mountains, Skagway receives less rain than is typical of Southeast Alaska, averaging 26 inches of precipitation per year, with 39 inches of snow.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	983-2232	<b>Fire:</b>	983-2450
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Skagway Volunteer Fire Dept./EMS	983-2450/983-2300
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	None	<b>Hospital:</b> Dahl Memorial Medical Clinic	983-2255
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	983-2628		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> Municipality of Skagway	<b>Phone:</b> 983-2297	<b>Fax:</b> 983- 2151	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.skagway.org/">http://www.skagway.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 415, Skagway, AK 99840	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> bwardmgr@aptalaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Skagway Convention	<b>Phone:</b> 983-2854	<b>Fax:</b> 983- 3854	<b>Website:</b>

& Visitors Bureau			
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 1025, Skagway, AK 99840	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> infoskag@aptalaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Alaska Power & Telephone (Southeast)	<b>Phone:</b> 360-385-1733	<b>Fax:</b> 360-385-1733	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 222, Port Townsend, WA 98368	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> dianeturtle@olympus.net
<b>Name:</b> Skagway News	<b>Phone:</b> 983-2354	<b>Fax:</b> 983-2356	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.skagwaynews.com/">http://www.skagwaynews.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 498, Skagway, AK 99840-0498	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> skagwaynews@ptialaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Skagway City Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 983-2960	<b>Fax:</b> 983-2964	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.skagwayschool.org/">http://www.skagwayschool.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 497, Skagway, AK 99840-0497	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> rplee@hotmail.com
<b>Village Council:</b> Skaqua Traditional Council	<b>Phone:</b> 983-4068	<b>Fax:</b> 983-3068	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 1157, Skagway, AK 99840	<b>Email:</b> skaqua@pobox.apalaska.net		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	Yes.

<b>AIR:</b>		The State owns the 3,750' paved runway, and a seaplane base at the boat harbor offers scheduled air taxis.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Alaska Marine Highway (ferry) System provides passenger and vehicle service
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>		
The Klondike Highway and Alaska Highway provide a connection through British Columbia and the Yukon Territory, Canada, to the lower 48 states or north to Interior Alaska.		
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
Avis; Sourdough Shuttle; ABC Car Rental		
<b>Airline Services:</b>		
Air Excursions; Wings of Alaska; Temsco Helicopters.		

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Gold Rush Lodge			
Golden North Hotel			
Westmark Hotel			
Skagway Inn B & B			
Sgt. Preston's Lodge			
Wind Valley Lodge			
Gramma's B & B			
Mile Zero B & B			
Portland House			
Cindy's Place			
Skagway Home Hostel			
Pullen RV Park			
Handusek RV Park			
Garden City RV Park			
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			

	Name	Phone	
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
Fuel Stations	Phone	Fuel Available	Season
[Name/Operator]			
Tank Farm	Phone	Fuel Available	Capacity
White Pass Alaska			2,860,000 gals
White Pass Upper Plant			6,993,800 gals
Alaska Power & Telephone			15,000 gals
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	Name/Service Provider		
Telephone (Landline)	Alaska Telephone Co./AP&T		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom; Alaska Telephone		
Internet Service Provider	Alaska Power & Tel. Co. ( <a href="http://www.aptalaska.net">www.aptalaska.net</a> ); ICE Comms ( <a href="http://www.wytbear.com">www.wytbear.com</a> )		
Electricity Provider	Alaska Power Company, 983-2016		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	Water comes from three wells near 15th & Alaska Sts, stored in a tank, and piped throughout Skagway.		
Primary Sewage System:	Piped sewage receives primary treatment with an ocean outfall		

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	Internet Yes/No
City Civic Center			
City Hall	983-2297		
Skagway City School			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	
Petro Marine Services Loading Dock & AMHS Dock	612-0049		
Small Boat Harbor Staging Area	983-2628		



Local Spill Response Equipment		
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Quantity
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.	Petro Marine, 612-0049	1500' containment boom, 500' sorbent boom, 5 anchors for securing boom, 100 bales sorbent pads (100 pads per bale).
Backhoe	City Shop, 983-2449; H&H, 983-2588; State Shop, 983-2323	
Bulldozer	State Shop, 983-2323; H&H, 983-2588	
Dump truck or similar	City Shop, 983-2449; H&H, 983-2588; State Shop, 983-2323; Hamilton Con. 983-2702	
Loader	City Shop 983-2449; H&H 983-2588; State Shop 983-2323; Hamilton Con. 983-2702; Harbor 983-2628; WP&YR 983-2214	
ADEC response equipment conex	contact the harbormaster, 983-2628	
SEAPRO Container	225-7002	
Skiff w/ outboard motor	M. O'Boyle 983-2628; J. Simmons 983-2450; Cruiseline Agencies 983-2815; T. Cochran 612-0049	
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Skagway, with its historical Tlingit influences and colorfully restored downtown reflecting the history of the gold rush era, boasts a large tourist industry supported by the highway and the connection to the Inside Passage, which brings cruise ships and the State ferry: over 600,000 cruise ship passengers, multiple interior bus tours, and numerous State ferry travelers visit Skagway each year. The Klondike Gold Rush Historical Park and White Pass and Yukon Railroad are major attractions. An Economic Impact Study in 1999 found that 51% of the owners of visitor-related businesses are not year-round residents. Trans-shipment of lead/zinc ore, fuel and freight occurs via the Port and the Klondike Hwy to and from Canada. Four residents hold commercial fishing permits.

**Culture & Demographics:**

In June 1887, Capt. W. Moore and Skookum Jim, a Tlingit from the Yukon Territory, discovered the White Pass route from the coastal area of "Skagua," a Tlingit name meaning "the place where the north wind blows," into Interior Canada. In July 1897, gold was discovered in the Klondike, and by October Skagway had grown from a concourse of tents to a fair-sized town with well-laid-out streets and numerous frame buildings, stores, saloons, gambling houses, dance houses and a population of about 20,000. Over 5,000 thousand stampeders landed in February 1898. Skagway became the first incorporated city in Alaska in 1900 with a population of 3,117, the second-largest settlement in Alaska. Tales of fortune seekers, lawlessness and Soapy Smith are legendary. Once the gold rush ended in 1900, Skagway might have become a ghost town if not for the White Pass and Yukon Railroad construction in 1898. The railroad, the first in Alaska, provided freight, fuel and transportation to Whitehorse and served the Anvil Gold Mines in the Yukon. The mine closed in 1982 but the Klondike Hwy, constructed in 1979, gave Skagway a link to the Alaska Highway. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Skaqua Traditional Council and 5% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native.

**9770.9.20 – Tenakee Springs Community Profile**

**Tenakee Springs**

**Population:** 145 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Tenakee Springs is located on the east side of Chichagof Island, on the north shore of Tenakee Inlet, 45 miles southwest of Juneau and 50 miles northeast of Sitka, at approximately 57.78083° North Latitude and -135.21889° West Longitude. (Sec. 21, T047S, R063E, Copper River Meridian.) Tenakee Springs is located in the Sitka Recording District. Tenakee Springs has a maritime climate with cool summers and mild winters. Summer temperatures range from 45 to 65° F; winters 24 to 39° F. The highest recorded temperature is 84° F, the lowest 3° F. Total precipitation averages 69 inches a year, with 62 inches of snow.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>		<b>Fire:</b>	
<b>VPSO:</b>	736-2211	<b>EMS:</b> Tenakee Springs Volunteer Fire/EMS	736-2211
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>		<b>Hospital:</b>	
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	736-2342	<b>Director of Public Safety</b>	736-2350

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Tenakee Springs	<b>Phone:</b> 736-2207	<b>Fax:</b> 736-2207	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 52, Tenakee Springs, AK 99841	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b>

<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access

<b>AIR:</b>		The city owns a seaplane base and heliport. Scheduled or chartered floatplanes are available from Juneau.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Alaska Marine Highway (ferry) System
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>		
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	There is a 3-mile-long main street. Local transportation is primarily by bicycle or ATV.	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>		
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Wings of Alaska; Alaska sea Planes	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Snyder Mercantile Co. cabins		736-2205	
Tenakee Hot Springs Lodge		736-2400	
Tenakee Inn & Tavern		736-2241	
Community Center		736-2207	
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafe teria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafe teria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafe teria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafe teria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			

<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Snyder Mercantile			4 tanks/ 71,869 gals
Electric Utility			700 gals
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)			
Telephone (Cellular)			
Internet Service Provider			
Electricity Provider	Tenakee Springs Electric Utility: the city owns and operates diesel generators, and the city owns the electrical and fuel distribution systems.		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:			
Primary Sewage System:			

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
City/Tenakee Fire Hall	736-2211		
Public Library			
Tenakee Springs School			
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	
Tenakee Harbor			
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.	736-2207		

Backhoe	769-2207	
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
Skiff w/ outboard motor	736-2211	
ADEC response equipment conex	contact the harbormaster at 736-2222, or tank farm manager at 736-2226.	
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitude	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Tenakee Springs has long been considered a retirement community, though commercial fishing is an important source of income, and 18 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Tourism is becoming increasingly important. City government and the store are the only local employers.

**Culture & Demographics:**

The word Tenakee is from the Tlingit word "tinaghu," meaning "Coppery Shield Bay." This refers to three copper shields, highly prized by the Tlingits, that were lost in a storm. Early prospectors and fishermen came to the site to wait out the winters and enjoy the natural hot springs in Tenakee. Around 1895, a large tub and building were constructed to provide a warm bathing place for the increasing number of visitors. In 1899, Ed Snyder established Snyder's Mercantile, which still operates today. A post office opened in 1903; originally called Tenakee, the name was altered to Tenakee Springs in 1928. Improvements to the hot springs facilities were made in 1915 and 1929; the existing bathhouse was constructed in 1940. Three canneries operated in the area between 1916 and 1974. A logging camp operated for a time at Corner Bay. The city, incorporated in 1971, is predominantly a retirement community and summer retreat for Juneau and Sitka residents. Many residents practice a subsistence lifestyle and actively exchange resources with their neighbors. The 108-degree sulfur hot springs is the social focus of the community; bathing times are posted for men and women. Approximately 5% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native.

**9770.9.21 – Thorne Bay Community Profile**

**Thorne Bay**

**Population:** 496 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2ND Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Thorne Bay is 47 air miles northwest of Ketchikan on the east coast of Prince of Wales Island. On the island’s road system, it lies 60 miles from Hollis and 36 miles east of the Klawock Junction, at approximately 55.68778° North Latitude and -132.52222° West Longitude. (Sec. 12, T071S, R084E, Copper River Meridian.) Thorne Bay is located in the Ketchikan Recording District. Prince of Wales Island is dominated by a cool, moist, maritime climate: summer temperatures range from 49 to 63; winter temperatures from 32 to 42. Average annual precipitation is 120 inches, including 40 inches of snow.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	None	<b>Fire:</b> State VPSO & City Volunteer Fire Dept./EMS/Ambulance	
<b>VPSO:</b>	254-8499	<b>EMS:</b> City EMS Firehall Thorne Bay Volunteer Rescue Squad/EMS Prince of Wales Island Area EMS	907 828-3380 828-3313 826-2367/3330
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	None	<b>Hospital:</b> Thorne Bay Health Clinic	828-8848
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	965-4138	<b>Village/Tribal Council:</b> 828-3380	

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Thorne Bay	<b>Phone:</b> 828-3380	<b>Fax:</b> 828-3374	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.thornebay-ak.gov/">http://www.thornebay-ak.gov/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 19110, Thorne Bay, AK 99919,	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> <a href="mailto:reception@thornebay-ak.go">reception@thornebay-ak.go</a>
<b>Name:</b> Thorne Bay Business Association	<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Fax:</b>	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.thornebayalaska.net/">http://www.thornebayalaska.net/</a>

<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 19492, Thorne Bay, AK 99919	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> tbba@thornebayalaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Southeast Island Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 828-8254	<b>Fax:</b> 828-8257	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.sisd.k12.ak.us/">http://www.sisd.k12.ak.us/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 19569, Thorne Bay, AK 99919-8340	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> darensman@sisd.k12.ak.us

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		State-owned seaplane base
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Inter-Island Ferry at Hollis
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>		
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	The roads provides access to other Prince of Wales Island communities	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	McFarlands Silverthorn	
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Ketchikan Air Service; Taquan Air; Pro-Mech	

LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES			
Lodging			
Housing Facility	Website	Phone	
Brenda's Beehive B&B		828-3945	
MacFarland's Floatel		828-3335	
Deer Creek Cottages		828-3393	
Thorne Bay Inn & Cabins		828-3400	
The Welcome Inn B&B		828-3950	
Boardwalk Wilderness Lodge		828-3918	
Tackle Shackle		828-8212	
Adventure Alaska		828-3977	
River Bitch Inn		828-3322	
Food Service & Groceries			
Name/Facility	Type	Season	Phone
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/		



	Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store			
Hardware Store			
Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Petro Alaska			12 tank/ 276,000 gals
City			2 tank/ 6,000 gal
US Forest Service			2 tan/ 20,455 gal
Taquan Air			2 tank/ 6,000 gal
The Tackle Shop			3,000 gal
Bayview Fuel & Tire			2,000 gal
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	ACS of the Northland		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom		
Internet Service Provider	Alaska Power & Telephone Company ( <a href="http://www.aptalaska.net">www.aptalaska.net</a> )		
Electricity Provider	Thorne Bay Public Utility		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	Water Lake, north of Thorne Bay, supplies water that is treated and stored in a tank before piped distribution.		
Primary Sewage System:	The gravity sewage system includes secondary treatment before discharge into the bay		

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
City/Bay Chalet	828-3380		

Potential Staging Areas		
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size
Sort Yard	828-3380	
Local Spill Response Equipment		
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Quantity
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe	828-3380	
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar	828-3380	
Skiff with Outboard Motor	harbormaster, 965-4138	
ADEC response equipment conex	harbormaster, 965-4138	
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
Location	Latitude & Longitute	Reason for protection

**Economy:**

Employment is primarily in small sawmills, U.S. Forest Service management of the Tongass National Forest, the Southeast Island School District, commercial fishing, tourism and lodging, and both local and state government employment. Additional economic activities include automobile and heavy equipment maintenance and repair, vehicle and boat fuel sales, transportation, and limited retail; in 2011, 17 residents held commercial fishing permits. To supplement incomes, residents fish and trap. Deer, salmon, halibut, shrimp and crab are popular food sources. Many locals travel to Craig and Ketchikan to purchase preferred goods.

**Culture & Demographics:**

The bay was named after Frank Manley Thorn, superintendent of the U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey from 1885 through 1889; the name was misspelled when published. Thorne Bay developed as a result of a long-term timber sales contract between the U.S. Forest Service and the Ketchikan Pulp Company: in 1960 a floating logging camp was built and two years later Ketchikan Pulp moved its main logging camp from Hollis to Thorne Bay, and a shop, barge terminal, log sort yard, and camp were built to replace facilities at Hollis. Roads were then constructed to connect Thorne Bay with Hollis, Craig, and Klawock. During this time, Thorne Bay was considered the largest logging camp in North America. Thorne Bay evolved from a company-owned logging camp to an incorporated city in 1982, partly due to the land selection program provided for in the Alaska Statehood Act. Approximately 5% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native.

**9770.9.22 – Wrangell Community Profile**

**Wrangell**

**Population:** 2,411 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Unified Home Rule Borough

**Borough Located In:** City and Borough of Wrangell

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

The City of Wrangell is located on the northwest tip of Wrangell Island, 155 miles south of Juneau and 89 miles northwest of Ketchikan. It is near the mouth of the Stikine River, an historic trade route to the Canadian Interior, at approximately 56.47083° North Latitude and -132.37667° West Longitude. (Sec. 25, T062S, R083E, Copper River Meridian.) Wrangell is in the maritime climatic zone and experiences cool summers, mild winters, and year-round rainfall: summer temperatures typically range from 42 to 64° F; winters from 21 to 44° F. Average annual precipitation is 82 inches, including 64 inches of snowfall. Fog is common from September through December.

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	874-3304	<b>Fire:</b> City Volunteer Fire Dept./Rescue	
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b>	
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	874-3215	<b>Hospital:</b> Wrangell Medical Center Wrangell Health Center Wrangell Volunteer Fire Dept./Rescue	874-7000  874-3223
<b>Harbormaster:</b>			

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City of Wrangell	<b>Phone:</b> 874-2381	<b>Fax:</b> 874-3952	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.wrangell.com/">http://www.wrangell.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 531, Wrangell, AK 99929	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> <a href="mailto:clerk@wrangell.com">clerk@wrangell.com</a>
<b>Name:</b> Wrangell	<b>Phone:</b> 874-3901	<b>Fax:</b> 874-3905	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.wrangellchamber.org/">http://www.wrangellchamber.org/</a>

Chamber of Commerce			
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 49, Wrangell, AK 99929	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> chamber@seapac.net
<b>Name:</b> KSTK Radio	<b>Phone:</b> 874-2345	<b>Fax:</b> 874-3293	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 1141, Wrangell, AK 99929	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> kstknews@aptalaska.net
<b>Name:</b> The Wrangell Sentinel	<b>Phone:</b> 874-2301	<b>Fax:</b> 874-2303	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 798, Wrangell, AK 99929	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> wrgsent@aptalaska.net
<b>Name:</b> Wrangell City Schools	<b>Phone:</b> 874-2347	<b>Fax:</b> 874-3137	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.wrangellschools.org/">http://www.wrangellschools.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 2319, Wrangell, AK 99929-2319	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> rrhodes@wrangellschools.org
<b>Village Council:</b> Wrangell Cooperative Association	<b>Phone:</b> 874-3481	<b>Fax:</b> 874-2982	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 868, Wrangell, AK 99929	<b>Email:</b>		

TRANSPORTATION		
<b>ROAD:</b>	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		The State-owned 6,000' paved lighted runway enables jet service. A seaplane base lies adjacent to the runway.
<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Alaska Marine Highway (ferry) System
Local Transportation and Services		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: Porky's Cab, Star Cab	

<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>	
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	Practical Rent-A-Car
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Alaska Airlines; Sunrise Aviation; Ketchikan Air Service

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>
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<b>Lodging</b>
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<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Stikine Inn		874-3388
Harding's Sourdough Lodge		
Roadhouse Lodge		
Thunderbird Hotel		
Hungry Beaver Hotel		
Rooney's Roost B&B		
The Anchor B&B		
Harbor House		
Triple B		
Presbyterian Church Hostel		
Snoddy's B&B		
Fennimore's B&B		

<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>
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<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		

<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>
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	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>
General Store		
Hardware Store		
Bank or ATM		
[Other]		

<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Unocal 76			7 tanks/ 239,000 gals
Delta Western			370,000 gal
Power Utility			10,000 gal
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	Alaska Telephone Co/AP&T		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom; GCI		
Internet Service Provider	Alaska Power & Telephone Company ( <a href="http://www.aptalaska.net">www.aptalaska.net</a> ); GCI ( <a href="http://www.gci.net">www.gci.net</a> ); SEAKnet ( <a href="http://www.seaknet.alaska.edu">www.seaknet.alaska.edu</a> )		
Electricity Provider	Wrangell Municipal Light & Power purchases electricity from the state-owned Tyee Lake Hydro		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	Two surface reservoirs south of town supply 64 million gallons of water, which is filtered, treated, and piped to households.		
Primary Sewage System:	Sewage receives secondary treatment at the Shoemaker Bay plant. About 20% of residences have individual septic tanks or marine outfalls		

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Salvation Army Community Center			
City Hall/Civic Center			
American Legion Hall			
Wrangell Recreation Facilities			
Wrangell Museum			
City/Our Collections Museum			
City Public Library			
Evergreen Elementary School			
Stikine Middle School			
Wrangell High School			

School Libraries		
<b>Potential Staging Areas</b>		
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/ Size</b>
<b>Local Spill Response Equipment</b>		
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Quantity</b>
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.		
Backhoe		
Bulldozer		
Dump truck or similar		
ADEC response equipment conex	contact the harbormaster, 874-3736	
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.		
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?		
<b>Location</b>	<b>Latitude &amp; Longitute</b>	<b>Reason for protection</b>

**Economy:**

Wrangell's economy is based on commercial fishing, tourism, and timber from the Tongass National Forest. Fishing and fish processing are an important segment of the economy. The Alaska Pulp Corp. sawmill, Wrangell's largest employer, closed in late 1994, but its primary assets were sold to Silver Bay Logging and the sawmill reopened in April 1998 with 33 employees. In 2011, 253 residents held commercial fishing permits. Dive fisheries are also taking place; targeted species include sea urchins, sea cucumbers, and geoducks. Wrangell offers a 150-ton marine travel lift and adjacent boat yard, which have increased marine-related support industries. There is a deep-water port, which is able to cater to large cruise ships. Stikine River and the surrounding area attract independent travelers for fishing, glacier viewing, and kayaking adventure tours. Anan Wildlife Observatory is famous for black and brown bear viewing

**Culture & Demographics:**

Wrangell is one of the oldest non-Native settlements in Alaska. In 1811, the Russians began fur trading with area Tlingits and built a stockade named Redoubt Saint Dionysius in 1834. The British of Hudson's Bay Co. leased the fort in 1840. A large Stikine Indian village known as Kotzlitna was located 13 miles south of the fort. The Tlingits claimed their own ancient trade rights to the Stikine River and protested when the Hudson Bay Co. began to use their trade routes. But two epidemics of smallpox, in 1836 and 1840, reduced the Tlingit population by half. The fort was abandoned in 1849 when furs were depleted, but remained under the British flag until Alaska's purchase by the U.S. In 1868, the U.S. military established Fort Wrangell, named for the island. The community continued to grow as an outfitter for gold prospectors in 1861, 1874-77, and in 1897. Riotous

activity filled gambling halls, dance halls, and the streets. Thousands of miners traveled up the Stikine River to the Cassiar District of Canada during 1874, and again to the Klondike in 1897. A packing firm began operating in Wrangell in 1889, and a local sawmill provided packing boxes for canneries and lumber for construction. The city incorporated in 1903. By 1916, fishing and forest products had become the primary industries; four canneries and a cold storage plant were constructed in the late 1920s. Cold packing of crab and shrimp came in the 1930s. Abundant spruce and hemlock resources helped to expand the lumber and wood products industry. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Wrangell Cooperative Assoc., and 24% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native. Wrangell is primarily a non-Native community with a mixture of Tlingit, Russian, British, and American historical influences.



**9770.9.23 – Yakutat Community Profile**

**Yakutat**

**Population:** 656 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Non-Unified Home Rule Borough

**Borough Located In:** City and Borough of Yakutat

**Regional Native Corporation:** None

**Location & Climate:**

Yakutat sits isolated in the lowlands along the Gulf of Alaska, 225 miles northwest of Juneau and 220 miles southeast of Cordova, at the mouth of Yakutat Bay, one of the few refuges for vessels along this stretch of coast. The Hubbard and Malaspina Glaciers are nearby. It lies at approximately 59.54694° North Latitude and -139.72722° West Longitude (Sec. 30, T027S, R034E, Copper River Meridian). Yakutat has a maritime climate characterized by relatively mild, often rainy weather. Summer temperatures range from 42 to 60° F; winter temperatures, 17 to 39° F. Yakutat receives some of the heaviest precipitation in the state, averaging 132 inches, including 219 inches of snowfall

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>			
<b>Police:</b>	784-3206	<b>Fire:</b> Borough Volunteer Fire Dept./EMS/Ambulance	784-3206
<b>VPSO:</b>	None	<b>EMS:</b> Yakutat Volunteer EMS/Rescue	784-3206
<b>Alaska State Troopers:</b>	784-3220	<b>Hospital:</b> Yakutat Community Health Center	784-3275
<b>Harbormaster:</b>	784-3491		

<b>LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND STAKEHOLDERS</b>			
<b>Name:</b> City & Borough of Yakutat	<b>Phone:</b> 784-3323	<b>Fax:</b> 784-3281	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.yakutatak.us/">http://www.yakutatak.us/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 160, Yakutat, AK 99689	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk:</b>	<b>Other:</b> yakclerk@yakutatak.us

<b>Name:</b> Yakutat Native Association	<b>Phone:</b> 784-3932	<b>Fax:</b> 784-3238	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 418, Yakutat, AK 99689	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> yttgm@hotmail.com
<b>Name:</b> Yakutat School District	<b>Phone:</b> 784-3317	<b>Fax:</b> 784-3446	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.yakutatschools.org/">http://www.yakutatschools.org/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 429, Yakutat, AK 99689-0429	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> rschug@yakutatschools.org
<b>Village Corporation:</b> Yak-Tat Kwaan, Incorporated	<b>Phone:</b> 784-3335	<b>Fax:</b> 784-3622	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.yak-tatkwaan.com/">http://www.yak-tatkwaan.com/</a>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 416, Yakutat, AK 99689	<b>Primary Contact:</b>	<b>City Clerk</b>	<b>Other:</b> rochellelekanof@yak-tatkwaan.com
<b>Village Council:</b> Yakutat Tlingit Tribe	<b>Phone:</b> 784-3238, ext 223	<b>Fax:</b> 784-3595	<b>Website:</b>
<b>Address:</b> P.O. Box 418, Yakutat, AK 99689	<b>Email:</b>		

TRANSPORTATION		
ROAD:	Accessible by road?	No road access
<b>AIR:</b>		Scheduled jet flights, air taxis and floatplanes serve Yakutat. The State owns two jet-certified runways; one is 6,663' of concrete, the other is 7,750' of asphalt. The airport is located 3 miles southeast of town; a seaplane base is available one mile northwest. The U.S. Forest Service owns five airstrips in the vicinity, and the National Park Service operates one at East Alsek River.

<b>WATER:</b>	Accessible by boat?	Alaska Marine Highway (ferry) System
<b>Local Transportation and Services</b>		
<b>Local Transportation:</b>	Taxis: Rose's Taxi	
<b>Local Roads and Trails:</b>		
<b>Vehicle Rental:</b>	Situk Leasing	
<b>Airline Services:</b>	Alaska Airlines; Yakutat Coastal Airlines	

<b>LOCAL SERVICES AND FACILITIES</b>			
<b>Lodging</b>			
<b>Housing Facility</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
Mooring Lodge		784-3300	
Glacier Bear Lodge		784-3202	
Leonard's Landing Lodge & Cabins		784-3245	
Silver Tip Guest House		784-3533	
Yakutat Lodge		784-3232	
Hanson's B&B			
Harlequin Lodge		784-3341	
Blue Heron Inn B&B		784-3287	
<b>Food Service &amp; Groceries</b>			
<b>Name/Facility</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Season</b>	<b>Phone</b>
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
	[Restaurant/Cafeteria/ Grocery Store]		
<b>Supplies &amp; Other Services</b>			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	
General Store			
Hardware Store			

Bank or ATM			
[Other]			
<b>Fuel</b>			
<b>Fuel Stations</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Season</b>
[Name/Operator]			
<b>Tank Farm</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Fuel Available</b>	<b>Capacity</b>
Delta Western	784-3311		6,468,000 gals
Alaska DOT			14,800 gals
Sitka Sound Seafoods			12,200 gals
<b>Communications and Utilities</b>			
	<b>Name/Service Provider</b>		
Telephone (Landline)	ACS of the Northland		
Telephone (Cellular)	AT&T Alascom		
Internet Service Provider	ACS Internet ( <a href="http://www.acsalaska.net">www.acsalaska.net</a> )		
Electricity Provider	City & Borough of Yakutat		
Local Power Plant			
School Power Plant			
Primary Water Supply System:	Water is derived from four wells, treated, and piped to all homes and schools in the community. Several wooden storage tanks provide pressure to the water system.		
Primary Sewage System:	Piped sewage receives primary treatment; a secondary treatment facility is nearing completion		

<b>SPILL RESPONSE SUPPORT</b>			
<i>The following facilities may be available to support a spill response. Contact local communities for additional information.</i>			
<b>Potential Command Posts, Operations Centers or Meeting Facilities</b>			
<b>Facility Name or Location</b>	<b>Contact (organization &amp; phone)</b>	<b>Capacity/Size</b>	<b>Internet Yes/No</b>
Police Dept	784-3206		
Youth Center: Greg's Place/YNA Bldg			
Community Hall/ANB Hall			
Yakutat City Hall			
School Gym			

Icy Bay School			
Yakutat School			
School Libraries			
Potential Staging Areas			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Capacity/ Size	
Multi Purpose Dock	Harbormaster, 784-3323	40' van	
Small Boat Harbor	Harbormaster, 784-3323	40' van	
Local Spill Response Equipment			
Facility Name or Location	Contact (organization & phone)	Quantity	
Boom, sorbent pads, etc.			
Backhoe	784-3323		
Bulldozer	784-3323		
Dump truck or similar			
Skiff w/ Outboard Motor	Harbormaster, 784-3323		
ADEC response equipment conex	Harbormaster, 784-3323		
Are there any limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort? Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.			
What are the top two sensitive areas ( <i>environmental or cultural</i> ) to be protected in case of an oil spill?			
Location	Latitude & Longitute	Reason for protection	

**Economy:**

Yakutat's economy is dependent on fishing, fish processing and government. North Pacific Processors is the major private employer, and in 2011, 182 residents held commercial fishing permits. Recreational fishing opportunities, both saltwater and freshwater fishing in the Situk River, are world-class. Most residents depend on subsistence hunting and fishing, harvesting salmon, trout, shellfish, deer, moose, bear and goats.

**Culture & Demographics:**

Yakutat has a diverse cultural history. The original settlers are believed to have been Eyak-speaking people from the Copper River area who were conquered by the Tlingits. Yakutat means "the place where the canoes rest." In the 18th and 19th centuries, English, French, Spanish and Russian explorers came to the region. Fur traders were attracted to the region's sea otters; the Russian-American Co. built a fort in Yakutat in 1805 to harvest sea otter pelts. Because the Russians would not allow local Tlingits access to their traditional fisheries, a Tlingit war party attacked and destroyed the post. In 1884, the Alaska Commercial Co. opened a store in Yakutat. By 1886, the black sand beaches in the area were being mined for gold. In 1889 the Swedish Free Mission Church opened a school and sawmill in the area. Beginning in 1903 the Stimson Lumber

Co. constructed a cannery, sawmill, store, and railroad. Most residents moved to the current site of Yakutat to be closer to this cannery, which operated through 1970. During World War II, a large aviation garrison and paved runway were constructed; troops were withdrawn after the war, but the runway is still in use. The City of Yakutat was formed in 1948, but in 1992 a borough that incorporated the city into its government was organized. The area maintains a traditional Tlingit culture with influences from the original Eyak Athabascans, as well as Russian, English and American traders and miners. Fishing and subsistence activities are prevalent. A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community, the Yakutat Tlingit Tribe of the Central Council Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, and 47% of the population is Alaska Native or part Native.

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The following regional organizational information applies to the Western Alaska subarea communities. For specifics regarding each community, see the detailed community profile.

#### **Regional Native Corporations:**

**Calista Corporation**, 601 W. 5th Avenue #200, Anchorage, AK 99501, Phone 279-5516, Fax 272-5060, Web: <http://www.calistacorp.com/>

**Doyon, Limited**, Doyon Bldg. - 201 First Avenue, Fairbanks, AK 99701, Phone 452-4755, Fax 456-6785, Web: <http://www.doyon.com/>

#### **School Districts:**

**Iditarod Area Schools**, Box 90, McGrath, AK 99627, Phone 524-3033, Fax 524-3217

**Kashunamiut School District**, 985 KSD Way, Chevak, AK 99563, Phone 858-7713, Fax 858-7328

**Kuspuk Schools**, Box 49, Aniak, AK 99557-0229, Phone 675-4250, Fax 675-4305

**Lower Yukon Schools**, P.O. Box 32089, Mountain Village, AK 99632-0089, Phone 591-2411, Fax 591-2449, Web: <http://www.lysd.k12.ak.us>

**Saint Mary's School District**, Box 9, Saint Mary's, AK 99658-0009, Phone 438-2411, Fax 438-2831

**Yupit School District**, Box 51100, Akiachak, AK 99551-0010, Phone 825-4428, Fax 825-4827

#### **Regional Development:**

**Lower Kuskokwim Economic Development Council**, P.O. Box 2021, Bethel, AK 99559, Phone 543-5967, Fax 543-3130, e-mail: [carl\\_berger@ddc-alaska.org](mailto:carl_berger@ddc-alaska.org)

**Interior Rivers Resource Conservation & Development Council**, P.O. Box 309, Aniak, AK 99557, Phone 675-4578, Fax 675-4579, e-mail: [rrs@kuskokwim.com](mailto:rrs@kuskokwim.com)

#### **Housing Authority:**

**AVCP Regional Housing Authority**, P.O. Box 767, Bethel, AK 99559, Phone 543-3121, Fax 543-3933, e-mail: [avcprhadon@aol.com](mailto:avcprhadon@aol.com)

**Interior Regional Housing Authority**, 828 27th Avenue, Fairbanks, AK 99701, Phone 452-8315, Fax 456-8941, e-mail: [joseph@irha.org](mailto:joseph@irha.org)

#### **Regional Health Corporations:**

**Tanana Chiefs Conference**, 122 First Avenue #600, Fairbanks, AK 99701, Phone 452-8251, Fax 459-3850, e-mail: [wmayo@tananachiefs.org](mailto:wmayo@tananachiefs.org), Web: <http://www.alaska.net/~tcc/>

**Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corporation**, P.O. Box 528, Bethel, AK 99559, Phone 543-6300, Fax 543-6006

**Regional Native Non-Profit:**

**Association of Village Council Presidents (AVCP)**, P.O. Box 219, Bethel, AK 99559, Phone 543-7300, Fax 543-3596, e-mail: [Myron\\_Naneng@avcp.org](mailto:Myron_Naneng@avcp.org)

**Denakkanaaga, Inc.**, 409 Fourth Ave., Fairbanks, AK 99701, Phone 456-1748, Fax 452-6641, e-mail: [dnakanga@polarnet.com](mailto:dnakanga@polarnet.com)

**Kuskokwim Native Association**, P.O. Box 127, Aniak, AK 99557, Phone 675-4386, Fax 675-4387

## 9770.10.1 – Akiachak

**AKIACHAK - Pronunciation/Other Names: (ACK-ee-uh-chuck)**

**Population:** 655 (Alaska Dept of Labor estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### **Emergency Services:**

**Police:** VPSO 825-4313

**State Troopers:** 543-3494 (Bethel)

**Akiachak PD:** 825-4482

**Fire:** Akiachak Volunteer Fire Department 825-4313

**Medical:** Akiachak Native Community Clinic (Phone: 825-4011)

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**Village Council** - Akiachak Native Community

P.O. Box 51070, Akiachak, AK 99551-0070

Phone: 825-4626

Fax: 825-4029

E-mail: [akiachak@aitc.org](mailto:akiachak@aitc.org)

**School District** - Yupiit School District

P.O. Box 51190, Akiachak, AK 99551-0190

Phone 825-3600

Fax 825-3655

Web: <http://www.yupiit.org>

**Village Corporation** - Akiachak, Limited

P.O. Box 51010, Akiachak, AK 99551-0010

Phone 825-4328

Fax 825-4115

Email: [Akiachakltd@hotmail.com](mailto:Akiachakltd@hotmail.com)

### **Location & Climate:**

Akiachak is located on the west bank of the Kuskokwim River, on the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies 18 miles northeast of Bethel. It lies at approximately 60d 54m N Latitude, 161d 25m W Longitude (Sec. 36, T010N, R069W, Seward Meridian). Akiachak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 10 sq. miles of land and 2 sq. miles of water. The area averages 16 inches of precipitation, with snowfall of 50 inches. Summer temperatures range from 62 to 42; winter temperatures 19 to -2.

### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Boats, snow machines and ATVs are used extensively by local residents on the Kuskokwim River. No connecting roads to other communities.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 1,649' X 40' gravel airstrip and seaplane facilities provide scheduled and chartered services year-round to Akiachak. Relocation of the airport is planned for the future. *See the current U.S. Government Flight Information Publication (FLIP) for additional details regarding the runway and support services.*

**Scheduled and Unscheduled Air Carriers:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Ryan Air Service, Yute Air, ERA Alaska

**Freight:** Barge and mail plane. Barges deliver bulk fuel and supplies during the summer.

**Vessel Support:** No information.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

#### **Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*TV Stations:* ARCS Programming (from Akiak); KYUK

*Radio Stations:* KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM

*Cable Provider:* Village Council

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by the Akiachak Native Community Electric Co. The power source is diesel.

**Fuel:** No information.

#### **Fuel Storage – Tank Owners (number of tanks, total capacity):**

- Akiachak Enterprises - 69,000 gals
- School -169,000 gals
- Electric Co. - 76,500 gals
- Village Council - 26,750 gals
- Army National Guard - 10,000 gals
- Police Station - 1,050 gals.

**Housing:** Lodging available at the Yupiit School District or the IRA Council Offices.

**Services:** Groceries/supplies available at several local stores.

**Water & Sewage:** Construction of a piped water and gravity sewer system is underway. A new well, water tank, water treatment plant and a road to the new lagoon have been completed. Construction will continue to plumb and connect 62 homes on the west side. Currently 12 facilities and the school are served by a piped water and sewer system; the remaining residents haul water from the washeteria. 25 households have honeybuckets hauled by the City; the others haul their own honeybuckets or use septic tanks.

**Miscellaneous:** The village would like to purchase an incinerator and use the waste heat for public buildings. There is one school located in the community, attended by 155 students.

### **Spill Response Support**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:** School

**Potential Staging Areas:** Airport (obtain permission for use from Bethel Airport Station Manager and local airport manager)

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Bethel. Contact person is George Young, 543-2047/2087.

**Economy:**

The majority of year-round employment in Akiachak is in education and other public services. The Yupiit School District headquarters are located in the community. Residents rely on seasonal employment, such as commercial fishing, construction, and BLM fire-fighting. In 2010, 75 residents held commercial fishing permits, and some worked at canneries in Bristol Bay. Subsistence activities provide most food sources. Poor fish returns since 1997 have significantly affected the community.

**Culture & Demographic**

Akiachak is a Yup'ik Eskimo village with a fishing and subsistence lifestyle. It has a strong traditional community and was the first city in Alaska to dissolve its city government in favor of the Native village government. The sale, importation, and possession of alcohol is banned in the village.

The area was used by the Yup'ik Eskimos as a seasonal subsistence site. Called "Akiachagamiut" in the 1890 census, the village had a population of 43 at that time. A post office was established in 1934. It incorporated as a second-class city on February 7, 1974. The city government was dissolved on January 31, 1990, in favor of traditional village council governance.

## 9770.10.2 – Akiak

AKIAK - **Pronunciation/Other Names:** (ACK-ee-ack)

**Population:** 367 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**Police:** Akiak PD 765-7914

**VPSO:** 765-7000

**State Troopers:** 907-543-3494 (Bethel)

**Fire:** Akiak Volunteer Fire Department 765-7411

**Medical:** Edith Kawagley Memorial (765-7125 or 7527)

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Akiak

P.O. Box 52028, Akiak, AK 99552

Phone 765-7411

Fax 765-7414

**Village Council** - Akiak Native Community

P.O. Box 52127, Akiak, AK 99552

Phone 765-7112

Fax 765-7512

**Village Corporation** - Kokarmiut Corporation

P.O. Box 147, Akiak, AK 99552

Phone 765-7228

Fax 765-7619

**Electric Utility** - Akiak Power Utilities

P.O. Box 52028, Akiak, AK 99552

Phone 765-7411

Fax 765-7512

### Location & Climate:

Akiak is located on the west bank of the Kuskokwim River, 42 air miles northeast of Bethel, on the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies at approximately 60d 55m N Latitude, 161d 13m W Longitude (Sec. 32, T010N, R067W, Seward Meridian). Akiak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 2 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. Precipitation averages 16 inches in this area, with snowfall of 50 inches. Summer temperatures range from 62 to 42; winter temperatures 19 to -2.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Snow machines, ATVs and skiffs are used extensively for local transportation to nearby villages.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 1,900' gravel airstrip provides chartered or private air access year-round. The airport runway is being lengthened to 3,000' in 1998. *See the current U.S. Government Flight Information Publication (FLIP) for additional details regarding the runway and support services.*

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Ryan Air, Yute Air

**Freight:** Freight arrives by barge or mail plane.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom, United Utilities Inc.

*TV Stations:* ARCS Programming; KYUK

*Radio Stations:* KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM

*Cable Provider:* None - Alaska Rural Communication Service (ARCS)

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** City of Akiak

**Fuel:** No information.

**Fuel Storage - Tank Owners (total capacity):**

- Kokarmiut Corp. 316,000 gals)
- Yupiit Schools (70,250 gals)
- City Electric (26,000 gals)
- Army National Guard (5,500 gals)

**Housing:**

- Yupiit School District
- Akiak Native Community Building
- City Hall
- Kamp Kiseralik
- (Accommodations can be arranged through the village office or through the school.)

**Services:** No restaurant or banking services. Supplies available through local store.

**Water & Sewage:** The school and clinic are connected directly to the water plant. Individual wells, septic systems, and plumbing were installed in 14 HUD homes in 1997. A piped water and gravity sewer system that will provide household plumbing is under construction. 67 homes need water and sewer service. Most residents are dependent upon the washeteria for laundry and bathing. Sewage disposal is by septic tanks, honeybuckets, or privies. The city provides septic pumping services.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 110 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:** School

**Potential Staging Areas:** Airport (obtain permission for use from Bethel Airport Station Manager and local airport manager)

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Bethel. Contact person is Bob Herran or George Young, 543-2047/2087.

**Economy:**

The majority of the year-round employment in Akiak is with the city, school, or other public services. Commercial fishing and BLM firefighting also provide seasonal income. In 2010, 21 residents held commercial fishing permits. The community is interested in developing a fish processing plant and tourism. Subsistence activities are important to residents.

**Culture & Demographic**

Akiak is a Yup'ik Eskimo village with a reliance on subsistence and fishing activities. The sale and importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

In 1880, the village of "Ackiagmute" had a population of 175. The name Akiak means "the other side," since this place was a crossing to the Yukon River basin during the winter for area Eskimos. The Akiak Post Office was established in 1916. A U.S. Public Health Service hospital was built in the 1920s. The city was incorporated in 1970.



### **9770.10.3 – Alakanuk**

ALAKANUK - **Pronunciation/Other Names:** (ah-LUCK-uh-nuck)

**Population:** 683 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### **Emergency Services:**

**Police:** 238-3421

**State Troopers:** 543-3494 (Bethel)

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept, 238-3313

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Alakanuk Health Clinic (238-3212) . Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage (Bethel Hospital 543-3711).

#### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Alakanuk

P.O. Box 167, Alakanuk, AK 99554

Phone 907-238-3313

Fax 907-238-3620

**Village Corporation** - Alakanuk Native Corporation

P.O. Box 89, Alakanuk, AK 99554

Phone 907-238-3117

Fax 907-238-3628

**Village Council** - Village of Alakanuk

P.O. Box 149, Alakanuk, AK 99554

Phone 907-238-3419

Fax 907-238-3429

E-mail: [Alakanuk@aitc.org](mailto:Alakanuk@aitc.org)

#### **Location & Climate:**

Alakanuk is located at the east entrance of Alakanuk Pass, the major southern channel of the Yukon River, 15 miles from the Bering Sea. It is part of the Yukon Delta National Wildlife Refuge. It lies 8 miles southwest of Emmonak, approximately 162 air miles northwest of Bethel. It is the longest village on the lower Yukon - the development stretches over a 3 mile area along the Pass. Approximately 25 homes along the bank are being threatened by erosion. It lies at approximately 62d 41m N Latitude, 164d 37m W Longitude (Sec. 14, T030N, R082W, Seward Meridian). Alakanuk is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 35 sq. miles of land and 6 sq. miles of water. The climate of Alakanuk is subarctic, averaging 60 inches of snowfall and 19 inches of total precipitation per year. Temperatures range from between -25 to 79. Heavy winds are frequent during the fall and winter. The River is used as an ice road during freeze-up, from November through May.

#### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Jet service from Bethel or Nome. Alakanuk is easily accessible from the Yukon River and Bering Sea by barge and riverboat. Most passengers and mail arrive by air. There are no roads connecting Alakanuk with other population centers in the region, but ice roads are used in winter. Snowmachines and boats are used for local travel.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,200' gravel airstrip is available.

**Airline Service:** Grant Aviation

**Freight:** Freight arrives by cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** Moorage facilities available at city dock with depth of seven feet.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* United Utilities

*Internet Service Provider:* Unicom/United Utilities, Inc. ([www.unicom-alaska.net](http://www.unicom-alaska.net))

*TV Stations:* ARCS Radio Stations: KICY-AM; KNOM-AM

*Cable Provider:* City of Alakanuk

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Diesel fuel available at the Native Store.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity):

- AVEC (15 @ 117,029 gals.)
- Native Corp. (9 @ 124,000)
- State Village Safe Water (40,000)
- School (3 @ 132,000)
- City (4,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations available through city office.

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available through local stores. No banking or major repair services.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from the Alakanuk Slough, is treated, stored in a tank, and piped to most of the community. By 1998, 83 homes, the school and teachers' housing, were connected to a new piped system with household plumbing. Facilities now include a new water intake, new water treatment plant, heated 300,000-gal. water storage tank, vacuum sewage plant, sewage lagoon, arctic piping, and household plumbing. A new subdivision is currently underway, and nine homes will be connected to the piped utilities. There are 25 unserved homes that are threatened by riverbank erosion; they use rain catchment or haul from the water storage tank, honeybuckets and pit privies.

**Miscellaneous:** The landfill uses an incinerator to reduce the volume of refuse. There is one school located in the community, attended by 197 students

### **Spill Response Support**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- City Public Safety Bldg.
- Community Hall
- School

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

#### **Local Spill Response Equipment:**

### **Economy:**

Alakanuk experiences a seasonal economy with most activity occurring during summer. 78 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Many have gill net permits, and set net fishermen sell their salmon to Seattle fish buyers. Government employment and retail businesses provide year-round employment. Salmon, beluga whale, seal, moose and rabbit provide food sources. Some residents trap. Many residents travel to Emmonak to shop and attend social events and basketball tournaments.

### **Culture & Demographic**

95.8% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Alakanuk is a Yup'ik Eskimo village active in commercial fishing and subsistence. The sale, importation and possession of alcohol are banned in the village.

## 9770.10.4 – Aniak

**ANIAK - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (ANN-ee-ack)

**Population:** 539 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### **Emergency Services:**

**Police:**

**State Troopers:** 675-4398 or (800) 675-4368

**Fire:** City of Aniak Volunteer Fire Department 675-4601

**Medical:** Clara Morgan Sub-Regional Clinic (675-4556).

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Aniak

P.O. Box 189, Aniak, AK 99557

Phone -675-4481

Fax 675-4486

E-mail: [aniakcityof@yahoo.com](mailto:aniakcityof@yahoo.com)

**Electric Utility** - Aniak Light & Power Company

P.O. Box 129, Aniak, AK 99557

Phone 675-4334

Fax 675-4334

**Regional Development** - Interior Rivers Resource Conservation & Development Council

P.O. Box 309, Aniak, AK 99557

Phone 675-4578

Fax 675-4579

e-mail: [rrs@kuskokwim.com](mailto:rrs@kuskokwim.com)

**Regional Native Non-Profit** - Kuskokwim Native Association

P.O. Box 127, Aniak, AK 99557

Phone 675-4384

**School District** - Kuspuk Schools

Box 49, Aniak, AK 99557-0229

Phone 675-4250

Fax 675-4305

E-mail: [bbush@ani.ksd.gcisa.net](mailto:bbush@ani.ksd.gcisa.net), [bbush@ani.kuspuk.org](mailto:bbush@ani.kuspuk.org)

**Village Corporation** - The Kuskokwim Corporation

P.O. Box 349, Aniak, AK 99557

Phone 675-4275

Fax 675-4276

E-mail: [MCH@kuskokwim.com](mailto:MCH@kuskokwim.com)

**Village Council** - Village of Aniak  
P.O. Box 349, Aniak, AK 99557  
Phone 675-4349  
Fax 675-4513  
E-mail: [Aniaktc@yahoo.com](mailto:Aniaktc@yahoo.com)

**Location & Climate:**

Aniak is located on the south bank of the Kuskokwim River at the head of Aniak Slough, 59 miles southwest of Russian Mission in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies 92 air miles northeast of Bethel and 317 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 34m N Latitude, 159d 31m W Longitude (Sec. 12, T017N, R057W, Seward Meridian). Aniak is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 5 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. Climate is maritime in the summer and continental in winter. Temperatures range between -55 and 87. Average yearly precipitation is 19 inches, with snowfall of 60 inches. The Kuskokwim is ice-free from mid-June through October.

**Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled or chartered air service from Bethel. Access to Aniak is limited to air and water. There is no road connection to other villages, although the frozen river is used as a road by snowmachines during winter. The community has requested construction of a road to Chuathbaluk.

**Airport Facilities:** The State-owned airport is 6,000' of asphalt and is lighted, with a 3,000' crosswind runway, and is equipped for instrument approaches. Several carriers, including charter operators provide regular flights. Major airport improvements were recently completed. Floatplanes can also land on Aniak Slough.

Airline Service: ERA Alaska, Peninsula Airways, Ryan Air Service

**Freight:** Fuel and supplies are brought in by barge during the summer; other goods are delivered by air year-round.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* Bush-Tell Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom; GCI

*Internet Service Provider:* Bush-Tell, Inc. ([www.arctic.net](http://www.arctic.net)); School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net))

*TV Stations:* ARCS

*Radio Stations:* KYUK-AM

*Cable Provider:* The Cable Company, Inc.

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Aniak Light & Power Company.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, propane, and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity):

- Moffit Contracting (682,000 gals.)
- Kuspuk Schools (142,100); City (1,500)
- Aniak Power & Light (195,000)
- Alaska Commercial Co (15,200)
- Arctic Transportation (4,000)
- Steve Hill (21,000)
- Ryan Air (72,230)
- Dept. of Transportation (3,800)
- Bush-Tell (6,000)
- Hageland Aviation (1,900)

**Housing:** Aniak Hotel LOJ's, 675-4421.

**Services:** Laundry facilities available. Groceries and supplies available at local stores. Repair services available for marine engines, boats, and airplanes.

**Water & Sewage:** The majority of homes are plumbed and have individual wells. The village corporation completed a central well in 1988; there are also wells at Auntie Marie Nicoli School and the Joe Parent Voc Ed Center. Only 21 households haul water. A central piped sewage system serves most residents, with the exception of the schools, the clinic and the Napat subdivision across Aniak Slough. The system has four lift stations, and wastewater is treated in a lagoon. Some homes use individual septic tanks, but permafrost has caused drainfield problems, so most of the unserved homes use pit privies. The City provides septic pumping services. The Village Council operates a washeteria. Refuse is collected by a private firm, Aniak Disposal Service, or by individuals.

**Miscellaneous:** The landfill is operated by the City. Aniak Power & Light is a privately owned company. There are two schools located in the community, attended by 179 students.

**Spill Response Support**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:** Schools

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** A DEC spill response container is located at Aniak. For access, call the City Manager at 675-4481 or 4446.

**Economy:**

The economy of Aniak is based on government, transportation, and retail services. As the largest city in the area, Aniak is a service hub for surrounding villages. Subsistence activities supplement part-time wage earnings, and some commercial fishing occurs. In 2010, 9 residents held commercial fishing permits. The school district, Kuskokwim Native Association, Bush-Tell Inc.,

and the Aniak Subregional Clinic provide most year-round employment. Salmon, moose, bear, birds, berries, and home gardening provide food sources.

### **Culture & Demographic**

Aniak's population is primarily Yup'ik Eskimos and Tanaina Athabascans. Subsistence foods contribute largely to villagers' diets. Many families travel to fish camps each summer. Aniak is a Yup'ik word meaning "the place where it comes out," which refers to the mouth of the Aniak River. This river played a key role in the placer gold rush of 1900-01. In 1914, Tom L. Johnson homesteaded the site and opened a store and post office. The Yup'ik village of Aniak had been abandoned long before this time. Eskimos Willie Pete and Sam Simeon brought their families from Ohagamuit to Aniak, which reestablished the Native community. A Russian-era trader named Semyeon Lukin is credited with the discovery of gold near Aniak in 1832. Construction of an airfield began in 1939, followed by the erection of the White Alice radar-relay station in 1956, which closed in 1978. The city was incorporated in 1972.

## **9770.10.5 – Anvik**

**ANVIK - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (AN-vick)

**Population:** 79 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>ND</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Doyon, Limited

### **Emergency Services**

VPSO: 663-6380

State Troopers: 675-4398 (Aniak)

Fire: City of Anvik Volunteer Fire Department 663-6314

Medical: Anvik Health Clinic 663-6334.

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Anvik

P.O. Box 50, Anvik, AK 99558

Phone 663-6328

Fax 663-6321

**Village Corporation** - Ingalik, Inc.

General Delivery, Anvik, AK 99558

Phone 663-6312

**Village Council** - Anvik Village

P.O. Box 10, Anvik, AK 99558

Phone 663-6322

Fax 663-6357

E-mail: [skrugerdentleratc@gmail.com](mailto:skrugerdentleratc@gmail.com)

Environmental Staff (IGAP): 663-6323

### **Location & Climate:**

Anvik is located in Interior Alaska on the Anvik River, west of the Yukon River, 34 miles north of Holy Cross. It lies at approximately 62d 39m N Latitude, 160d 12m W Longitude (Sec. 29, T030N, R058W, Seward Meridian). Anvik is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 11 sq. miles of land and 3 sq. miles of water. The climate of Anvik is continental. Temperatures range from -60 to 87. Snowfall averages 110 inches, for 21 inches total precipitation per year. The Yukon River is ice-free from June through October.

### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** The Anvik River, west of the Yukon, allows access during the summer by barge and floatplane. The City would like to develop additional dock and harbor facilities. Three miles of local roads are used by 3-wheelers, snowmachines and dog teams.

**Airport Facilities:** The State-owned 4,000' X 75' gravel airstrip provides year-round access.

**Airline Service:** Ryan Air Service, ERA Alaska

**Freight:** Air transport and barge.

**Vessel Support:** No information available.



## **Facilities & Utilities:**

### **Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* Bush-Tell Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* Bush-Tell Inc.

*Internet Service Provider:* School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)); Anvik Tribal

*TV Stations:* ARCS

*Radio Stations:* KICY-AM; KNOM-AM

*Cable Provider:* None

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** All fuels available except premium gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- AVEC (52,972 gals.)
- School (21,126)
- Ingalik Inc (29,490)
- Chase Ent. (10,520)
- Anvik Commercial Co. (16,555)
- City (6,500)

**Housing:** Accommodations available thru Chase Enterprises Lodge; Anvik City Building; School

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available through local stores. Laundromat available. Major repair services, charter aircraft available. No banking services.

**Water & Sewage:** The majority of homes have new individual water wells, piped sewage disposal, and complete plumbing. Treated well water is also available at the washeteria. Funds have been requested to complete the remaining unserved homes. 13 homes need plumbing, 16 need a septic tank, and 4 new water wells need to be drilled. Blackwell School also needs a new well.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 26 students.

### **Spill Response Support**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- City of Anvik, 663-6328
- Tribal Office, 663-6322

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- City of Anvik, 663-6328
- Airport
- National Guard Armory
- Other government facilities

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Aniak at ADOTPF, 675-4345.

### **Economy:**

Anvik is characterized by a seasonal economy. Very few year-round wage-earning positions are available. Residents rely heavily on subsistence activities. In 2010, 11 residents held commercial fishing permits. The city provides services, such as fresh water, to fish processors. Subsistence

foods include salmon, moose, black bear, and small game. Several residents trap or make handicrafts, and many families engage in home gardening.

### **Culture & Demographic**

Subsistence and home gardening are actively pursued by the local Ingalik Athabascan Indians. Many families travel to fish camps during the summer. The sale of alcohol is banned in the community.

Anvik has historically been an Ingalik Indian village. It has been known as American Station, Anvic, Anvick, Anvig, Anvig Station, and Anwig. The Russian Glazanov reported it as having 100 people in 1834. Originally, it was on other side of the river to the northeast, at a place called "The Point." Residents gradually moved across the river with the establishment of an Episcopal mission and school in 1887. A post office opened in 1897. After the flu epidemic of 1918-19 and another in 1927, many orphans became wards of the mission. Some children came from as far away as Fort Yukon. Sternwheelers carried supplies to the village in the early 1920s. Some residents had contracts to cut wood for the sternwheeler's fuel, and fish and furs were sold to traders. The early 1930s brought the first arrival of a plane on skis. The city was incorporated in 1969.

## 9770.10.6 – Atmautluak

ATMAUTLUAK - **Pronunciation/Other Names:** (aht-MOUTH-luck)

**Population:** 275 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services

**VPSO:** 553-5775

**State Troopers** (Bethel): 543-2294

**Fire:** Atmautluak Volunteer Fire Department 553-5775

**Medical:** Atmautluak Health Clinic (553-5114).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Electric Utility** - Atmautluak Tribal Utilities

P.O. Box 6564, Atmautluak, AK 99559

Phone 563-5429

Fax 563-5429

**Village Corporation** - Atmautluak Limited

P.O. Box 6548, Atmautluak, AK 99559

Phone 553-5428

Fax 553-5610

**Village Council** - Village of Atmautluak

P.O. Box 6568, Atmautluak, AK 99559

Phone 553-5610

Fax 553-5216

E-mail: [atmautluaktc@hughes.net](mailto:atmautluaktc@hughes.net)

### Location & Climate:

Atmautluak lies on the west bank of the Pitmiktakik River in the Yukon-Kuskokwim delta, 20 miles northwest of Bethel. It lies at approximately 60d 51m N Latitude, 162d 16m W Longitude (Sec. 19, T009N, R074W, Seward Meridian). Atmautluak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 2 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The area averages 16 inches of precipitation, with snowfall of 50 inches. Summer temperatures range from 62 to 42; winter temperatures 19 to -2.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Boat, snow machine; scheduled and chartered air service from Bethel. Locals use skiffs in the summer to travel to Bethel and other area villages, and snowmachines, ATVs and dog sleds are used in the winter.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,000' gravel airstrip is available for chartered or private planes year-round. Major improvements to the runway, taxiway and apron are currently underway.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Ryan Air, Yute Air.

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** Moorage available. Arrangements can be made to rent boats.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

*Internet Service Provider:* Unicom/United Utilities, Inc. ([www.unicom-alaska.net](http://www.unicom-alaska.net));

*TV Stations:* ARCS; KYUK

*Radio Stations:* KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM

*Cable Provider:* Village of Atmautluak

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Atmautluak Tribal Utilities.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, and regular gasoline available

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- School (4,000 gals.)
- Village Corp./LKSD (179,250)

**Housing:** Sleeping accommodations available through school; Atmautluak Community Center.

**Services:** No restaurant, laundromat, or banking services. No major repair services.

**Water & Sewage:** Treated well water is hauled by residents, and the Pitmiktakik River is also used. Honeybuckets are hauled by residents to sewage bunkers. Homes have no plumbing. A new washeteria is nearing completion. The school is connected to the City water plant. The school sewage lagoon will soon be closed (situated in the center of town), and it will be connected to the City washeteria's septic system. Two lift stations will need to be added. Funds have been requested to develop a Master Plan for future infrastructure development to eliminate water and honeybucket hauling.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 90 students.

**Spill Response Support**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:** School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport
- National Guard Armory
- Other government facilities

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Bethel. 543-2047/2087

**Economy:**

The school, retail businesses, and the village government provide cash income to supplement the subsistence lifestyle. In 2010, 20 residents held commercial fishing permits.

**Culture & Demographic**

Atmautluak is a traditional Yup'ik Eskimo village with a subsistence and fishing lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

Yup'ik Eskimos have inhabited this region for thousands of years due to the area's rich resources; however, Atmautluak itself was not settled until the 1960s. People moved to this site on higher ground to avoid flooding and for the rich resources of the area. A city was incorporated in 1976, but it was dissolved on Feb. 7, 1996, in favor of the traditional village council government.

## 9770.10.7 – Bethel

**BETHEL - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (BETH-ul; aka Orutsararmiut)

**Population:** 6,228 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services

**Police:** 543-3781

**State Troopers:** 543-2294

**Fire:** 543-3781/2131; Yukon Kuskokwim EMS Region 543-6423

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta Regional Hospital (YKHC/PHS, 543-3711) and Bethel Family Clinic (543-3773). Auxiliary health care is provided by Bethel Fire Dept. & Ambulance Service (543-2131/3998) and the Yukon Kuskokwim Health Corp. Ambulance/Medevac (543-6416).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Chamber of Commerce** - Bethel Chamber of Commerce

P.O. Box 329, Bethel, AK 99559

Phone 907-543-2911

Fax 907-543-2255

e-mail: [bethelchamber2@alaska.com](mailto:bethelchamber2@alaska.com),

Web: <http://home.gci.net/~chamber1/bethel.htm>

**City** - City of Bethel

P.O. Box 388, Bethel, AK 99559

Phone 907-543-2047

Fax 907-543-4171

e-mail: [cobethel@unicom-alaska.com](mailto:cobethel@unicom-alaska.com)

**Electric Utility** - Bethel Utilities Corporation

3380 C Street, Suite 210, Anchorage, AK 99503

Phone 907-562-2500

Fax 907-562-2502

**Housing Authority** - AVCP Reg. Housing Authority

P.O. Box 767, Bethel, AK 99559

Phone 907-543-3121

Fax 907-543-3933

e-mail: [avcprhadon@aol.com](mailto:avcprhadon@aol.com)

**Media** – KYUK

Pouch 468, Bethel, AK 99559

Phone 907-543-3131

**Media - Tundra Drums**  
PO Box 868, Bethel, AK 99559  
Phone 907-543-3312  
Fax 907-543-3500

**Regional Development - Lower Kuskokwim Economic Development Council**  
P.O. Box 2021, Bethel, AK 99559  
Phone 907-543-5967  
Fax 907-543-3130  
E-mail: [carl\\_berger@ddc-alaska.org](mailto:carl_berger@ddc-alaska.org)

**Regional Health Corporation - Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corp.**  
P.O. Box 528, Bethel, AK 99559  
Phone 907-543-6300  
Fax 907-543-6006

**Regional Native Corporation - Calista Corporation**  
601 W. 5th Avenue #200, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Phone 907-279-5516  
Fax 907-272-5060  
Web: <http://www.calistacorp.com/>

**Regional Native Non-Profit - Assoc. of Village Council Presidents**  
P.O. Box 219, Bethel, AK 99559  
Phone 907-543-7300  
Fax 907-543-3596  
E-mail: [Myron\\_Naneng@avcp.org](mailto:Myron_Naneng@avcp.org)

**School District - Lower Kuskokwim Schools**  
Box 305, Bethel, AK 99559-0305  
Phone 907-543-4800  
Fax 907-543-4904  
E-mail: [bill\\_ferguson@fc.lksd.do.org](mailto:bill_ferguson@fc.lksd.do.org)  
Web: <http://www.lksd.org>

**Services/Other - Cenaliulriit Coastal Management**  
P.O. Box 219, Bethel, AK 99559

**Village Corporation - Bethel Native Corporation**  
P.O. Box 719, Bethel, AK 99559  
Phone 907-543-2124  
Fax 907-543-2897

**Village Council - Orutsararmuit Native Council**  
P.O. Box 927, Bethel, AK 99559  
Phone 907-543-2608  
Fax 907-543-2639  
E-mail: [jlowrey@unicom-alaska.com](mailto:jlowrey@unicom-alaska.com)

### **Location & Climate:**

Bethel is located at the mouth of the Kuskokwim River, 40 miles inland from the Bering Sea. It lies in the Yukon Delta National Wildlife Refuge, 400 air miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 60d 47m N Latitude, 161d 45m W Longitude (Sec. 09, T008N, R071W, Seward Meridian). Bethel is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 44 sq. miles of land and 6 sq. miles of water. Precipitation averages 16 inches a year in this area, with snowfall of 50 inches. Summer temperatures range from 62 to 42; winter temperatures average 19 to -2.

### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** The State-owned Bethel Airport is the regional transportation center, and is served by two major passenger airlines, two cargo carriers, and numerous air taxi services. The airport ranks third in the state for total number of flights. River travel is the primary means of local transportation in the summer, and it becomes a 150-mile ice road to surrounding villages in the winter. There are 16 miles of local roads.

**Airport Facilities:** The airport offers a 6,398' asphalt runway and 1,850' gravel crosswind runway, and is currently undergoing a \$7 million renovation and expansion. Two floatplane bases are nearby, Hangar Lake and H Marker

**Airline Service:** Alaska Airlines; Reeve Aleutian Airlines; Camai Air; PenAir; Yute Air; Hageland Air; Craig Air; Northern Air Cargo

**Freight:** Cargo plane, barge, and ship. A barge service based in Bethel provides goods to the Kuskokwim villages.

**Vessel Support:** The Port of Bethel is the northern-most medium-draft port in the U.S. Arrangements can be made to rent boats.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

#### **Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United KUC, Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* GCI; United Utilities

*Internet Service Provider:* GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)); Chugach.Net ([www.chugach.net](http://www.chugach.net)); Microcom ([www.starband.com](http://www.starband.com)); Sinbad Network Communications ([www.sinbad.net](http://www.sinbad.net)); Unicom/United Utilities, Inc. ([www.unicom-alaska.net](http://www.unicom-alaska.net))

*TV Stations:* ARCS; KYUK

*Radio Stations:* KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM

*Cable Provider:* GCI Cable, Inc.

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network; Legislative Information Office

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Bethel Utilities Corporation.

**Fuel:** All types of fuel available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity):

- Yukon Fuel Co. (9.4 million gals.)
- Crowley Marine (5.6 million gals.)
- Airport (120,500 gals.)
- Bethel Utilities Corp. (51 000)
- U.S. Federal Aviation Admin (44 000)

**Housing:** Many lodging facilities and restaurants:

- Pacifica Guest House



- Bentley's Porterhouse B&B
- Village Motel
- Delta Cottages
- Bethel Inn
- 6th Avenue B&B
- Hammer Manor
- Brown Slough B&B

**Services:** Public laundry facilities and banking services available. Several grocery stores available. Repair services for marine, engines, boats, autos and airplanes. Rental transportation includes autos and charter aircraft.

**Water & Sewage:** Some residents are connected to the central piped water and sewer system. Approximately 75% of households have water delivered and sewage hauled by truck. Several facilities in Bethel have individual wells and septic tanks. For health reasons the City ruled that residents can no longer use honeybuckets. Extensions of the piped systems to the City Subdivision and Old Town are under construction. Water Treatment Plant improvements have been completed in Bethel Heights. Additional funding has been requested to connect 105 homes to the piped system. The landfill and sewage lagoon, located north of the City, are nearing capacity.

**Miscellaneous:** There are 6 schools located in the community, attended by 1,345 students.

#### **Spill Response Support**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- Schools
- VFW hall

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport
- National Guard Armory
- Other government facilities

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** DEC maintains a spill response container at Bethel. Point of contact is the City Manager at 543-2047, ext. 223.

#### **Economy:**

Bethel serves as the regional center for 56 villages in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. Food, fuel, transportation, medical care and other services for these villages are provided by businesses in Bethel. 50% of the jobs in Bethel are in government positions. Commercial fishing is an important source of income; 216 residents hold commercial fishing permits, primarily for salmon and herring roe net fisheries. Subsistence activities contribute substantially to villager's diets, particularly salmon, freshwater fish, game birds and berries.

#### **Culture & Demographic**

63.9% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. The region is fortunate in that rapid development did not occur before the importance of protecting the Native culture was realized. The traditional Yup'ik Eskimo practices and language remain predominant in the area. Subsistence activities and commercial fishing are major contributors to residents' livelihoods. The sale of alcohol is banned in the community, although importation or possession is allowed.



## 9770.10.8 – Bill Moore’s Slough

### **BILL MOORE’S SLOUGH**

Bill Moore's Slough is currently an **unpopulated** community, and/or no U.S. Census data is available for the community.

The information below provides a brief overview of the community.

#### **Location & Climate:**

The site is located on the left bank of Apoon Pass, southwest of Kotlik, in the Yukon Delta. This was a landing and riverboat woodyard, first reported in 1899 by R.L. Faris of the U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey as "Konogkelyokamiut." The name "Bill Moore's Slough" was first noted in the 1961 Census. At that time, there were 32 persons living in the community. Bill Moore's is a summer subsistence-use camp; traditional villagers live permanently in Kotlik. There are no year-round residents. Transportation is provided by boat or floatplane from Kotlik.

#### **Organizations:**

**Village Corporation** - Kongniglkilnomuit Yuita Corp.

c/o P.O. Box 20037, Kotlik, AK 99620

Phone 907-899-4232

Fax 907-899-4461

**Village Council** - Village of Bill Moore's Slough

P.O. Box 20037, Kotlik, AK 99620

Phone 907-899-4232

Fax 907-899-4461

## **9770.10.9 – Chefornak**

**CHEFORNAK - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (chuh-FORE-nuck; aka Chefarnok)

**Population:** 437 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### **Emergency Services**

**Police:** City PD 867-8733

**State Troopers:** 867-8733

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department 867-8528

**Medical:** Chefornak Clinic (867-8919). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Chefornak

P.O. Box 29, Chefornak, AK 99561

Phone 867-8528

Fax 867-8704

**Electric Utility** - Naterkaq Light Plant

P.O. Box 11, Chefornak, AK 99561

Phone 867-8213

Fax 867-8724

**Village Corporation** - Chefarnmute Incorporated

P.O. Box 70, Chefornak, AK 99561

Phone 867-8115

Fax 867-8895

**Village Council** - Village of Chefornak

P.O. Box 110, Chefornak, AK 99561

Phone 867-8850

Fax 867-8711

**Environmental Staff (IGAP): 867-8306**

### **Location & Climate:**

Chefornak is located on the south bank of the Kinia River, at its junction with the Keguk River, in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. The village lies within the Clarence Rhode National Wildlife Refuge, established for migratory waterfowl protection. Chefornak is 98 air miles southwest of Bethel and 490 miles southwest of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 60d 13m N Latitude, 164d 12m W Longitude (Sec. 19, T001N, R086W, Seward Meridian). Chefornak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 32 sq. miles of land and 4 sq. miles of water.

Chefornak is located in a marine climate. Precipitation averages 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall annually. Summer temperatures range from 41 to 57, winter temperatures range 6 to 24.

**Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Snowmachines are relied upon during the winter.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,500' gravel airstrip provides chartered and private air access year-round, and a seaplane base is available. A new airport is currently under development.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Grant Aviation, Ryan Air, Yute Air.

**Freight:** Plane and barge service.

**Vessel Support:** Although there are no docking facilities at this time, a number of fishing boats and skiffs are used for local travel. Rental boats and off-road vehicles available. Marine engine and boat repairs available.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

*Internet Service Provider:* United Utilities

*TV Stations:* ARCS

*Radio Stations:* KNOM-AM

*Cable Provider:* Chefarnmute Cablevision

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Naterkaq Light Plant.

**Fuel:** #1 Diesel; gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- School (115,200 gals.)
- City (44,900)
- Chefarnmute Inc. (84,300)
- National Guard (4,300)
- Ayugiak's Store (8,200)
- Army National guard (3,800 gals)

**Housing:**

- CE2 Camp (867-8147)
- Complex Building (867-8147)
- Lodging arrangements can be also be made through the high school (867-8515/8700).

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available through local stores. No bank or laundromat.

**Water & Sewage:** One well and a water treatment plant serve 12 watering points. The treated water is undrinkable due to salt water intrusion. Residents drink melted ice cut from a local pond in the winter and rain catchment the rest of the year. Honeybucket haul system. No piped sewer system.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 135 students.

**Spill Response Support**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- Complex Building (867-8147)
- Chefarmute Inc. (867-8115/8114)

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Old Airport Area (867-8115)
- Barge Area 867-8115
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

- Containment boom (230 ft) - Chefarmute Inc. (867-8115/8114)
- Sorbent or pom-pom boom (968 feet) - Chefarmute Inc. (867-8115/8114)
- Sorbent pads (15 bags) - Chefarmute Inc. (867-8115/8114)
- Pillows (2 X 2 - 23) - Chefarmute Inc. (867-8115/8114)
- PPE\*8 suits) - Chefarmute Inc. (867-8115/8114)
- Backhoe (1) - City Office 867-8147
- Bulldozer (1) - City Office 867-8147
- Skiffs with outboards - lots
- Trained Spill Responders: 1

**Limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort:** Drinking Water during Summer months.

*Top two sensitive areas (environmental or cultural) to be protected in case of an oil spill.*

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>REASON FOR PROTECTION</u>
Cemetery (N60° 09.531; W164° 16.859)	Past Elders Buried There
School (N60° 09.438; W164° 16.889)	Future Leaders
Kina River	Fish

**Economy:**

Other than government positions, most employment in Chefnak is seasonal, supplemented by subsistence activities. In 2010, 32 residents held commercial fishing permits. Coastal Villages Seafood, Inc., processes halibut and salmon in Chefnak. Trapping is also a source of income.

**Culture & Demographic**

A traditional Yup'ik Eskimo community, Chefnak residents practice a subsistence lifestyle with some commercial fishing. The sale and importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

The area has historically been occupied by Yup'ik Eskimos. In the early 1950s, Alexie Amagiqchik founded a small general store at the site. He had moved from a village on the Bering Sea to the new location one mile inland to escape potential floodwaters. Others from the original village followed and settled in Chefnak. The city was incorporated in 1974.

**9770.10.10 – Chevak**

**CHEVAK**

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (CHEE-vack; aka Kashunamiut)

**Population:** 966 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

**Emergency Services:**

**Police:** 858-7012

**State Troopers (Bethel)** 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department 858-7012

**Medical:** Chevak Clinic (858-7069). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

**Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Chevak

P.O. Box 179, Chevak, AK 99563

Phone 858-7128

Fax 858-7245

Email: [cityofchevak@yahoo.com](mailto:cityofchevak@yahoo.com)

**School District** - Kashunamiut School District

P.O. Box 345, Chevak, AK 99563

Phone 858-6195

Fax 858-7328

Web: <http://www.chevakschool.org>

**Village Corporation** - Chevak Company Corporation

P.O. Box 179, Chevak, AK 99563

Phone 858-7920

Fax 858-7311

**Village Council** - Chevak Native Village

P.O. Box 140, Chevak, AK 99563

Phone 858-7428

Fax 858-7812

Email: [chevaktc@gmail.com](mailto:chevaktc@gmail.com)

**Location & Climate:**

Chevak is located on the north bank of the Niglikfak River, 17 miles east of Hooper Bay in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies at approximately 61d 31m N Latitude, 165d 35m W Longitude (Sec. 34, T017N, R090W, Seward Meridian). Chevak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 2 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. Chevak has a maritime climate. Its location near the Bering Sea renders the area subject to heavy winds and rain.

Temperatures range from -25 to 79. Snowfall averages 60 inches per year. Freeze-up occurs at the end of October; break-up occurs in June.

**Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled or charter air service from Bethel. Skiffs are used for local travel on the river in the summer, and snowmachines are used in the winter.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,200' X 75' gravel airstrip is available, although heavy winds and rain can preclude air access. A relocation of the airport is currently underway. Floatplanes can land on Chevak Lake/Niglikfak River.

**Airline Service:** ERA Aviation; Grant Aviation; Ryan Air Service

**Freight:** Barge or mail plane.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities, however, a barge landing is available for cargo off-loading. No moorage facilities. Marine engine repair available.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

*Internet Service Provider:* Unicom/United Utilities, Inc.

*TV Stations:* ARCS

*Radio Stations:* KCUK-FM

*Cable Provider:* City of Chevak

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- School (119,300 gals.)
- City (39,600)
- Village Council (12,600)
- AVEC (136,700)
- Village Corp. Store (195,840)
- Village Corp. beach (46,000)
- Wayne Hill Store (28,000)
- Army Nat'l Guard (2,500)

**Housing:**

- Chevak Bird and Culture Camp
- Lodging sometimes available at the school (858-7713)

**Services:** No restaurant or banking services. Groceries and supplies available at local store.

**Water & Sewage:** A piped water and sewer provides service to 193 homes and the school.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 300 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- City community center
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**



- Airport
- National Guard Armory
- Other government facilities

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Bethel. 543-2047/2087

**Economy:**

Employment in Chevak is at its peak in the summer months and declines to a few full-time positions during winter. Construction projects and BLM firefighting provide summer employment. In 2010, 16 residents held commercial fishing permits. Incomes are supplemented by subsistence activities and handicrafts. Salmon, seal, walrus, clams, and waterfowl are harvested.

**Culture & Demographic**

Chevak is a Cup'ik Eskimo village. Commercial fishing and subsistence activities are an important part of the local culture. The sale and importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

Eskimos have inhabited the region for thousands of years. The current location is also known as New Chevak, because residents inhabited another village called Chevak before 1950. "Old" Chevak, on the north bank of the Keoklevik River, 9 miles east of Hooper Bay, was abandoned because of flooding from high storm tides. The name Chevak refers to "a connecting slough," on which "Old" Chevak was situated. The new site was first reported by the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey in 1948. A post office was established in 1951. The city government was incorporated in 1967.

## 9770.10.11 – Chuathbaluk

**CHUATHBALUK - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (CHUATH-bah-luck; formerly Russian Mission)

**Population:** 135 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**Police:** None.

**State Troopers (Bethel):** 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department: 467-4115

**Medical:** Marie Kameroff Health Clinic (467-4114); 467-2005 (cell). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Chuathbaluk

P.O. Box CHU, Chuathbaluk, AK 99557

Phone 467-4115

Fax 467-4180

Email: [coc99557@yahoo.com](mailto:coc99557@yahoo.com)

**Village Council** - Native Village of Chuathbaluk

P.O. Box CHU, Chuathbaluk, AK 99557

Phone 467-4313

Fax 467-4113

E-mail: [bigblueberrychu@yahoo.com](mailto:bigblueberrychu@yahoo.com)

**Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative, Inc.**

P.O. Box 206, Chuathbaluk, AK 99557

Phone 524-3360

Fax 524-3361

**Environmental Staff (IGAP)** - Phone: 467-4313

### Location & Climate:

Chuathbaluk is located on the north bank of the Kuskokwim River, 11 miles upriver from Aniak in the Kilbuk-Kuskokwim mountains. It is 87 air miles northeast of Bethel and 310 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 34m N Latitude, 159d 13m W Longitude (Sec. 10, T017N, R055W, Seward Meridian). Chuathbaluk is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 4 sq. miles of land and 2 sq. miles of water. A continental climate prevails in Chuathbaluk. Snowfall averages 85 inches per year, with a total precipitation of 17 inches per year. Temperatures range from -55 to 87. Heavy winds can cause flight delays in the fall. The Kuskokwim River is ice-free from mid-June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** The Kuskokwim River serves as the major carrier for supply barges from Aniak and Bethel, skiffs and floatplanes. In the winter, ski planes land on the frozen river and vehicles are sometimes driven on the ice road to neighboring communities.

**Airport Facilities:** A 3,401' X 60' State-owned gravel airstrip is located one mile north of the village, with scheduled air service.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Ryan Air Service

**Freight:** Air cargo and barge.

**Vessel Support:** Moorage facilities available.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

#### **Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

*Internet Service Provider:* School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net))

*TV Stations:* ARCS

*Radio Stations:* KYUK-AM

*Cable Provider:* None

*Teleconferencing:* None listed.

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative. The Middle Kuskokwim Electric Co-op provides power from Chuathbaluk to Stony River.

**Fuel:** Gas, diesel, propane.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- Kuspuk Schools (36,400 gals.)
- City (17,100 gals)
- Middle Kuskokwim Electric (26,400 gals)

#### **Housing:**

- Lodging at the school gym (467-4229)
- City community center (capacity 100) (467-4115)

**Services:** Laundromat available, no banking services. No major repair service or rental transportation.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is pumped from a 105-foot well into a storage tank, then hauled from this point by residents. The school has its own watering point, and some homes have individual wells. 80% of homes do not have complete plumbing. Honeybuckets and privies are used by most residents for waste disposal; a few homes have septic tanks. The school and clinic have a septic tank/leachfield system, as do several homes. A water and sewer Master Plan has been funded to examine needed repairs to the pump house, water treatment, washeteria, school sewage lagoon and other components. Refuse is collected weekly.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 39 students.

#### **Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- City Facility (467-4115), capacity 100, Internet access.
- Chuathbaluk Traditional Council (467-4313) capacity 100, Internet access.

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- Gravel Pit B (467-4115)

- Airport
- National Guard Armory
- Other government facilities

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

- Containment Boom (400 feet) - Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative/City of Chuathbaluk
- Sorbent/pom-pom boom (200 feet) - Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative/City of Chuathbaluk
- Anchors for securing boom (2) - Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative/City of Chuathbaluk
- Sorbent pads (15 bags) - Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative/City of Chuathbaluk
- Backhoe (2) - City (467-4115)
- Bulldozer (1) - City (467-4115)
- Dump truck or similar (2) - City (467-4115)
- Skiff with outboard (3) - City (467-4115)

**Limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort:** Restricted Food Supply

**Top two sensitive areas (*environmental or cultural*) to be protected in case of an oil spill.**

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>REASON FOR PROTECTION</u>
City/CTC/ School	Gathering Areas; Public Entities

**Economy:**

Chuathbaluk's economy is heavily dependent on subsistence activities. Employment is primarily through the school, tribal government, city, clinic, or seasonal firefighting for the BLM. Local artisans produce fur garments, beadwork, mukluks, kuspüks, and ulus. Salmon, moose, black bear, porcupine, and waterfowl are harvested.

**Culture & Demographic**

Chuathbaluk residents are Yup'ik Eskimos and Tanaina Athabascans. Subsistence is a crucial source of food.

Chuathbaluk was the site of an Ingalik Indian summer fish camp in the mid-1800s. The village has been known as Chukbak, St. Sergius Mission, Kuskokwim Russian Mission, and Little Russian Mission. The village was often confused with Russian Mission on the Yukon, so, in the 1960s, the name was changed to Chuathbaluk, which is derived from the Yup'ik word "Curapalek," meaning "the hills where the big blueberries grow." The Russian Orthodox Church finished the St. Sergius Mission in 1894, and residents of Kukuktuk from 20 miles downriver moved to the mission. Tragically, much of the village was lost in an influenza epidemic in 1900. By 1929, the site was deserted, although Russian Orthodox members continued to hold services at the mission. In 1954, the Sam Phillips family from Crow Village resettled the mission and were joined later by individuals from Aniak and Crooked Creek. The church was rebuilt in the late 1950s, and a state school opened in the 1960s. The city was incorporated in 1975.

## 9770.10.12 – Chuloonawick

### CHULOONAWICK

Chuloonawick is currently an **unpopulated** community, and/or no U.S. Census data is available for the community.

A "complete" Community Information Summary has not been developed for this community. The information below provides a brief overview of the community.

#### **Organizations:**

**Village Corporation** - Chuloonawick Corporation  
2635 Draper Drive, Anchorage, AK 99517  
Phone 907-562-7008

**Village Council** - Native Village of Chuloonawick  
P.O. Box 126, Chuloonawick, AK 99581  
Phone 907-949-1720  
Fax 907-949-1384

#### **Location:**

The site is located on the North bank of Kwikpak pass in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It has also been reported as "Kwipakamiut" in 1899 by the U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey.

This is an historical Eskimo village, now abandoned, and was first reported in 1879 by the U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey as "Kwipakamiut." Chuloonawick is a summer fish camp for Emmonak residents. There are no year-round residents at this site. Transportation is provided by boat or float plane.

## 9770.10.13 – Crooked Creek

### CROOKED CREEK

**Population:** 103 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police:** None

**State Troopers (Aniak):** 675-4398

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department 432-2200

**Medical:** Crooked Creek Health Clinic (432-2222). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Council** - Native Village of Crooked Creek

P.O. Box 69, Crooked Creek, AK 99575

Phone 432-2200

Fax 432-2201

Email: [bbcc@starband.net](mailto:bbcc@starband.net)

Web: <http://www.idita.com.org>

#### Location & Climate:

Crooked Creek is located on the north bank of the Kuskokwim River at its junction with Crooked Creek. It lies in the Kilbuk-Kuskokwim Mountains 50 miles northeast of Aniak, 141 miles northeast of Bethel, and 275 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 52m N Latitude, 158d 06m W Longitude (Sec. 32, T021N, R048W, Seward Meridian). Crooked Creek is located in the Fairbanks Recording District. The area encompasses 40 sq. miles of land and 3 sq. miles of water. A continental climate prevails in the area. Snowfall measures 85 inches per year, with total precipitation averaging 17 inches per year. Temperatures range from -59 to 94. High winds often cause flight delays in the fall and winter. The Kuskokwim is ice-free from mid-June through October.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. The Kuskokwim River is the local highway in both summer and winter. ATVs and snow machines are used by residents. The frozen river becomes an ice road in winter. Skiffs and barges provide cargo in summer. A suspension bridge over Crooked Creek connects the upper and lower villages with the airport.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned and operated 1,997' gravel airstrip is southwest of the village, with scheduled weekday air services.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Ryan Air Service

**Freight:** Mail plane or barge.

**Vessel Support:** Information not available.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* Bush-Tell Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom

*Internet Service Provider:* School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net))

*TV Stations:* ARCS

*Radio Stations:* None

*Cable Provider:* None

*Teleconferencing:* Not listed.

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative.

**Fuel:** Information not available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- Kuspuk Schools (24,800 gals.)
- Village Council Washeteria (9,500)
- Electric Co-op (17,800)
- Thomas Fuel Sales (47,100)
- Village Council (7,600)

**Housing:** Accommodations available at local roadhouse (Thomas Fishing Lodge); community center.

**Services:** No banking services. Information on repair services, transportation, and moorage unavailable.

**Water & Sewage:** All homes lack plumbing; residents haul water and honeybuckets. A well provides treated water, and a washeteria is also available. The school, store, and three homes have individual wells, septic tanks, and plumbing. The school, store, and three homes have individual wells, septic tanks and plumbing.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 43 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- Community center
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport
- National Guard Armory
- Other government facilities

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Bethel. 543-2047/2087

**Economy:**

The economy is focused on subsistence activities. Salmon, moose, caribou, and waterfowl are staples of the diet. Some residents trap and sell pelts. The Calista Corporation, Kuskokwim Corporation, and NovaGold Resources are exploring a significant gold deposit at Donlin Creek, north of Crooked Creek.

**Culture & Demographic**

Crooked Creek is a mixed Yup'ik Eskimo and Ingalik Athabascan village with a lifestyle reliant on subsistence activities.

It was first reported in 1844 by the Russian explorer Zagoskin, who recorded the name of the creek as "Kvikchagpak" ("great bend" in Yup'ik) and as "Khottylno" ("sharp turn" in Ingalik). He noted that the site was used as a summer fish camp for the nearby villagers of Kwigumpainukamuit. In 1909, a permanent settlement was established as a way station for the Flat and Iditarod gold mining camps. The USGS reported it in 1910 as "Portage Village," because it was at the south end of a portage route up Crooked Creek to the placer mines. In 1914, Denis Parent founded a trading post upriver from the creek mouth, in what would become the "upper village" of Crooked Creek. A post office was opened in 1927, and a school was built in 1928. The "lower village" was settled by Eskimos and Ingalik Indians. By the early 1940s, there was a Russian Orthodox Church, St. Nicholas Chapel, and several homes. The upper and lower portions of the village remain today. Gold production continued through the late 1980s, when Western Gold Mining and Exploration went out of business.



## 9770.10.14 – Eek

**EEK - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (EEK)

**Population:** 318 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### **Emergency Services:**

**VPSO:** 536-5328

**State Troopers (Bethel):** 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department: 536-5129

**Medical:** Eek Health Clinic (536-5314). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to PHS Regional Hospital in Bethel.

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Eek

P.O. Box 09, Eek, AK 99578

Phone 536-5129

Fax 536-5711

**Village Corporation** - Iqfijouaq Corporation

P.O. Box 49, Eek, AK 99578

Phone 536-5211

Fax 536-5733

**Village Council** - Native Village of Eek

P.O. Box 89, Eek, AK 99578

Phone 536-5128

Fax 536-5711

E-mail: [etcgov@yahoo.com](mailto:etcgov@yahoo.com)

### **Location & Climate:**

Eek lies on the south bank of the Eek River, 12 miles east of the mouth of the Kuskokwim River. It is 35 air miles south of Bethel in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta, and 420 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 60d 13m N Latitude, 162d 01m W Longitude (Sec. 31, T002N, R073W, Seward Meridian). Eek is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 1 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. Eek is located in a marine climate. Precipitation averages 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall annually. Summer temperatures average 41 to 57; winter temperatures average 6 to 24.

### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and chartered air service from Bethel. Fishing boats, skiffs and snowmachines are used for local transportation to Bethel and other villages. There is a one-mile gravel road in the City.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,243' gravel airstrip provides chartered and private air access. A seaplane base is also available on the Eek River.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Grant Aviation, Ryan Air, Yute Air

**Freight:** Plane and barge. Barges deliver fuel and supplies during the summer months.

**Vessel Support:** A dock is available.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

#### **Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

*Internet Service Provider:* United Utilities Inc.

*TV Stations:* ARCS; KYUK

*Radio Stations:* KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM

*Cable Provider:* Iqfijouaq Corp.

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, propane, and regular gasoline available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- Iqfijouaq Co. Store (79,400 gals.)
- AVEC (67,300)
- LK Schools (45,500)
- Army National Guard (4,300)

**Housing:** Lodging arrangements may be made at the school (536-5229).

**Services:** No restaurant or banking services. Groceries and supplies available through local stores. No major repair service or rental transportation.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from Eek River, is treated and stored in a tank at the washeteria. A few homes have tanks, which provide running water to the kitchen; but the large majority have no additional plumbing. Rain catchment systems and ice melt are also used for drinking water. Honeybuckets are disposed of in a sewage lagoon.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 86 students.

### **Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- City community hall
- School

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Bethel. 543-2047/2087

### **Economy:**

Eek's economy is primarily subsistence and commercial fishing-based. A few full-time positions are available at the school, city, and village office. All families participate in subsistence fishing. In 2010, 41 residents held commercial fishing permits.

### **Culture & Demographic**

Eek is a traditional Yup'ik Eskimo village with a subsistence lifestyle and salmon is a dominant food source. All five Pacific salmon species spawn in the Eek River. The sale and importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

The village was originally located on the Apokok River. It moved to its present location in the 1930s when constant flooding and erosion forced a relocation. A BIA school and a Moravian church were constructed at the new site. A post office was established in 1949. The city was incorporated in 1970.

## 9770.10.15 – Emmonak

**EMMONAK - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (ee-MAHN-nuck)

**Population:** 796 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### **Emergency Services:**

**VPO:** 949-1728

**State Troopers:** (866) 949-1303; 949-1303

**Fire:** 949-1227

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Emmonak Health Clinic (949-1511/1438).  
Auxiliary health care is provided by City Fire/EMS/Ambulance; flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Emmonak

P.O. Box 9, Emmonak, AK 99581

Phone 907-949-1227

Fax 907-949-1926

**Economic Development** - Yukon Delta Fisheries Dev. Assoc.

2200 6th Ave., #707, Seattle, AK 98121

Phone 206-443-1565

Fax 206-443-1912

**Village Corporation** - Emmonak Native Corporation

P.O. Box 49, Emmonak, AK 99581

Phone 907-949-1129

Fax 907-949-1412

**Village Council** - Emmonak Village

P.O. Box 126, Emmonak, AK 99581

Phone 907-949-1720

Fax 907-949-1384

E-mail: [Emmonak@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Emmonak@smtp.ak.bia.gov)

### **Location & Climate:**

Emmonak is located at the mouth of the Yukon River, 10 miles from the Bering Sea, on the north bank of Kwiguk Pass. It lies 120 air miles northwest of Bethel and 490 air miles from Anchorage, in the Yukon Delta National Wildlife Refuge. It lies at approximately 62d 47m N Latitude, 164d 32m W Longitude (Sec. 17, T031N, R081W, Seward Meridian). Emmonak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 6 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. A maritime climate predominates in Emmonak. Temperatures range from -25 to 79. Precipitation is 19 inches per year, while snowfall is 50 to 60 inches per year. Freeze-up occurs during October; break-up occurs in June.

### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and chartered air service from Bethel or Nome. Emmonak relies on air and water transportation. There are no connecting roads, but winter trails to Kotlik, Alakanuk and Sheldon Point are used by snow machines. Skiffs and ATVs are using during the summer for local transportation.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 4,400' gravel airstrip is available.

**Airline Service:** Grant Aviation; Hageland; Larry's; Camai Air; Arctic Transportation Services; Warbelow's; Northern Air Cargo

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** Marine engine repair service available. No moorage facilities.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

#### **Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

*Internet Service Provider:* Unicom/United Utilities, Inc. ([www.unicom-alaska.net](http://www.unicom-alaska.net))

*TV Stations:* ARCS

*Radio Stations:* KICY-AM; KNOM-AM

*Cable Provider:* City of Emmonak

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Fuel available includes marine gas, diesel, propane, unleaded and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity):

AVEC (21 @ 172,247 gals.)

City (10 @ 131,500)

LY Schools (168,000)

Grant Air Services (6 @ 133,000)

Village Corp. (421,148)

Alaska Commercial Co. Store (20,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations and meals available.

**Services:** No banking facilities. Groceries and supplies available at local store. Charter aircraft available.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from the Yukon River and is treated. Piped water and sewer services have recently been expanded to the west side -- 161 homes, businesses and the school are now served. Water storage capacity has been doubled to serve the system expansion. The landfill must be relocated.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 251 students.

#### **Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- City teen center
- City fire house
- School

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –

- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

The city experiences a seasonal economy, with most activity occurring during the summer. It is becoming a center for commercial fishing, purchasing and processing on the lower Yukon River. Yukon Delta Fish Marketing Co-op and Bering Sea Fisheries process and export salmon from Emmonak. Two fish processing plants now operate in Emmonak. 102 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Subsistence activities, trapping and public assistance support income. The majority of the community travels to fish camps during the summer months to dry salmon for winter use. Moose, beluga whale, seal and waterfowl are also utilized.

**Culture & Demographic**

92.1% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Emmonak is a Yup'ik Eskimo village involved in commercial fishing, processing and subsistence activities. Residents of Chuloonawick, a nearby fish camp, also live in Emmonak. The sale, importation and possession of alcohol are banned in the village.

## 9770.10.16 – Flat

### FLAT

**Population:** 0 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)

**Located In:** Unorganized

**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

There are no public facilities or permanent residents.

#### **Location and Climate:**

Flat is located on Otter Creek, 7 miles east of its junction with the Iditarod River. It lies 59 miles northeast of Holy Cross and 8 miles east of Iditarod, in the Kilbuck-Kuskokwim Mountains. It lies at approximately 62.453610 North Latitude and -158.007500 West Longitude. (Sec. 4, T027N, R047W, Seward Meridian.) Flat is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District.

The area has a cold, continental climate. Summer temperatures average 42 to 80 °F, and winters can range from -62 to 0 °F. Annual precipitation averages 67 inches, with average annual snowfall of 110 inches.

**Spill Response Support:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Bethel. 543-2047/2087

#### **Economy:**

The Iditarod Mining District still produces gold today. The 2006-2010 American Community Survey (ACS) estimated zero residents as employed.

#### **Culture and Demographics:**

Gold was discovered in Flat on Christmas Day in 1908 by John Beaton and his associate. It became the widest pay streak ever found in Alaska. Peter Miscovich (Croatia), Lars Ostnes (Norway), and David Strandberg (Sweden) were also founding fathers and have been inducted into the Alaska Mining Hall of Fame. Flat became a mining and supply camp, first reported in 1910 by A.G. Maddren of the USGS. A tramway was built between Iditarod and Flat. A post office opened around 1912. Between 1910 and 1914, about 6,000 people moved to the community. Flat had an elementary school, a telephone system, two stores, a hotel, restaurant, pool hall, laundry, and jail. By World War I, the population had dramatically declined. The population was 158 in 1920 and 124 in 1930. By the end of World War II, only about 15 people lived there year-round. In 1937, Peter Miscovich purchased a large excavator, increasing production.

**9770.10.17 – Georgetown**  
**GEORGETOWN**

**Population:** Three year-round residents  
**Located In:** Unorganized  
**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

**Location and Climate:**

Georgetown is located on the north bank of the upper Kuskokwim River in the Kilbuck-Kuskokwim mountains. It is east of the mouth of the George River, 16 miles northwest of Red Devil. It lies at approximately 61.923381 North Latitude and -157.619840 West Longitude. (Sec. 18, T021N, R046W, Seward Meridian.) Georgetown is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District.

Georgetown has a continental climate with temperatures ranging between -59 to 94 °F. Precipitation averages 17 inches annually, with snowfall of 80 inches. The Kuskokwim is ice-free from mid-June through October.

**Spill Response Support:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Aniak. 675-4481/4446

**Transportation:**

The Kuskokwim River serves as the major transportation link to other villages. Barges which serve villages upriver may also serve Georgetown. In the winter transportation is primarily by snowmachine and aircraft.

**General:**

The middle Kuskokwim area first experienced contact with Europeans when the Russian explorer Zagoskin sailed upriver to McGrath in 1844. At that time, Georgetown was known as Keledzhichagat, a summer fish camp for residents of Kwigumpainukamiut. Gold was found along the George River in 1909. This mining settlement and the river were named for three traders: George Hoffman, George Fredericks and George Morgan. By 1910, about 300 prospectors were living on the west side of the George River. About 200 cabins had been built, when a fire swept through the settlement in 1911, destroying all but 25 cabins. Also saved were the two general stores in town -- the Kuskokwim Commercial Company and the Northern Commercial Company. By 1953, the only large structure that remained at the site was the two-story log house belonging to George Fredericks. In the 1950s, the present settlement, on the east side of the George River, began to develop. A State school was established in 1965, and remained until 1970. Georgetown is presently used as a seasonal fish campsite. There are no year-round residents.

**Economy:**

There are three year-round residents. The 2006-2010 American Community Survey (ACS) estimated zero residents as employed.

**Culture and Demographics:**

Georgetown residents are Yup'ik Eskimos and Tanaina Athabascans and depend upon a subsistence lifestyle.



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## 9770.10.18 – Goodnews Bay

### GOODNEWS BAY

**Population:** 246 (DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 967-8113

**State Troopers:** Troopers in Bethel

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept 967-8614

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Goodnews Bay Health Clinic (967-8128).

Auxiliary care is provided by Goodnews Bay First Responder Group (CHP 967-8128).

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Goodnews Bay

P.O. Box 70, Goodnews Bay, AK 99589

Phone 907-967-8614

Fax 907-967-8124

**Village Corporation** - Kuitsarak, Incorporated

P.O. Box 10, Goodnews Bay, AK 99589

Phone 907-967-8428

Fax 907-967-8226

**Village Council** - Native Village of Goodnews Bay

P.O. Box 50, Goodnews Bay, AK 99589

Phone 907-967-8929

Fax 907-967-8330

E-mail: [GoodnewsBay@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:GoodnewsBay@smtp.ak.bia.gov)

#### Location & Climate:

The community is located on the north shore of Goodnews Bay at the mouth of Goodnews River. It is 116 air miles south of Bethel, 110 miles northwest of Dillingham and 400 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 59d 07m N Latitude, 161d 35m W Longitude (Sec. 21, T012S, R073W, Seward Meridian). Goodnews Bay is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 3 sq. miles of land and 2 sq. miles of water. Goodnews Bay is located in a transitional climatic zone, exhibiting characteristics of both a marine and continental climate. Average precipitation is 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall. Summer temperatures range from 41 to 57; winter temperatures are 6 to 24.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and chartered air service from Bethel or Dillingham. Snowmachines are the primary means of travel during the winter.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,850' gravel airstrip is available for chartered or private planes year-round.

**Airline Service:** ERA Aviation

**Freight:** Cargo plane, barge, and ship. Barges deliver fuel and other supplies during the summer months.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities, although locals use boats and skiffs extensively during the summer months.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

#### **Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* United Utilities Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

*Internet Service Provider:* School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net))

*TV Stations:* ARCS

*Radio Stations:* KYUK-AM

*Cable Provider:* City of Goodnews Bay

*Teleconferencing:* No information

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, and propane available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity):

- AVEC (8 @ 67,300 gals.)
- Mumtram Pikkai Inc. (6 @ 113,400)
- Lower Kuskokwim School District (2 @ 43,200)
- City (2 @ 16,600)
- Army Nat'l Guard (2,200)
- Goodnews River Fishing Lodge (10,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations available through the village or the school (967-8213).

**Services:** No restaurant, laundromat, or banking services. Supplies available through local store. No major repair service or rental transportation.

**Water & Sewage:** Currently, treated well water is hauled from the new watering point. Honeybuckets are hauled by the City. Most homes are currently not plumbed. A piped water and sewer system, with plumbing for 72 homes, is under construction. The school has requested funds for new water treatment, and to be connected to the City sewage lagoon.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 71 students.

#### **Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- City community building
- School

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport

- National Guard Armory
- Other government facilities

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

The city, school, local businesses and commercial fishing provide the majority of the income, supplemented by subsistence activities. 43 residents hold commercial fishing permits, for salmon and herring roe fisheries. The 1992 Community Development Quota (CDQ) program has increased the pollock groundfish quota for small communities like Goodnews. From 40 to 50% of residents engage in trapping. Subsistence upon salmon, seal, walrus, birds, berries, moose and bear is an integral part of the lifestyle.

**Culture & Demographic**

95.9% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Goodnews is a traditional Eskimo village practicing a subsistence, trapping and fishing lifestyle. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol are banned in the village.

## 9770.10.19 – Grayling

**GRAYLING - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (GRAY-leeng)

**Population:** 189 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Doyon, Limited

### Emergency Services:

**Police:** None

**State Troopers:** 675-4398/4629 (Aniak)

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department, 453-5148

**Medical:** Grayling Clinic, 453-5120.

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Grayling

P.O. Box 89, Grayling, AK 99590

Phone 453-5148

Fax 453-5223

**Village Corporation** - Hee-Yea-Lingde Corporation

Box 9, Grayling, AK 99590

Phone 453-5133

Fax 453-5151

**Village Council** - Organized Village of Grayling

P.O. Box 49, Grayling, AK 99590

Phone 453-5116

Fax 453-5146

### Location & Climate:

Grayling is located in Interior Alaska on the west bank of the Yukon River east of the Nulato Hills. It is 18 air miles north of Anvik. It lies at approximately 62d 57m N Latitude, 160d 03m W Longitude (Sec. 34, T033N, R057W, Seward Meridian). Grayling is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 11 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The climate of Grayling is continental, with long, cold winters and relatively warm summers. Temperature extremes range between -60 to 87. Snowfall averages 110 inches, with 21 inches of total precipitation per year. The Yukon River is ice-free from June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and chartered air service from McGrath or Bethel. In summer, access to Grayling is by air, riverboat or barge. No roads connect Grayling with other communities. Skiffs are used for transportation up and down the river during summer. Every other year Grayling is a checkpoint on the annual 1,049-mile Iditarod sled dog race.

**Airport Facilities:** The State owns and operates a 2,315' gravel runway.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Ryan Air Service

**Freight:** Barge or mail plane.

**Vessel Support:** Moorage facilities available.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* Bush-Tell Inc.

*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom

*Internet Service Provider:* School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net))

*TV Stations:* ARCS

*Radio Stations:* KICY-AM; KNOM-AM

*Cable Provider:* None

*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Diesel, propane, and regular gasoline available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- AVEC (75,300 gals.)
- Native Store (24,489)
- School (2,000)
- Village Corp. (20,572)

**Housing:** Lodging available through

- Shirley Clarks B&B
- School
- Through the city (453-5148)

**Services:** No restaurants or banking services. Groceries and supplies available through local stores.

Aircraft mechanic and charter aircraft available.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from an infiltration gallery at Grayling Creek, is treated, stored and piped throughout the community. Over 90% of homes are plumbed for water and sewer.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 69 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- Teen center
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport
- National Guard Armory
- Other government facilities

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Mountain Village. 591-2929

Email: [cityofmou@yahoo.com](mailto:cityofmou@yahoo.com)

**Economy:**

Grayling's economy is heavily dependent on subsistence activities, and employment is found primarily in seasonal work. In 2010, 31 residents held commercial fishing permits. Subsistence activities include fishing, hunting, trapping, and berry gathering. Salmon, moose, black bear, small game, and waterfowl are harvested.

### **Culture & Demographic**

The population of Grayling is comprised of Holikachuk and Ingalik Indians. Subsistence activities are important to villagers' livelihoods. The sale of alcohol is banned in the village.

In 1900, the U.S. Revenue steamer Nunivak reported 75 inhabitants, a store, and a large woodyard to supply steamers. Between 1962 and 1966, 25 families moved from Holikachuk on the Innoko River to Grayling. Holikachuk was prone to annual spring flooding, and low water levels made the return trip from Yukon fish camps each year difficult. The city government was incorporated in 1969.

## 9770.10.20 – Hamilton

### HAMILTON

Hamilton is currently an **unpopulated** community, and/or no U.S. Census data is available for the community. A "complete" Community Profile has not been developed for this community. The information below provides a brief overview of the community.

#### Organizations:

##### **Village Council** - Native Village of Hamilton

P.O. Box 20248, Kotlik, AK 99620

Phone 907-899-4252

Fax 907-899-4202

##### **Village Corporation** - Nunapiglluraq Corporation

P.O. Box 20187, Kotlik, AK 99620

Phone 907-899-4226

Fax 907-899-4528

#### General:

The village was first reported in 1844 by Lt. L.A. Zagoskin of the Russian Navy as the Eskimo village or camp "Aungamut." In 1897, the North American Transportation & Trading Company established a supply post and riverboat landing here. The village was named for Charles H. Hamilton, assistant manager of the company. It has also been known as Fort Hamilton and Old Hamilton. Hamilton is a traditional summer subsistence-use camp; villagers live permanently in Kotlik. There are no year-round residents at this site. Transportation is provided by boat or float plane.



## 9770.10.21 – Holy Cross

### HOLY CROSS

**Population:** 176 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Doyon, Limited

#### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 476-7180

**State Troopers (Aniak):** 675-4398

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department, 476-7136

**Medical:** Theresa Demientieff Health Clinic, 476-7174.

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Holy Cross

P.O. Box 227, Holy Cross, AK 99602

Phone 476-7139

Fax 476-7141

Email: [cityofholycross@gci.net](mailto:cityofholycross@gci.net)

**Village Corporation** - Deloycheet, Incorporated

P.O. Box 206, Holy Cross, AK 99602

Phone 476-7177

Web: <http://www.deloycheet.com/>

**Village Council** - Holy Cross Village

P.O. Box 89, Holy Cross, AK 99602

Phone 476-7124

Fax 476-7132

#### Location & Climate:

Holy Cross is located in Interior Alaska on the west bank of Ghost Creek Slough off the Yukon River. It is 40 miles northwest of Aniak and 420 miles southwest of Fairbanks. It lies at approximately 62d 12m N Latitude, 159d 46m W Longitude (Sec. 05, T024N, R057W, Seward Meridian). Holy Cross is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 31 sq. miles of land and 6 sq. miles of water. The climate of Holy Cross is continental. Temperature extremes range from -62 and 93. Snowfall averages 79.4 inches, with 19 inches of total precipitation per year. The Yukon river is ice-free from June through October.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** The community is dependent upon air and boat transportation. Residents use boats for fishing, subsistence and recreation. 7.5 miles of local roads are used by 3-wheelers, motor bikes, snowmachines and dog teams.

**Airport Facilities:** The State owns and operates a 4,000-foot gravel airstrip.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Ryan Air Service  
**Freight:** Air transport and barge (in the summer).  
**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:**

*In-State Phone:* Bush-Tell Inc.  
*Long-Distance Phone:* AT&T Alascom  
*Internet Service Provider:* School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)), AT&T  
*TV Stations:* ARCS  
*Radio Stations:* KICY-AM; KYUK-AM; KNOM-AM  
*Cable Provider:* None  
*Teleconferencing:* Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Propane and regular gasoline available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- AVEC (77,600 gals.)
- Iditarod Schools (29,314)
- City (14,084)
- Deloycheet, Inc. (163,547)
- Holy Cross Church (6,200)

**Housing:** Accommodations and meals available at Holy Cross Lodge.

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available local stores. No banking services or rental transportation.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from a deep well and is treated. A new backup well, new pump house and water treatment facility have been completed. 71 households and the school are connected to the piped water and sewer system, with a plumbed kitchen. The remainder haul water from the washeteria and use honeybuckets.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 54 students. Landfill improvements are needed.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- City community hall
- Village council teen center
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Mountain Village. 591-2929

Email: [cityofmou@yahoo.com](mailto:cityofmou@yahoo.com)

**Economy:**

Holy Cross is characterized by a seasonal economy. In 2010, nine residents held commercial fishing permits. Subsistence hunting, fishing, trapping, and gardening supplement income.

### **Culture & Demographic**

Holy Cross is an Ingalik village. Subsistence and fishing-related activities are important to residents. The sale of alcohol is banned in the village.

Holy Cross first had contact with Europeans in the early 1840s, when Russian explorers led by Lt. Zagoskin traveled the Yukon River. They reported on "Anilukhtapak," which had 170 people. In 1880, the village was reported as "Askhomute" with 30 residents. A Catholic mission and school were established in the 1880s by Father Aloysius Robaut, who came to Alaska across the Chilkoot Trail. Ingaliks migrated to Holy Cross to be near the mission and school. A post office was opened in 1899 under the name "Koserefsky." In 1912, the name of the town was changed to "Holy Cross" after the mission. In the 1930s and 40s, sternwheelers brought the mail and supplies two or three times a year. The course of the river changed during the 1930s, and, by the mid-40s, the slough on which the village is now located was formed. The mission church and many additional buildings were torn down after the boarding school ceased operations in 1956. The city government was incorporated in 1968.

## 9770.10.22 – Hooper Bay

### HOOPER BAY

**Population:** 1,137 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police:** 758-4615/4617

**VPSO:** 758-4615

**State Troopers:** Bethel - 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept 329-8001

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Hooper Bay Health Clinic (758-4711). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Hooper Bay

P.O. Box 29, Hooper Bay, AK 99604

Phone 907-758-4311

Fax 907-758-4311

**Economic Development** - Coastal Village Region Fund

204 N. Franklin St., #1, Juneau, AK 99801

Phone 907-586-2360

Fax 907-586-2331

**Village Corporation** - Sea Lion Corporation

P.O. Box 44, Hooper Bay, AK 99604

Phone 907-758-4415

Fax 907-758-4815

**Village Council** - Native Village of Hooper Bay

P.O. Box 41, Hooper Bay, AK 99604

Phone 907-758-4915

Fax 907-758-4066

#### Location & Climate:

Hooper Bay is located 20 miles south of Cape Romanzof, 25 miles south of Scammon Bay in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. The city is separated into two sections: a heavily built-up townsite located on gently rolling hills, and a newer section in the lowlands. It lies at approximately 61d 31m N Latitude, 166d 05m W Longitude (Sec. 26, T017N, R093W, Seward Meridian). Hooper Bay is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 9 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The climate in Hooper Bay is maritime. The mean annual snowfall is 75 inches, with a total precipitation of 16 inches. Temperatures range between -25 and 79. Winter ice pack

and winds often promote severe conditions. The Bering Sea is ice-free from late June through October.

**Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Residents of Hooper Bay rely on air and water transportation.

**Airport Facilities:** The 3,300' paved runway is State owned and operated.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Air and barge. Barge lines deliver shipments of fuel and other bulk supplies throughout the summer.

**Vessel Support:** A commercial fishing dock is under construction. Skiffs are used during summer for local transportation. Limited motor repair services available.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:**

In-State Phone: United Utilities Inc.

Long-Distance Phone: AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

Internet Service Provider:

TV Stations: ARCS

Radio Stations: KICY-AM; KCUK-FM; KNOM-AM

Cable Provider: Frontier Cable, Inc.

Teleconferencing: Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Gasoline and diesel fuel available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity):

- High School (145,400 gals.)
- City (20,000)
- AVEC (160,900)
- Army Nat'l Guard (8,200)
- Yukon Fuel Co. (225,203)
- Little Flower of Jesus Parish (2,519)

**Housing:** Accommodations available at Qavartarvik (Sea Lion Hotel, 758-4015).

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available at local stores. Laundromat with showers available.

**Water & Sewage:** Residents currently haul treated water from the washeteria or other watering points. Three new wells were drilled in 1997, 3 miles northeast of town. The school uses its own water system. Honeybuckets are hauled by residents. The large majority of homes are not plumbed, with the exception of the new HUD housing subdivision, which uses a flush/haul system. The City is beginning infrastructure improvements in preparation for a piped water and sewer system. A new water treatment/washeteria facility is under construction.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 390 students. The landfill was expanded in 1997, and includes a new sewage lagoon; the combined site is nearly 20 acres in size.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Most employment in Hooper Bay is seasonal with peak economic activity in the summer and little income-producing activity during the winter. 44 residents hold commercial fishing permits. The 1992 Community Development Quota (CDQ) program has increased the pollock groundfish quota for small communities like Hooper Bay. BLM fire fighting offers some employment, and grass baskets and ivory handicrafts are sold. The community is interested in developing the Naparyarmiut Arts & Crafts Cooperative. Income is supplemented by subsistence activities. Salmon, walrus, beluga whale and waterfowl are harvested.

**Culture & Demographic**

96% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Hooper Bay is a traditional Cup'ik Eskimo community. Commercial fishing and subsistence activities are the primary means of support. Members of the Village of Paimiut also live in Hooper Bay. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.23 – Kasigluk

**KASIGLUK - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (ka-SEE-ga-luck); aka Kaseglok)

**Population:** 576 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### **Emergency Services:**

**Police:** 477-6128

**State Troopers:** Troopers in Bethel 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept 477-6247

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Kasiguk Health Clinic (477-6120).

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**Village Corporation** - Kasigluk Incorporated

P.O. Box 39, Kasigluk, AK 99609

Phone 907-447-6113

Fax 907-447-6026

**Village Council** - Kasigluk Traditional Council

P.O. Box 19, Kasigluk, AK 99609

Phone 907-477-6405

Fax 907-477-6212

E-mail: [Kasigluk@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Kasigluk@smtp.ak.bia.gov)

### **Location & Climate:**

Kasigluk is on the Johnson River in the Kuskokwim River Delta, 26 miles northwest of Bethel. The community is comprised of Old and New Kasigluk, surrounded by the Johnson River and a network of lakes. It lies at approximately 60d 52m N Latitude, 162d 32m W Longitude (Sec. 02, T009N, R075W, Seward Meridian). Kasigluk is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 19 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The area's precipitation averages 16 inches annually, with snowfall of 50 inches. Summer temperatures range from 62 to 42; winter temperatures are 19 to -2.

### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and chartered air service from Bethel. Locals use skiffs to travel to Bethel and other area villages during the summer, and snowmachines in the winter.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 1,950' lighted gravel airstrip provides chartered or private air transportation year-round. The airport is undergoing major improvements, including an extension of the runway to 3,000'.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** Although there are no docking facilities, barges from Bethel deliver fuel and supplies during summer months.

## **Facilities & Utilities:**

### **Communications:**

In-State Phone: United Utilities Inc.

Long-Distance Phone: AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

Internet Service Provider: Unicom/United Utilities, Inc. ([www.unicom-alaska.net](http://www.unicom-alaska.net)); School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net))

TV Stations: ARCS; KYUK

Radio Stations: KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM

Cable Provider: Village of Kasigluk

Teleconferencing: Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC (from Nunapitchuk). Electricity is provided by Nunapitchuk, although the village would like a local electric system.

**Fuel:** Marine gas and propane available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity):

- School (95,250 gals.)
- Village Council (15,000)
- Village Corp. (116,500)

**Housing:** Accommodations can be arranged at

- the school (477-6615)
- the clinic (477-6120)
- private homes

**Services:** No restaurant or banking services. Laundry facilities available. Groceries and supplies available through local stores. No major repair services, rental transportation.

**Water & Sewage:** Treated well water is hauled from the washeteria, and individual wells are also available. The new Kasigluk area known as Akula Heights uses the school well.

Honeybuckets are hauled to sewage bunkers. Homes are not plumbed, and residents are reliant on the washeteria for bathing and laundry. A Master Plan is being completed for water and sewer system improvements.

**Miscellaneous:** The landfill does not meet DEC standards, and is located on a flood plain. There are 2 schools located in the community, attended by 168 students.

### **Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- Community building
- Schools
- Police station

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

#### **Local Spill Response Equipment:**

### **Economy:**

The school, commercial fishing, retail businesses and village government provide the majority of employment in Kasigluk. Subsistence activities contribute significantly to household diets. 46 residents hold commercial fishing permits, mainly for salmon set net and herring roe fisheries.



**Culture & Demographic**

95.3% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Kasigluk is an Eskimo community practicing a fishing and subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.24 – Kipnuk

**KIPNUK - Pronunciation/Other Names:** (KIP-nuck, aka Kanganak)

**Population:** 663 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 896-5515

**State Troopers (Bethel):** 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department

**Medical:** Kipnuk Clinic, 896-5927/2093.

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Corporation** - Kugkaktlik Limited

P.O. Box 36, Kipnuk, AK 99614

Phone 896-5414

Fax 896-5140

**Village Council** - Native Village of Kipnuk

P.O. Box 57, Kipnuk, AK 99614

Phone 896-5515

Fax 896-5240

Email: [ktc99614@yahoo.com](mailto:ktc99614@yahoo.com)

**Kipnuk Light Plant**

P.O. Box 71, Kipnuk, AK 99614

Phone 896-5427

**Environmental Staff (IGAP):** 896-5515

### Location & Climate:

Kipnuk is located on the west bank of the Kugkaktlik River in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta, 85 air miles southwest of Bethel. It lies four miles inland from the Bering Sea coast. It lies at approximately 59d 56m N Latitude, 164d 03m W Longitude (Sec. 10, T003S, R086W, Seward Meridian). Kipnuk is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 30 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. The community is located in a marine climate. Precipitation averages 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall annually. Summer temperatures range from 41 to 57, winter temperatures are 6 to 24.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Boats and skiffs are used by residents for local travel during the summer, with snowmachines in the winter.

**Airport Facilities:** Kipnuk offers a State-owned 2,120' gravel airstrip, with scheduled air taxi service five times each day. Charter services are also available. A seaplane base is also available.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Grant Aviation, Ryan Air Service, Yute Air

**Freight:** Mail plane and barge. Although there is no dock, barges from Bethel deliver cargo each summer. It is a local priority to construct docking facilities.

**Vessel Support:** No information available.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

#### **Communications:**

In-State Phone: United Utilities Inc.; GCI (cell phone service, 5-10 mile range)

Long-Distance Phone: AT&T Alascom; United Utilities

Internet Service Provider: GCI; United Utilities Inc.

TV Stations: ARCS

Radio Stations: KYUK-AM

Cable Provider: Frontier Cable, Inc.

Teleconferencing: Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Kipnuk Light Plant provides Electricity.

**Fuel:** Gas, Diesel.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity):

- School (70,200 gals.)
- Village Power Plant (151,300)
- Kugkaktlik Ltd (324,500)
- Kashatok Bros. Store (13,800)

**Housing:** Lodging can be arranged with

- Marshall School
- Hunter Sales Rooming (679-6111)
- Kipnuk Traditional Council 896-5515.

**Services:** Limited supplies available at local store.

**Water & Sewage:** A new 210,000 gal. water storage tank is filled from a reservoir on a nearby lake; residents haul treated water from several watering points. Honey buckets are hauled by the village to a sewage lagoon. Homes are not plumbed.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 201 students. The Village Council collects refuse and maintains the Class III permitted landfill. The Kipnuk school needs additional funds to complete its bio-pure sewage treatment plant and increase water storage capacity.

#### **Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Housing Facilities:**

- Tribal Office Building, 896-5515, (All season; Capacity: 30-50)
- Kipnuk Tribal Council Bunkhouse, 896-5515 (All season; Capacity: 17)
- CVRF, 896-5080 (All season; Capacity: 2)

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- Kipnuk Tribal council Office Bldg, 896-5515 (Capacity: 30-50; Internet access)
- CVRF Office/Shop, 896-5080 (Capacity: 10; Internet access)

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- CVRF Office/Shop, 896-5080 (Capacity: 10; Internet access)
- Airport
- National Guard Armory

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Toksook Bay, 427-7511

- Containment Boom (100 feet) - Kugkaktlik Ltd (896-5414)
- Sorbent Pads (8 bags) - Kipnuk Light Plant (896-5427)
- Backhoe (2) - 896-5015
- Bulldozer (2) - 896-5515
- Skiff with outboard - numerous in community
- Hazwoper Trained Spill Responders: 5-6

**Limiting factors in the community for supporting a large spill response effort. Examples are restricted food supply, seasonal water rationing, lack of lodging, waste-water restrictions, etc.** Yes. Ground is very absorbent and soft for heavy equipment operation, and all of the above are also limiting factors.

**Top two sensitive areas (*environmental or cultural*) to be protected in case of an oil spill.**

Location	Reason for Protection
Chief Paul Memorial School	Children/students
Kugkaktlik River	Seafood

**Economy:**

Most employment in Kipnuk is in seasonal activities such as commercial fishing and construction. Subsistence activities are a major component of the Kipnuk lifestyle. In 2010, 42 residents held commercial fishing permits. Coastal Villages Seafood, Inc., processes halibut and salmon in Kipnuk. Income is also obtained by trapping.

**Culture & Demographic**

Kipnuk is a traditional Yup'ik Eskimo community, maintaining a subsistence lifestyle. Commercial fishing is an important income source. The sale and importation of alcohol is banned in the village. Yup'ik Eskimos have inhabited the region for thousands of years. According to early BIA records, the village was established around 1922.

## 9770.10.25 – Kongiganak

### KONGIGANAK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (kahn-GIG-uh-nuk; abbr. Kong)

**Population:** 462 (2011 AK Dept of Labor Estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 557-5607

**State Troopers:** Bethel - 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Kongiganak Health Clinic (557-5127).

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Electric Utility** - Puvurna Power Company, P.O. Box 5009, Kongiganak, AK 99559  
Phone 907-557-5614, Fax 907-557-5614

**Village Corporation** - Qemirtalek Coast Corporation, P.O. Box 5070, Kongiganak, AK 99559  
Phone 907-557-5429, Fax 907-557-5517

**Village Council** - Kongiganak Native Village, P.O. Box 5069, Kongiganak, AK 99559  
Phone 907-557-5226, Fax 907-557-5224, e-mail: [Kongiganak@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Kongiganak@smtp.ak.bia.gov)

#### Location & Climate:

Kongiganak is located on the west shore of Kuskokwim Bay, west of the mouth of the Kuskokwim River. It lies 70 miles southwest of Bethel and 451 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 59d 52m N Latitude, 163d 02m W Longitude (Sec. 33, T002S, R079W, Seward Meridian). Kongiganak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 11 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. Kong is located in a marine climate. Precipitation averages 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall annually. Summer temperatures range from 41 to 57, winter temperatures are 6 to 24.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Snowmobiles, boats and skiffs provide local transportation to Bethel and other area villages

**Airport Facilities:** Kongiganak and Kwigillingok share use of the State-owned 2,500' gravel airstrip; major improvements are nearing completion. A seaplane base is also nearby.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Plane and barge service. Barges deliver cargo once or twice each summer.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS

**Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM **Cable Provider:** Qemirtalek Coast Corp. (Village Corp.)

**Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Puvurna Power Company.

**Fuel:** No information available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): LK Schools (74,100 gals.); Village Safewater Corp. (25,734); Puvurnaq Power (53,470); Village Corp. (51,900); Moravian Church (4,170); Army Nat'l Guard (3,700); Kongiganak Trading Co. (8,500)

**Housing:** Lodging available at the school (557-5126).

**Services:** No information.

**Water & Sewage:** Treated surface water is hauled from the washeteria. Some residents use rain catchments during the summer and ice melt in the winter. Honeybuckets are hauled by the village from disposal bunkers to a pre-treatment plant at the sewage lagoon. Homes are not plumbed. Funds have been requested to construct a circulating water and vacuum sewer utilidor system, and plumbing for 45 homes. Phase I infrastructure improvements are under development, such as a new water source and water treatment improvements. The school wants an additional water storage tank. A new washeteria is needed.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 121 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- Community hall
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Approximately half of the employment in Kongiganak is at the school. The remaining employment is with village services, stores, and commercial fishing. 27 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Subsistence activities are important supplements to income. Some trapping occurs. The 1992 Community Development Quota (CDQ) program has increased the pollock groundfish quota for small communities like Kongiganak.

**Culture & Demographic**

97.3% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Kongiganak is a traditional Eskimo village with a fishing and subsistence lifestyle and culture. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.26 – Kotlik

### KOTLIK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (KAWT-lick)

**Population:** 601 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**City VPO:** 899-4626

**State Troopers:** St Mary's - (800) 240-2019

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Kotlik Health Clinic (899-4511). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Kotlik, P.O. Box 20268, Kotlik, AK 99620-0268

Phone 907-899-4313, Fax 907-899-4826

**Village Corporation** - Kotlik Yupik Corporation, P.O. Box 20007, Kotlik, AK 99620

Phone 907-899-4019, Fax 907-899-4528

**Village Council** - Village of Kotlik, P.O. Box 20210, Kotlik, AK 99620

Phone 907-899-4326, Fax 907-899-4790, e-mail: [Kotlik@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Kotlik@smtp.ak.bia.gov)

### Location & Climate:

Kotlik is located on the east bank of the Kotlik Slough, 35 miles northeast of Emmonak in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies 165 air miles northwest of Bethel, and 460 miles from Anchorage. It lies at approximately 63d 02m N Latitude, 163d 33m W Longitude (Sec. 25, T028S, R026W, Kateel River Meridian). Kotlik is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 4 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. The climate of Kotlik is subarctic. Temperatures range between -50 and 87. There is an average of 60 inches of snowfall, with a total of 16 inches of precipitation annually. High winds and poor visibility are common during fall and winter. Norton Sound and the Yukon are ice-free from mid-June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and chartered plane service from Nome or Bethel. There is no road access, although Kotlik is easily accessible by barge. The river is used by the 50 or so commercial and private boats owned by residents.

**Airport Facilities:** Air transportation of passengers, cargo and mail is provided via the State-owned 2,145' gravel airstrip.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Air and barge service.

**Vessel Support:** No information available on moorage facilities.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KICY-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** Kotlik Joint Utility (City) **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network  
**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Kotlik Joint Utility.

**Fuel:** No information available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): Electric Utility (20 @ 50,000 gals.); Kotlik Yupik Corp. (5 @ 220,000); School (6 @ 48,955); City (18,100); Alaska Commercial Store (15,000)

**Housing:** Lodging arrangements may be made with the Kotlik Lodge (899-4313) or the local school (899-4415).

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available at local stores. No information available on repair services, rental transportation.

**Water & Sewage:** A piped vacuum sewer and circulating water utilidor is being constructed in Kotlik, including plumbing for 51 homes. 19 households and facilities are not yet served, and these residents haul treated water from the washeteria or the Kotlik Slough and haul honeybuckets to containers.

**Miscellaneous:** Since trenching and burying is difficult in the area, the City is considering an incinerator and recycling to reduce the quantity of solid waste. The existing landfill is being closed. There is one school located in the community, attended by 198 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

City community hall  
City teen center  
School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –  
National Guard Armory –  
Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Kotlik has a seasonal economy with most activity during the summer. Fishing and fish processing are the primary income generators. 82 residents hold commercial fishing permits. The community is interested in developing a local seafood processing facility, and an arts and crafts project. Kotlik's residents rely heavily on subsistence foods, and many families have fish camps on the Yukon River. Salmon, moose, beluga whale and seal are harvested. Income is also derived from trapping.

**Culture & Demographic**

97% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. It is a Yup'ik Eskimo village practicing a fishing, trapping and subsistence lifestyle. Residents of Hamilton, a nearby summer fish camp, also live in Kotlik. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol is banned in the village.



## 9770.10.27 – Kwethluk

### KWETHLUK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (KWEETH-luk)

**Population:** 741 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)

**Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City

**Borough Located In:** Unorganized

**Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 757-6629

**State Troopers:** 543-2294 (Bethel Post)

**Fire:** 757-6629

**Medical:** Betty Guy Memorial Clinic, 757-6627, 757-6670

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Kwethluk

Phone 757-6022, Fax 757-6497

**Village Council** - Organized Village of Kwethluk

Phone 757-6714/6715, Fax 757-6328

**Electric Utility** - Kwethluk Incorporated

Phone 757-6613, Fax 757-6212

**Village Corporation** - Kwethluk Incorporated

Phone 757-6613, Fax 757-6212

### Location & Climate:

This is a Yup'ik community located 12 air miles east of Bethel on the Kwethluk River at its junction with the Kuskokwim. The village is the second largest along the Lower Kuskokwim River, following Bethel. It lies at approximately 60° 49' North Latitude, 161° 26' West Longitude (Sec. 05, T008N, R069W, Seward Meridian).

Kwethluk's precipitation averages 16 inches, with snowfall of 50 inches. Summer temperatures average from 62 to 42; winter averages are 19 to -2. Extremes have been recorded from 86 to -46. The Kuskokwim is typically ice-free from June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and chartered air service from Bethel. Kwethluk is dependent on air transportation for year-round movement of freight and passengers. Snowmachines, ATVs, and skiffs are used for local travel, and the River becomes an ice road during winter. Winter trails are marked to Eek (45 mi), Three Step Mountain (55 mi), and Columbia Creek (49 mi).

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,199' long by 75' wide gravel airstrip and seaplane base are available.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Ryan Air Service, Yute Air

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge. Barge services deliver cargo during the summer.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications: Cellular Phone:** GCI

**In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc.

**Long-Distance Phone:** GCI; United Utilities

**Internet Service Provider:** GCI; United Utilities

**TV Stations:** ARCS; KYUK

**Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM

**Cable Provider:** None

**Teleconferencing:** AK Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Kwethluk Incorporated

**Fuel:** Gasoline, diesel and propane

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (capacity in gallons): Kwethluk Inc (93,750 Diesel and 116,750 Unleaded) City (17,000) Lower Kuskokwim Schools (23,500) Army National Guard (5,250) Kwethluk Electric (138,000 Diesel)

**Housing & Accommodations:** Lodging accommodations can be arranged through the school or city.

School: Contact Site Administrator, 757-6015 (Capacity 25)

City: Contact City Manager, 757-6022 (Capacity 12)

**Services:** No restaurant or banking services. Groceries and supplies available through local stores. No rental transportation or repairs.

Kwethluk Native Store, 757-6220

Kwethluk Sports Store (hardware), 757-64112

**Water & Sewage:** The City of Kwethluk provides water treatment, honeybucket, washeteria, and refuse services. The school and teachers' housing have individual systems. Residents haul water for household use. There are sewage container disposal bins; these are hauled to the sewage lagoon. None of the 147 homes have complete plumbing, but many residents have steam baths.

Kwethluk Washeteria, 757-6821

**Miscellaneous:**

**Spill Response Support:**

Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.

**Potential Command Posts:**

Kwethluk City Office (757-6022). Capacity for 30, internet is available

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Old Airport Apron (757-6022). Approximately 2,900 feet.

Local Spill Response Equipment		
Response Type Equipment	Quantity	Contact (organization & phone)
Containment Boom for oil spill in water	100'	City of Kwethluk, 757-6022
Sorbent "sausage" or "pom-pom" boom	120'	City of Kwethluk, 757-6022
Anchors for securing boom	none	City of Kwethluk, 757-6022
Sorbent pads	4 bundles, 3'x3'	City of Kwethluk, 757-6022
<b>Heavy Equipment</b>		
Backhoe	1	KTRC, Inc., 757-6063
Bulldozer	1	City of Kwethluk, 757-6022
Dump truck or similar	1	KTRC, Inc., 757-6063
<b>Other Equipment</b>		
Skiff with outboard	1	VPSO, 757-2000
Skiff with outboard	1	Chief Charles, 757-6629

**Trained Responders:** There are no HAZWOPER certified or other trained responders in the community (as of September 2012).

**Economy:**

The largest employer is the school district. Subsistence activities play a central role in the lifestyle; salmon, moose, and caribou are staples of the diet. Seal meat and seal oil are obtained in trade with coastal relatives and neighbors. Most families travel to fish camps each summer.

**Culture & Demographic**

Archaeological finds indicate that the area has been inhabited since prehistoric times. The name Kwethluk is derived from the Yup'ik word Kuiggluk," meaning "dangerous river." In the late 1860s and early 1870s Russian Orthodox missionaries from Russian Mission founded a small congregation. The Moravian Church built a chapel in 1896 and a Russian Orthodox church was built in 1912. Discovery of gold in nearby creeks in 1909 attracted prospectors until 1911. Only one placer deposit, discovered on the upper Kwethluk River, delivered a small yield and was mined until World War II. A Moravian orphanage, located three miles upriver, provided children services between 1930 and the early 1970s. In 1939, the villagers owned 31,000 reindeers and harvested the herd for food and skins. The tuberculosis epidemic of the late 1930s impacted the local population. The community has a post office since 1947, and a store since 1948. The city was incorporated in 1975.

A federally-recognized tribe is located in the community -- the Organized Village of Kwethluk. Kwethluk is predominantly a Yup'ik Eskimo village that practices a subsistence lifestyle. The sale and importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.28 – Kwigillingok

### KWIGILLINGOK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (kwih-GILL-in-gawk; abbr. Kwig)

**Population:** 342 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 588-8329

**State Troopers:** Bethel, 543-2294

**Fire:** State VPSO Volunteer Fire Dept (588-8329)

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Kwigillingok Health Clinic (588-8526)

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Corporation** - Kwik Incorporated, P.O. Box 50, Kwigillingok, AK 99622

Phone 907-588-8112, Fax 907-588-8313

**Village Council** - Native Village of Kwigillingok, P.O. Box 49, Kwigillingok, AK 99622-0049

Phone 907-588-8114, Fax 907-588-8429, e-mail: [Kwigillingok@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Kwigillingok@smtp.ak.bia.gov)

#### Location & Climate:

Kwigillingok is on the western shore of Kuskokwim Bay near the mouth of the Kuskokwim River. It lies 77 miles southwest of Bethel and 388 miles west of Anchorage. The village of Kongiganak is nearby. It lies at approximately 59d 51m N Latitude, 163d 08m W Longitude (Sec. 01, T004S, R081W, Seward Meridian). Kwigillingok is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 16 sq. miles of land and 5 sq. miles of water. Kwig is located in a marine climate. Precipitation averages 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall annually. Summer temperatures range from 41 to 57, winter temperatures are 6 to 24.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Snowmachines and ATVs are used during winter, and boardwalks are used for local walkways in the village.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,000' gravel airstrip is shared with Kongiganak, which provides year-round transportation. Major improvements to the airport are nearing completion. A seaplane base is also available.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Airplane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities, although a number of residents have fishing boats or skiffs for travel to Bethel and area villages.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS  
**Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM **Cable Provider:** Kwik Inc. (Village Corp.) **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Kwig Power Company.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, regular gasoline, diesel, and kerosene available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): School (113,250 gals.); Village Council (3,000); Kwik Inc. (8 @ 109,000 gals.); Kwig Power (30,000); Village Safe Water Plant (10,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations can be made through the IRA Council (588-8114) to stay at private homes.

**Services:** Limited groceries and supplies available at local stores.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is currently derived from a nearby lake, is treated, and hauled from the washeteria. The school operates its own surface water treatment facility. Honeybuckets are disposed of by residents. Homes are not plumbed. Infrastructure improvements are planned to develop a flush/haul system to serve the 74 homes in the village.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 106 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Most employment in Kwigillingok is with the school, village government, stores or commercial fishing. Income is supplemented by subsistence activities. 39 residents hold commercial fishing permits. The 1992 Community Development Quota (CDQ) program has increased the pollock groundfish quota for small communities like Kwigillingok. A local arts and crafts cooperative markets local handicrafts; the village would like to expand the cooperative.

**Culture & Demographic**

95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Kwigillingok is a traditional Eskimo village, practicing a commercial fishing and subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.29 – Lake Minchumina

### LAKE MINCHUMINA

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (min-SHOO-mih-nuh; a.k.a. Minchumina)

**Population:** 12 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Not applicable

#### Emergency Services:

##### **Police:**

**State Troopers:** Troopers in Fairbanks, 451-5100

**Fire:** Lake Minchumina Rescue Squad, 674-3215

**Medical:** No clinic is available. Auxiliary health care is provided by Lake Minchumina Rescue Squad (674-3215); air transport to Fairbanks Hospitals.

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Community Non-Profit** - Lake Minchumina Homeowners Assoc., Gen. Delivery, Lake Minchumina, AK 99757

**Electric Utility** - Lake Minchumina Power Company, General Delivery, Lake Minchumina, AK 99757

Phone 907-674-3320, Fax 907-674-3211

**Village Council** - Lake Minchumina Trad. Council, General Delivery, Lake Minchumina, AK 99623

#### Location & Climate:

Lake Minchumina is located north of Mount McKinley in Interior Alaska. It lies at approximately 63d 53m N Latitude, 152d 19m W Longitude (Sec. 08, T012S, R024W, Fairbanks Meridian). Lake Minchumina is located in the Fairbanks Recording District. The area encompasses 73 sq. miles of land and 22 sq. miles of water. Interior Alaska experiences seasonal temperature extremes. January temperatures range from -22 to -2; July temperatures range from 50 to 72. Average annual precipitation is 11.3 inches. Ice fog is common during the winter.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Fairbanks. The Lake may be accessed by boat in the summer. There is no road connection.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 4,200' gravel airstrip is available.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Delivered by small plane.

**Vessel Support:** No information available.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** United Utilities

**Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI (www.gci.net) **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:**

None listed **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** None listed

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Semloh Power Company.

**Fuel:** No information available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): No information available.

**Housing:** Accommodations at Denali West Lodge (733-2630).

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available at local store.

**Water & Sewage:** Half of all households have individual wells; the remainder haul water from untreated surface sources. Septic tanks are used by 25% of homes; the majority use outhouses or honeybuckets. A private company, Lake Minchumina Power, provides electrical services.

**Miscellaneous:** The landfill was closed by the FAA several years ago, and a private dumpsite is currently being used for non-burnable refuse. Funds have been provided to develop a new site. There are no state-operated schools located in the community.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

None identified

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

The Denali National Park and Preserve, lodge and school provide the majority of employment in this small community. A general store is located in the community. Due to its isolation, subsistence activities, trapping and dog mushing are also pursued.

**Culture & Demographic**

18.8% of the population are Alaska Natives. Many residents run dog sled teams. Few Natives live at Lake Minchumina year-round. A subsistence lifestyle is practiced.

## 9770.10.30 – Lime Village

### LIME VILLAGE

**Population:** 29 (2011 DCCED certified estimate) **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

##### **Police:**

**State Troopers:** Troopers in McGrath, 542-3052

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Lime Village Health Clinic (562-5113). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Anchorage.

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Corporation** - Lime Village Company, P.O. Box 92005, Anchorage, AK 99509

**Village Council** - Lime Village Traditional Council, P.O. Box LVD, Lime Village, McGrath, AK 99627  
Phone 907-526-5236, Fax 907-526-5235, e-mail: [Lime@aitc.org](mailto:Lime@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Lime Village is located on the south bank of the Stony River, 50 miles southeast of its junction with the Kuskokwim River. The village is 111 air miles south of McGrath, 137 miles east of Aniak, and 185 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 21m N Latitude, 155d 28m W Longitude (Sec. 30, T015N, R034W, Seward Meridian). Lime Village is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 53 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The climate in Lime Village is continental. Temperatures range between -47 and 82. Precipitation averages 22 inches, with snowfall of 85 inches per year. The Kuskokwim and Stony Rivers are ice-free from mid-June through October.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled or chartered air service from McGrath or Aniak. Located on the Stony River, Lime Village is dependent on small riverboats and airplanes for transportation. When the river freezes, residents use dog teams and snowmachines for ground travel.

**Airport Facilities:** There is a 1,475' gravel runway just north of the village that is owned and maintained by the State.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Freight arrives by mail plane once a week.

**Vessel Support:** No information available.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS  
**Radio Stations:** KSKO-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Lime Village Electric Utility. Fuel oil is brought in for the school and clinic, although most residents use wood for heating. A central electrical system was completed in March 1998, with the cooperation of the village, the University, the Department of Community and Regional Affairs' Division of Energy, and the Alaska Science and Technology Foundation.



**Fuel:** No information available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): School (9,800); Village Council (5,000)

**Housing:** No visitor facilities available.

**Services:** No visitor facilities available.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is drawn from Stony River and is treated. Residents haul water from the pump house. Sewage is disposed of in pit privies. The school and teacher's housing are connected to individual wells and septic systems, and are fully plumbed. The school septic tank needs replacement. A small washeteria is scheduled to begin construction during the summer of 1999.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 14 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Subsistence activities are essential. There is no store in Lime Village. Salmon, moose, bear, caribou, waterfowl and berries are utilized. Some seasonal work is found through BLM fire fighting or trapping. Income is primarily derived from public assistance programs.

**Culture & Demographic**

95.2% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Lime Village is an Denaina Athabascan Indian settlement practicing a subsistence lifestyle.

## 9770.10.31 – Lower Kalskag

### LOWER KALSKAG

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (KAL-skag)

**Population:** 287 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police:**

**State Troopers:** Troopers in Aniak, 675-4398

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include Lower Kalskag Health Clinic (471-2294).

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Lower Kalskag, P.O. Box 81, Lower Kalskag, AK 99626

Phone 907-471-2228, Fax 907-471-2363

**Village Council** - Village of Lower Kalskag, P.O. Box 27, Lower Kalskag, AK 99626

Phone 907-471-2379, Fax 907-471-2379, e-mail: [LowerKalskag@aitc.org](mailto:LowerKalskag@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Lower Kalskag is located on the north bank of the Kuskokwim River, 2 miles downriver from Upper Kalskag. It lies 26 miles west of Aniak, 64 miles northeast of Bethel, and 350 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 30m N Latitude, 160d 21m W Longitude (Sec. 02, T016N, R062W, Seward Meridian). Lower Kalskag is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 1 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The climate is semi-arctic with maritime influences from the Bering Sea. Precipitation averages 19 inches, with 60 inches of snowfall. Temperatures range between -55 and 87. The Kuskokwim River is ice-free from mid-June through October.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. The village is accessible by boat in summer and snowmachine in winter. Passengers and other freight arrive by air year-round, through scheduled daily air services

**Airport Facilities:** . The State-owned 2,200' gravel airstrip is shared by Lower and Upper Kalskag, and there is a road connecting the two cities.

**Airline Service:** Yute Air; Camai Air; Arctic Air; Larry's Air; Hageland's

**Freight:** Plane and barge service. Commercial barge lines deliver fuel and other bulk supplies in the summer.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** Bush-Tell Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS; KYUK **Radio Stations:**

KICY-AM; KYUK-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** No information

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas and diesel available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): City/AVEC (10 @ 103,500 gals.); School (16,000); City (74,770)

**Housing:** Arrangements may be made to stay at the school (471-2318).

**Services:** Restaurant located in the community. No laundromat or banking services. Groceries and supplies available at local store. No repair services. No rental transportation.

**Water & Sewage:** An 85-foot well provides water, which is treated and piped to most homes and the school. The school, clinic and over 40% of homes use individual septic tanks and have complete plumbing. A 10,000-gallon community septic tank allows for piped sewage collection to part of the village. Funds have been requested to connect the 20 remaining homes using septic tanks to the piped sewer system, due to effluent ponding. The community also needs a washeteria.

**Miscellaneous:** Refuse is burned or buried at a new landfill located between Lower and Upper Kalskag. There are 2 schools located in the community, attended by 144 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

City community hall.

Schools

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Lower Kalskag's economy is predominantly based on subsistence activities. Salmon, moose, black bear, porcupine and waterfowl are utilized. Year-round employment is limited to the school, City and clinic. Eight residents hold commercial fishing permits. BLM fire fighting can provide seasonal income.

**Culture & Demographic**

98.3% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Lower Kalskag is an Eskimo village of Russian Orthodox practitioners who relocated from Upper Kalskag in 1940. Subsistence activities provide food sources. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.32 – McGrath

McGRATH

**Population:** 341 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Doyon, Limited

### Emergency Services:

**Police:**      **VPSO:** 524-3075  
**State Troopers:** 522-3222      **Village Police Officer (contract):**  
**Fire:** 911

**Medical:** Local hospitals or health clinics include McGrath Health Center (524-3104/3299).  
Auxiliary health care is provided by Kuskokwim Valley Rescue Squad (524-3299/9111).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of McGrath, P.O. Box 30, McGrath, AK 99627  
Phone 907-524-3825, Fax 907-524-3536, e-mail: [ksnow@mcgrathalaska.com](mailto:ksnow@mcgrathalaska.com)  
**School District** - Iditarod Area Schools, Box 90, McGrath, AK 99627  
Phone 907-524-3033, Fax 907-524-3217, e-mail: [klangton@mcg.iasd.gcisa.net](mailto:klangton@mcg.iasd.gcisa.net)  
**Village Corporation** - MTNT Limited, P.O. Box 309, McGrath, AK 99627  
Phone 907-524-3391, Fax 907-524-3701  
**Village Council** - McGrath Native Village, P.O. Box 134, McGrath, AK 99627  
Phone 907-524-3024, Fax 907-524-3899, e-mail: [McGrath@aitc.org](mailto:McGrath@aitc.org)  
**Village Council** - Medfra Traditional Council, P.O. Box 92, McGrath, AK 99627

### Location & Climate:

McGrath is located 221 miles northwest of Anchorage and 269 miles southwest of Fairbanks in Interior Alaska. It is adjacent to the Kuskokwim River directly south of its confluence with the Takotna River. It lies at approximately 62d 57m N Latitude, 155d 35m W Longitude (Sec. 18, T033N, R033W, Seward Meridian). McGrath is located in the Mt. McKinley Recording District. The area encompasses 38 sq. miles of land and 5 sq. miles of water. The McGrath area has a cold, continental climate. Average summer temperatures range from 62 to 80, winters temperatures can range from -64 to 0. Precipitation is light, averaging 10 inches per year, including an average snowfall of 86 inches. The Kuskokwim River is generally ice-free from June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Anchorage and Yukon River communities. On-demand air charter service to outlying communities. River travel May to October. There are no road connections to McGrath, but local roads are used by ATVs and trucks. Residents rely on air service, and barges deliver heavy cargo during the summer.

**Airport Facilities:** Air facilities include a State-owned 5,435' paved runway with a 1,700' crosswind landing strip, and a seaplane base on the Kuskokwim River. The airport is currently undergoing major improvements.

**Airline Service:** PenAir; Tanana Air; Hageland

**Freight:** Barge service from Bethel delivers fuel products, heavy equipment, and building materials. Air cargo service also available.

**Vessel Support:** There is no dock, however, a boat launch ramp is available. Boats and off-road vehicles may be rented locally.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United KUC, Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom  
**Internet Service Provider:** McGrath Light and Power (www.mcgrathalaska.net); School Only -  
GCI (www.gci.net) **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KSKO-AM **Cable Provider:** McGrath  
Broadcasting Co. **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by McGrath Light & Power.

**Fuel:** All types of fuel (marine gas, aircraft, diesel, propane, etc.)

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): B.J. Magnuson Fuel (12 @  
176,000 gals.); Don Harris (4 @ 80,000); US DOT/FAA (2 @ 42,000); McGrath Church (2,000);  
City (36,000); Alaska Commercial Co. (40,000); KSKO Radio; Electric Utility; Native Corp.; Alaska  
Fish & Wildlife (3,000); Alaska State Troopers (3,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations and meals available at Rosa’s Riverside Café and Rooms (524-3666);  
Takusko House (524-3198); Caroline’s Kitchen and Rooms (524-3466); and Fly On In Bed and  
Breakfast (524-3947).

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available through local stores. No banking services.  
Laundromat available with shower facilities. Major repair services for vehicles and heavy  
equipment available. Charter aircraft service available.

**Water & Sewage:** McGrath operates a piped water system that serves nearly all 178  
households; a few homes have individual wells or haul water. The FAA operates its own water  
system. Individual septic tanks are used by the majority of residents; a limited City sewage  
system serves approximately 34 homes. Funds have been requested to expand the piped sewer  
system to the 144 houses and businesses currently using septic tanks.

**Miscellaneous:** A private firm, McGrath Trash & Refuse, collects refuse for disposal at the City  
landfill. There is one school located in the community, attended by 109 students.

### **Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

Teen center.

School

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

#### **Local Spill Response Equipment:**

### **Economy:**

McGrath functions as a transportation, communications, and supply center in Interior Alaska. It  
has a diverse cash economy, and many families rely upon subsistence. Salmon, moose, caribou,  
bear, and rabbits are utilized. Some residents trap and tend vegetable gardens. The Nixon Fork  
gold mine located 30 miles northeast of McGrath ceased operations in May 1999 due to low  
gold prices. 45 year-round employees were laid off, and 5 caretakers remain on the property.

### **Culture & Demographic**

47% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. A little less than half of the population are Athabascans, Eskimos or Aleuts. As a regional center, McGrath offers a variety of employment opportunities, but subsistence remains an important part of the local culture. About 10 families in town have dog teams which they enter into the Iditarod, Kuskokwim 300, and Mail Trail 200 sled dog races.

## 9770.10.33 – Marshall

### MARSHALL

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (formerly Fortuna Ledge)

**Population:** 407 (2011 DCED certified estimate) **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police/VPSO:** 679-6706

**State Troopers (St Marys):** (800) 240-2019

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department, 679-6706

**Medical:** Agnes Boliver Health Clinic, 679-6226. Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

**Search and Rescue:** 679-6088\_

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Marshall, P.O. Box 9, Marshall, AK 99585

Phone 679-6215, Fax 679-6220

**Village Corporation** - Maserculiq Incorporated, P.O. Box 90, Marshall, AK 99585

Phone 679-6512, Fax 679-6740

**Village Council** - Native Village of Marshall, P.O. Box 110, Marshall, AK 99585

Phone 679-6302, Fax 679-6187, Email: [marshalltc@gci.net](mailto:marshalltc@gci.net)

**Environmental Staff (IGAP):** 679-2116

#### Location & Climate:

Marshall is located on the north bank of Polte Slough, north of Arbor Island, on the east bank of the Yukon River in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies on the northeastern boundary of the Yukon Delta National Wildlife Refuge. It lies at approximately 61d 53m N Latitude, 162d 05m W Longitude (Sec. 27, T021N, R070W, Seward Meridian). Marshall is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 5 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The climate of Marshall is maritime with temperatures ranging between -54 and 86. Average annual rainfall measures 16 inches. Heavy winds in the fall and winter often limit air accessibility. The Lower Yukon is ice-free from mid-June through October.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Boat; scheduled or chartered air service from Bethel. There are no roads connecting to Marshall, so access is primarily by air or water. Many residents have boats, and in winter they rely on snow machines and dog teams.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,201' gravel airstrip is available. Funds have been provided to relocate the airport.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Grant Aviation, Ryan Air Services

**Freight:** The community is serviced by barge and cargo plane.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities. Marine engine repair available. Boats available for rent.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** None. **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM;

KICY-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, propane, and regular gasoline available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity): AVEC (76,560 gals.); Maserculiq/City (110,000); LY Schools (46,000); City (14,200); Hunter Store (17,000); Maserculiq Processing Plant (10,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations available at Hunter’s Sales Room and Board (679-6111).

**Services:** No restaurant, laundromat, or banking services. Groceries and supplies available at local store. Arrangements can be made to rent boats and off-road vehicles.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from five wells. Approximately 70% of the City (60 homes) are served by a piped circulating water and sewer system and have full plumbing. The remainder haul water and use honeybuckets. **Miscellaneous:** A new landfill and access road were completed in 1997, and the City has begun a refuse collection service. There is one school located in the community, attended by 96 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- Community center
- City public safety building
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Mountain Village. 591-2929 Email: [cityofmou@yahoo.com](mailto:cityofmou@yahoo.com)

- Backhoe City of Marshall, 679-6215
- Bulldozer, City of Marshall, 679-6215
- Dump Truck or similar, City of Marshall, 679-6215
- Skiff w/ outboard

**Economy:**

Marshall has a seasonal economy with most activity during the summer. Fishing, fish processing, and BLM firefighting positions are available seasonally. In 2010, 39 residents held commercial fishing permits. Subsistence activities supplement income. Salmon, moose, bear, and waterfowl are harvested. Trapping provides some income.

**Culture & Demographic**

Marshall is a traditional Yup'ik Eskimo village. Subsistence and fishing-related activities support most residents. Members of the Village of Ohogamiut also live in Marshall. The sale, importation, and possession of alcohol is banned in the village.

An expedition came upon an Eskimo village called "Uglovaia" at this site in 1880. Gold was discovered on nearby Wilson Creek in 1913. "Fortuna Ledge" became a placer mining camp, named after the first child born at the camp, Fortuna Hunter. Its location on a channel of the Yukon River was convenient for riverboat landings. A post office was established in 1915, and



the population grew to over 1,000. Later, the village was named for Thomas Riley Marshall, Vice President of the United States under Woodrow Wilson from 1913-21. The community became known as "Marshall's Landing." When the village incorporated as a second-class city in 1970, it was named Fortuna Ledge but was commonly referred to as Marshall. The name was officially changed to Marshall in 1984.

## 9770.10.34 – Mekoryuk

### MEKORYUK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (ma-KOR-ee-yuck)

**Population:** 215 (DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 827-8144

**State Troopers:** Troopers in Bethel, 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Mekoryuk Health Clinic (827-8145).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Mekoryuk, P.O. Box 29, Mekoryuk, AK 99630

Phone 907-827-8314, Fax 907-827-8626

**Village Corporation** - Nima Corporation, P.O. Box 52, Mekoryuk, AK 99630

Phone 907-827-8313, Fax 907-827-8427

**Village Council** - Native Village of Mekoryuk, P.O. Box 66, Mekoryuk, AK 99630

Phone 907-827-8828, Fax 907-827-8133, e-mail: [Mekoryuk@aitc.org](mailto:Mekoryuk@aitc.org)

### Location & Climate:

Mekoryuk is at the mouth of Shoal Bay on the north shore of Nunivak Island in the Bering Sea. The Island lies 30 miles off the coast. It is 149 air miles west of Bethel and 553 miles west of Anchorage. Mekoryuk is part of the Yukon Delta National Wildlife Refuge. It lies at approximately 60d 23m N Latitude, 166d 11m W Longitude (Sec. 31, T004N, R097W, Seward Meridian). Mekoryuk is located in the Cape Nome Recording District. The area encompasses 7 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The Bering Sea which surrounds Nunivak Island strongly influences the climate of the island. Foggy and stormy weather are frequent. Average precipitation is 15 inches; annual snowfall is 57 inches. Summer highs average 48 to 54; winter highs run 37 to 44. Extremes have been recorded from 76 to -48.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and chartered air service from Bethel. Scheduled and chartered air service from Bethel. Mekoryuk relies heavily on air transportation for passenger, mail and cargo service. A breakwater protects the shoreline from Bering Sea waves. Boats, snowmachines and ATVs are used for travel within the community.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,070' gravel runway allows year-round access.

**Airline Service:** ERA Aviation; Arctic Circle Air

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge. Barges deliver goods from Bethel once or twice each summer.

**Vessel Support:** Private boats available for charter. No moorage facilities.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS

**Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM; KICY-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** City of Mekoryuk

**Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, propane, unleaded and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): Bering Sea Reindeer Products (3 @ 15,900 gals.); NIMA Corp. (15 @ 95,130); Army Nat'l Guard (3,000); Lower Kuskokwim Schools (8 @ 90,400); City (7 @ 34,700); AVEC (10 @ 84,900)

**Housing:** Lodging available at Bering Sea Reindeer Products (827-8940) and several bed and breakfast establishments.

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available at local stores. Laundromat available.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from a well, is treated and stored in a tank. A new flush/haul system currently serves about 90% of homes. Funds have been provided to complete the remaining homes which use honeybuckets. The school has its own well, and needs a new water treatment system. The washeteria has piped graywater disposal to the lagoon.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 57 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- City public safety office
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Employment by the school, city, village corporation, commercial fishing, construction projects, and services prevails. The Bering Sea Reindeer Products Co. is a major employer. Trapping and crafts, such as knitting qiviut (musk ox underwool), provide income to many families. 54 residents hold commercial fishing permits, most for halibut and herring roe. The village operates a freezer for commercial and subsistence catches. Almost all families engage in subsistence activities and most have fish camps. Salmon, reindeer, seal meat and oil are important staples. The 1992 Community Development Quota (CDQ) program has increased the pollock groundfish quota for small communities like Mekoryuk.

**Culture & Demographic**

99.4% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. This Cup'ik Eskimo village maintains reindeer and musk ox herds, and practices a subsistence lifestyle. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol is banned in the village.

**9770.10.35 – Mountain Village**  
**MOUNTAIN VILLAGE**

**Population:** 835 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

**Emergency Services:**

**VPSO:** 591-2921

**State Troopers:** St. Mary's, 438-2019

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** George Waskey Memorial Clinic (591-2620). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

**Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Mountain Village, P.O. Box 32085, Mtn. Village, AK 99632

Phone 907-591-2929, Fax 907-591-2920

**Regional Native Non-Profit** - Kuigpagmiut, Inc., P.O. Box 32209, Mountain Village, AK 99632

Phone 907-591-2631, Fax 907-591-2109

**School District** - Lower Yukon Schools, P.O. Box 32089, Mountain Village, AK 99632-0089

Phone 907-591-2411, Fax 907-591-2449, e-mail: [rgriffith@do.lysd.k12.ak.us](mailto:rgriffith@do.lysd.k12.ak.us), Web:

<http://www.lysd.k12.ak.us>

**Village Corporation** - Azachorak Incorporated, P.O. Box 32213, Mtn. Village, AK 99632

Phone 907-591-2527, Fax 907-591-2127

**Village Council** - Asa'carsarmiut Tribal Council, P.O. Box 32249, Mountain Village, AK 99632

Phone 907-591-2814, Fax 907-591-2811, e-mail: [MountainVillage@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:MountainVillage@smtp.ak.bia.gov) or:

[MountainVillage@aitc.org](mailto:MountainVillage@aitc.org)

**Location & Climate:**

Mountain Village is on the north bank of the Yukon River, approximately 20 miles west of St. Mary's and 470 miles northwest of Anchorage. It is at the foot of the 500' Azachorok Mountain, the first mountain encountered by those traveling up the Yukon. It lies at approximately 62d 05m N Latitude, 163d 43m W Longitude (Sec. 14, T023N, R079W, Seward Meridian). Mountain Village is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 4 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. The climate is continental with maritime influences. Temperatures range from -44 to 80. Precipitation averages 16 inches, with snowfall of 44 inches per year. High winds and low visibility are common during winter. The Lower Yukon is ice-free from mid-June to October.

**Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled or chartered air service from Nome or Bethel, and direct air service from Anchorage. A summer road links Mountain Village to Pitka's Point, Andreafsky and St. Mary's. The community is accessible by riverboat or barge. In the winter, passengers, cargo and mail are flown in by plane. Snowmachines and skiffs are used for local transportation.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,520' gravel airstrip is available, and floatplanes land on the Yukon River.

**Airline Service:** Hageland Aviation; Yute Air; Grant Air

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** There is a village marina. Marine engine repair available.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KICY-AM; KYUK-AM; KNOM-AM; KSBZ-FM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, propane, and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): AVEC (23 @ 194,700 gals.); Schools (16 @ 206,045); City (2 @ 33,550); Azachorok Inc. (193,550); Hageland (1,495)

**Housing:** City Nightly Rental Unit; Azachorok Corp.; School

**Services:** Food, groceries and supplies available in the community. No laundromat or banking services. Autos and charter aircraft can be rented.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from a well and is treated. Mountain Village operates a piped water and sewer system that serves 200 households and facilities. A system expansion for the east side, including household plumbing for 18 units, was recently completed. The wastewater treatment plant needs major repairs or replacement.

**Miscellaneous:** A new landfill is now available. There is one school located in the community, attended by 239 students.

### **Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- City community hall
- City teen center
- School

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

#### **Local Spill Response Equipment:**

### **Economy:**

Mountain Village has a seasonal economy. Fishing, fish processing and canning provide income in the summer. 93 residents hold commercial fishing permits. There are a few full-time positions with the city, school district, federal government and native corporation. Subsistence foods are relied upon, including salmon, moose and waterfowl. Some residents trap for additional income.

### **Culture & Demographic**

91.1% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. It is a Yup'ik Eskimo community with traditional subsistence practices. Commercial fishing and fish processing provide income. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.36 – Napaimute

### NAPAIMUTE

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (nuh-PIE-mute)

Napaimute is currently an **unpopulated** community, and/or no U.S. Census data is available for the community. Consequently, a complete Community Information Summary has not been developed for this community. The information below provides a brief overview of the community.

#### Location:

Napaimute is located on the north bank of the Kuskokwim River, 28 miles east of Aniak in the Kilbuck-Kuskokwim Mountains.

#### Transportation:

Napaimute is easily accessible by riverboat. In the summer months all passengers, cargo and mail arrive in the village by boat. A cargo barge stops several times during the summer. Air charters by float planes or ski planes are available. The River is used as a ice road by snowmachines during winter.

#### General:

Napaimute means "forest people," and was once called "Hoffman's." In 1906, George W. Hoffman, an Englishman, established a trading post at the site. A community of non-Native trappers and miners, with a significant number of Eskimos, developed around the trading post. Hoffman built a territorial school in 1920. A second school was established in 1926. By the early 1950s, most residents had moved to nearby villages, many to Aniak. Today, it is used as a summer fish camp. The 1990 Census counted only three permanent non-Native residents in Napaimute. As a river site, it is used seasonally by area Natives as a subsistence camp. No sustained income-producing activity exists within the village. Residents must depend on subsistence harvests for their livelihood. Salmon, moose, bear, rabbit and berries provide food sources.

## 9770.10.37 – Napakiak

### **NAPAKIAK**

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (nuh-PAH-key-ack)

**Population:** 359 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### **Emergency Services:**

**VPSO:** 589-2920

**State Troopers:** Bethel, 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Napakiak Health Clinic (589-2711)

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Napakiak, General Delivery, Napakiak, AK 99634

Phone 907-589-2611, Fax 907-589-2611

**Electric Utility** - Napakiak Ircinraq Power Company, P.O. Box 34030, Napakiak, AK 99634

Phone 907-589-2227, Fax 907-589-2412

**Village Corporation** - Napakiak Corporation, P.O. Box 34030, Napakiak, AK 99634

Phone 907-589-2227, Fax 907-589-2227

**Village Council** - Native Village of Napakiak, P.O. Box 2, Napakiak, AK 99634

Phone 907-589-2135, Fax 907-589-2136, e-mail: [Napakiak@aitc.org](mailto:Napakiak@aitc.org)

### **Location & Climate:**

Napakiak is on the north bank of the Kuskokwim River, 15 miles southwest of Bethel. It is located on a sandbar between the Kuskokwim River and Johnson's Slough. It lies 407 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 60d 41m N Latitude, 162d 07m W Longitude (Sec. 17, T007N, R072W, Seward Meridian). Napakiak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 7 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. Napakiak is influenced by storms in the Bering Sea and also by inland continental weather. Average annual precipitation is 16 inches, with 50 inches of snowfall. Summer high temperatures average 59 to 62, winter highs average 11 to 19. Extremes from 86 to -46 have been recorded. The Kuskokwim River is typically ice-free from June through October.

### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. The river is an important means of transportation in summer; the Kuskokwim is a major thoroughfare. In winter the river becomes an ice road to surrounding villages. The community is interested in construction of a 9-mile road to Bethel.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,150' gravel runway and seaplane landing area provide air transportation for passengers, mail and cargo. The runway is currently undergoing major improvements.

**Airline Service:** Yute Air; Camai Air; Hageland; Ryan Air

**Freight:** Airplane and barge. Barges from Bethel deliver goods during the summer.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities. Boats may be rented. Contact Mott's Marina (589-2811).

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom  
**Internet Service Provider:** Unicom/United Utilities, Inc. (www.unicom-alaska.net); School Only - GCI (www.gci.net) **TV Stations:** ARCS; KYUK **Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM **Cable Provider:** Napakiak Corporation **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network  
**Electricity:** Electricity is transmitted by overhead lines from Bethel Utilities and purchased and distributed locally by Incinraq Power Company.  
**Fuel:** Information on repair service and fuel at Mott's Marina (589-2811).  
**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): Lower Kuskokwim Schools (8 @ 73,000 gals.); Napakiak Corp. (2 @ 61,500); Marina (2,500); Nat'l Guard/Native Corp. Diesel Dispensary (2,800)  
**Housing:** Accommodation may be arranged at the school (589-2420) or the washeteria (589-2611).  
**Services:** Groceries and supplies available at local store. Boats may be rented.  
**Water & Sewage:** 56 residents are using a new flush/haul system, including plumbing for sinks and low-flush toilets. Water is derived from a well and is treated. The school has its own well, and needs a new water treatment system. The flush haul system is being expanded, and the washeteria is being remodeled.  
**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 104 students.

### **Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

#### **Potential Command Posts:**

- Community hall (under construction)
- City public safety building
- School

#### **Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

#### **Local Spill Response Equipment:**

### **Economy:**

Napakiak's primary employers include the school and local, state, and federal governments. Seasonal commercial fishing, construction projects, trapping and crafts also provide income. 43 residents hold commercial fishing permits, primarily for herring roe and salmon net fisheries. Subsistence activities provide an estimated 50% of the local diet. Most families have fish camps. Salmon, waterfowl, moose, bear and seals provide meat.

### **Culture & Demographic**

94.3% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. This city is predominantly Yup'ik Eskimos who maintain a fishing and subsistence lifestyle. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol is banned in the village.



## 9770.10.38 – Napaskiak

### NAPASKIAK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (nuh-PASS-key-ack)

**Population:** 428 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 737-7639

**State Troopers:** Bethel, 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Elena Alexie Memorial Clinic (737-7329).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Napaskiak, P.O. Box 6109, Napaskiak, AK 99559

Phone 907-737-7626, Fax 907-737-7412

**Village Corporation** - Napaskiak Corporation, P.O. Box 6069, Napaskiak, AK 99559

Phone 907-737-7433, Fax 907-737-2919

**Village Council** - Native Village of Napaskiak, P.O. Box 6009, Napaskiak, AK 99559

Phone 907-737-7364, Fax 907-737-7039, e-mail: [Napaskiak@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Napaskiak@smtp.ak.bia.gov) or:

[Napaskiak@aitc.org](mailto:Napaskiak@aitc.org)

### Location & Climate:

Napaskiak is located on the east bank of the Kuskokwim River, along the Napaskiak Slough, 7 miles southeast of Bethel. It lies at approximately 60d 42m N Latitude, 161d 54m W Longitude (Sec. 08, T007N, R071W, Seward Meridian). Napaskiak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 4 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. Napaskiak is strongly influenced by storms and patterns in the Bering Sea and also by inland continental weather. Average annual precipitation is 16 inches, with 50 inches of snowfall. Summer temperatures range from 42 to 62, winter temperatures are -2 to 19.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Winter air and river taxi service. Snow machines and ATVs are used in winter

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,000' gravel airstrip and seaplane landing area west of the village provides charter and general aviation access year-round.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Freight arrives by plane and barge. Barges deliver goods during the summer months.

**Vessel Support:** Although there are no docking facilities, many residents have fishing boats, and skiffs are used in the summer for subsistence fishing and travel to Bethel or nearby villages.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications: In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom;

United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** Unicom/United Utilities, Inc. ([www.unicom-alaska.net](http://www.unicom-alaska.net)); School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS; KYUK **Radio Stations:** KYUK-

AM; KYKD-FM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Napaskiak Electric Utility.

**Fuel:** Fuel available for snow machines, boat motors, and 3- and 4-wheelers.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): No information

**Housing:** Information on visitor services not available.

**Services:** Supplies available at local store.

**Water & Sewage:** Residents haul treated water from one of two watering points. Some homes have tanks with running water for the kitchen, but very few have complete plumbing. Honeybuckets are disposed of by residents in bunkers at various locations. Sewage is then pumped from the bunkers and transported to the sewage lagoon. The school has its own well, but needs a new water treatment system. The community has requested funds to develop a flush/haul demonstration project for 5 to 10 homes. They occasionally experience water shortages.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 121 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

Community building

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

The school, local businesses and some commercial fishing provide employment. 42 residents hold commercial fishing permits for salmon drift netting. Subsistence activities are a part of the culture and supplement cash earnings.

**Culture & Demographic**

94.8% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Napaskiak is a traditional Eskimo village dependent upon fishing and subsistence activities. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.39 – Newtok

### NEWTOK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (NOO-tock)

**Population:** 370 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

#### **Police:**

**State Troopers (Bethel):** 907-543-3494

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department

**Medical:** Manguan Health Clinic, 237-2111.

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Electric Utility** - Ungusraq Power Company, P.O. Box 5564, Newtok, AK 99559  
Phone 237-2130, Fax 237-2130

**Village Corporation** - Newtok Native Corporation, P.O. Box 5528, Newtok, AK 99559  
Phone 907-237-2512, Fax 907-237-2227

**Village Council** - Newtok Village, P.O. Box 5545, Newtok, AK 99559  
Phone 237-2314/2316, Fax 237-2428, e-mail: [Newtok@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Newtok@smtp.ak.bia.gov) or: [Newtok@aitc.org](mailto:Newtok@aitc.org)

### Location & Climate:

Newtok is on the Kealavik River north of Nelson Island in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta Region. It is 94 miles northwest of Bethel. Due to severe beach erosion, the village wants to relocate homes and facilities to a new site approximately 5 miles away. It lies at approximately 60d 56m N Latitude, 164d 38m W Longitude (Sec. 24, T010N, R087W, Seward Meridian). Newtok is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 7 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. Newtok is located in a marine climate. Average precipitation is 17 inches, with annual snowfall of 22 inches. Summer temperatures range from 42 to 59, winter temperatures are 2 to 19.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Boats, skiffs and snowmachines are used for local transportation and subsistence activities.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,202' gravel airstrip provides chartered or private air access year-round; major improvements are under construction. A seaplane base is also available.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Grant Aviation, Ryan Air Service, Yute Air

**Freight:** Freight arrives by mail plane and barge. Barges deliver cargo during the summer months.

**Vessel Support:** No information available.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom;

United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** United Utilities Inc. **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio**

**Stations:** KYUK-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Ungusraq Power Company.

**Fuel:** No information available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity): Newtok Corp. Store (52,200 gals.); LK Schools (121,070); Electric Utility (55,955); Tom's Store (4,125); Agayuvik Holy Family Church (3,000); Army Nat'l Guard (2,500)

**Housing:** Quyurruvik Community Hall

**Services:** No information.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is pumped from a lake into a water treatment plant, then hauled from a storage tank. In winter, melted ice is used when water in the storage tank runs dry or freezes. Households are not plumbed, and honeybuckets are used. A washeteria is available. A feasibility study for a flush/haul system was recently completed. The health clinic now uses flush/haul tanks. The schools have individual wells; a new well and water treatment system are needed.

**Miscellaneous:** A new landfill and refuse collection are provided. The community wants to relocate.

There is one school located in the community, attended by 101 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Toksook Bay, 427-7511

**Economy:**

The school, clinic, village services, and commercial fishing provide employment. Subsistence activities and trapping supplement income. In 2010, 17 residents held commercial fishing permits.

**Culture & Demographic**

Newtok is a traditional Yup'ik Eskimo village, with an active subsistence lifestyle. Relative isolation from outside influences has enabled the area to retain its traditions and customs, more so than other parts of Alaska. The sale and importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

The people of Newtok share a heritage with Nelson Island communities; their ancestors have lived on the Bering Sea coast for at least 2,000 years. The people from the five villages are known as Qaluyaarmiut or "dip net people." Only intermittent outside contact occurred until the 1920s. In the 1950s, the Territorial Guard found volunteers from Newtok while they were traveling to Bethel. Tuberculosis was a major health problem during this period. In the late 1950s, the village was relocated from Old Kealavik ten miles away to its present location to escape flooding. A school was built in 1958, although high school students were required to travel to Bethel, St. Mary's, Sitka, or Anchorage for their education. This was often their first exposure to the outside, and students returned with a good knowledge of the English language and culture. A high school was constructed in Newtok in the 1980s. The city was incorporated in 1976, but it was dissolved on January 28, 1997. Due to severe erosion, the village wants to relocate to a new site called Taqikcaq, approximately 5 miles away on Nelson Island. In

November 2003, the 108th Congress passed S. 924, allowing the village to relocate to Nelson Island. The legislation authorizes an exchange of lands between the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the Newtok Native Corporation to allow villagers to relocate.

## 9770.10.40 – Nightmute

### NIGHTMUTE

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (formerly Fortuna Lodge)

**Population:** 407 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police:** VPO 647-6436

**State Troopers (Bethel):** 543-2294

**Fire:** VPO Volunteer Fire Department 647-6436

**Medical:** Nightmute Health Clinic, 647-6312.

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Nightmute, P.O. Box 90010, Nightmute, AK 99690

Phone 647-6426, Fax 647-6427; E-Mail: [Nightmute\\_clerk@yahoo.com](mailto:Nightmute_clerk@yahoo.com)

**Village Corporation** - Chinuruk, Incorporated, P.O. Box 90, Nightmute, AK 99680

Phone 647-6813, Fax 647-6814

**Village Council** - Native Village of Nightmute, P.O. Box 90021, Nightmute, AK 99690

Phone 647-6215, Fax 647-6112, E-Mail: [negtemiut\\_tribe@live.com](mailto:negtemiut_tribe@live.com)

#### Location & Climate:

Nightmute is located on Nelson Island, in western Alaska. It is 18 miles upriver from Toksook Bay and 100 miles west of Bethel. It lies at approximately 60d 28m N Latitude, 164d 44m W Longitude (Sec. 33, T005N, R088W, Seward Meridian). Nightmute is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 97 sq. miles of land and 5 sq. miles of water. Nightmute is influenced by a marine climate. Precipitation averages 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall annually. Summer temperatures range from 41 to 57; winter temperatures are 6 to 24.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and charter air service from Bethel. Snow machines and ATVs are used during winter months.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 1,600' gravel airstrip is used by chartered and private aircraft. A seaplane landing area is also available.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Grant Aviation, Ryan Air Service, Yute Air

**Freight:** Freight arrives by cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities, although many residents use fishing boats or skiffs for local travel.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS

**Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, and regular gasoline available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity): Chinurak Inc. (40,400 gals.); Nightmute Power Co. (89,900); Army Nat'l Guard (3,000); Lower Kuskokwim Schools (27,500); Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church (1,650)

**Housing:** Lodging can be arranged with local homes. Contact city (647-6426). Lodging can also be arranged through the school (647-6313).

**Services:** No banking service or laundromat. Groceries and supplies available through local store. No repair service or rental transportation.

**Water & Sewage:** The City of Nightmute provides a small water facility, which is the central watering point from which residents haul their own water. A washeteria is not available. The city also provides water and sewer haul service. The school has its own sewage lagoon.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 63 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

City community hall.

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Toksook Bay, 427-7511

**Economy:**

The economy is a mixture of both subsistence and cash-generating activities. Employment is primarily with the city, school, services, commercial fishing, and construction. Trapping and crafts also provide income. Almost all families engage in either commercial or subsistence fishing, and most have fish camps. In 2010, 19 residents held commercial fishing permits for herring roe, salmon drift, and net fisheries.

**Culture & Demographic**

Nightmute is a traditional Yup'ik Eskimo village, active in subsistence. The sale, importation, and possession of alcohol is banned in the village.

Nelson Island has been inhabited by the Qaluyaarmiut ("dip net people") for 2,000 years. The area was relatively isolated from outside contact and has kept its traditions and culture.

Umkumiut is the traditional fish camp. In 1964, several residents moved to Toksook Bay to obtain more cost-effective goods. The city was incorporated in 1974.

## 9770.10.41 – Nikolai

### NIKOLAI

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (NICK-oh-lie; a.k.a. Edzeno Nikolai)

**Population:** 101 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Doyon, Limited

### Emergency Services:

#### **Police:**

**State Troopers:** McGrath, 542-3052

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Nikolai Clinic (293-2328).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Nikolai, P.O. Box 9145, Nikolai, AK 99691

Phone 907-293-2113, Fax 907-293-2115

**Village Council** - Nikolai Village, P.O. Box 9105, Nikolai, AK 99691

Phone 907-293-2311, Fax 907-293-2115, e-mail: [Nikolai@aitc.org](mailto:Nikolai@aitc.org)

### Location & Climate:

Nikolai is located in Interior Alaska on the South Fork of the Kuskokwim River, 46 air miles east of McGrath. It lies at approximately 62d 58m N Latitude, 154d 09m W Longitude (Sec. 36, T028S, R023E, Kateel River Meridian). Nikolai is located in the Mt. McKinley Recording District. The area encompasses 5 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. Nikolai has a cold, continental climate with relatively warm summers. Average summer temperature range from 42 to 80, winter temperatures range from -62 to 0. Precipitation is light, averaging 16 inches per year, including an average snowfall of 56 inches. The River is ice-free generally from June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from McGrath and Anchorage. Accessible by river (May to October). Boats, ATVs and snowmachines are used for recreation and subsistence activities. It is a check point for the Iditarod sled dog race held in March.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,350' gravel airstrip is available.

**Airline Service:** From McGrath - Tanana Air; Red Line Air; Woods Air

**Freight:** Barges supply fuel and heavy equipment. Other freight delivered by cargo plane.

**Vessel Support:** No information provided.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** United Utilities

**Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:**

KDKO-AM **Cable Provider:** City of Nikolai **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Nikolai Light & Power Utility.

**Fuel:** Gasoline available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): Iditarod Schools (1 @ 8,500 and 1 @ 6,500)

**Housing:** City-owned hotel/apartment building provides limited accommodations.

**Services:** Supplies available at local store. Laundromat and coffee shop available. No banking services. No major repair service.



**Water & Sewage:** All 47 households and facilities use individual wells; of these, only 2 units lack plumbing. 33 homes, including 10 new HUD housing units north of the airport, are connected to the piped sewage system. The remaining 15 homes use septic tanks. Funds have been requested to rehabilitate the washeteria, develop two new wells, upgrade the landfill and expand the piped sewer system.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 13 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- City recreation center
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Village employment peaks during the summer when construction gets under way. City, state and federal governments provide the primary year-round employment. Residents rely heavily on subsistence activities for food, and wood for heat. Some residents tend gardens. Salmon, moose, caribou, rabbits, and the occasional bear are utilized. Trapping and handicrafts also provide income.

**Culture & Demographic**

89% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Nikolai is an Athabascan community. Residents are active in subsistence food-gathering. The sale or importation of alcohol are prohibited in the City.

## 9770.10.42 – Nunapitchuk

### NUNAPITCHUK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (noo-nah-PIT-chuck; a.k.a. Akolmiut)

**Population:** 518 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 527-5718      **City VPO:** 527-5718

**State Troopers:** Bethel, 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Eliza Maxie Memorial Clinic (527-5329).

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Nunapitchuk, P.O. Box 190, Nunapitchuk, AK 99641

Phone 907-527-5327, Fax 907-527-5011, e-mail: [eliwass@unicom-alaska.com](mailto:eliwass@unicom-alaska.com)

**Village Corporation** - Nunapitchuk, Limited, P.O. Box 129, Nunapitchuk, AK 99641

Phone 907-527-5717, Fax 907-527-5229

**Village Council** - Native Village of Nunapitchuk, P.O. Box 130, Nunapitchuk, AK 99641

Phone 907-527-5705, Fax 907-527-5705, e-mail: [Nunapitchuk@aitc.org](mailto:Nunapitchuk@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Nunapitchuk is located on the both banks of the Johnson River, 22 miles northwest of Bethel in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies at approximately 60d 53m N Latitude, 162d 29m W Longitude (Sec. 05, T009N, R074W, Seward Meridian). Nunapitchuk is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 8 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The area averages 16 inches of precipitation, with snowfall of 50 inches. Summer temperatures range from 62 to 42; winter temperatures run from 19 to -2.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. Snowmachines, ATVs and dog sleds are used on the frozen river in winter months.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned airstrip provides chartered or private air access year-round.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Freight arrives by air transport and barge.

**Vessel Support:** A new dock, small boat harbor, and seaplane landing area are available on the Johnson River. Marine engine repair services available.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** Unicom/United Utilities, Inc. ([www.unicom-alaska.net](http://www.unicom-alaska.net)); School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** KYUK **Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM **Cable Provider:** Icuicaraq Cable (Village Corp.) **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Propane and gasoline available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): School (84,750 gals.); City (15,750); Army Nat'l Guard (3,000); AVEC (167,750); Village Corp. (101,000)

**Housing:** Limited accommodations available through IRA Council (contact city at 527-5327).

**Services:** No restaurant or banking services. Groceries and supplies available through local stores.

**Water & Sewage:** Well water is treated and supplied from a central tap year round. A flush/haul system was recently installed in 33 homes in Nunapitchuk, with water delivery and tank hauling services. Construction continues on the remaining 73 homes. Unserved households haul their own water and honeybuckets. Sewage containers are located throughout the City, and are emptied into one of two new sewage lagoons (one on each side of the River). Teacher's housing, located in the old school, has an independent water and sewer system that needs improvements.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 139 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

City recreation center

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

The school, local businesses and the city government provide most employment in Nunapitchuk. Commercial fishing and subsistence activities are a focal point of the culture. 52 residents hold commercial fishing permits for salmon and herring roe net fisheries and roe on kelp.

**Culture & Demographic**

97.1% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Nunapitchuk is an Eskimo village, and residents are involved in commercial fishing and subsistence activities. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol is banned in the village.

### 9770.10.43 – Ohogamiute

#### **OHOAMIUTE**

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (oh-HOE-ga-myoot)

Ohogamiut is currently an **unpopulated** community, and/or no U.S. Census data is available for the community. A detailed Community Information Summary has not been developed for this community.

The information below provides a brief overview of the community.

#### **Location:**

Ohogamiut is located on the right bank of the Yukon River, 22 miles southeast of Marshall, in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta.

#### **General:**

The Eskimo name "Okhnagamiut" means "village (people) on the other side (of the river)." The name was also shown as "Ohogamut" on a 1916 USGS field sheet. The village is now a summer fish camp. The site is accessible by boat or float plane.

#### **Organizations:**

**Village Corporation** - Ohog Incorporated, General Delivery, Marshall, AK 99585

**Village Council** - Village of Ohogamiut, P.O. Box 26, Marshall, AK 99585

Phone 679-6112, Fax 679-6637

## 9770.10.44 – Oscarville

### OSCARVILLE

**Population:** 71 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police:** None

**State Troopers:**

**Fire:** None

**Medical:** Oscarville Health Clinic (737-7231).

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Corporation** - Oscarville Native Corporation, General Delivery, Oscarville, AK 99559  
Phone 907-543-2066

**Village Council** - Oscarville Traditional Council, P.O. Box 6129, Napaskiak, AK 99559  
Phone 907-737-7099, Fax 907-737-7428, e-mail: [Oscarville@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Oscarville@smtp.ak.bia.gov) or:  
[Oscarville@aitc.org](mailto:Oscarville@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Oscarville is located on the north bank of the Kuskokwim River opposite Napaskiak, 6 miles southwest of Bethel. It lies 401 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 60d 43m N Latitude, 161d 46m W Longitude (Sec. 05, T007N, R071W, Seward Meridian). Oscarville is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 2 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. The weather is influenced by storms in the Bering Sea and also by the inland continent. Average precipitation is 16 inches and snowfall is 50 inches. Summer temperatures average 42 to 62, winter temperatures average -2 to 19. The Kuskokwim River is typically ice-free from June through October.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Boat, snow machine, and float plane service from Bethel. Oscarville relies heavily on Napaskiak for passenger, mail and cargo services. Residents use skiffs to pick up mail in Napaskiak or shop in Bethel. The river is an important means of transportation in summer and in the winter as an ice road, however, during breakup and freezeup, the community can be periodically isolated.

**Airport Facilities:** The village is interested in construction of an airport.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Airplane or barge. Barge services deliver goods once a year.

**Vessel Support:** No information available.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom

**Internet Service Provider:** No information **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Bethel Utilities Corporation. An electrical transmission line from Bethel supplies power.

**Fuel:** No information available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): No information

**Housing:** No information available on visitor facilities.

**Services:** No information available

**Water & Sewage:** Treated well water is hauled from the washeteria. However, the washeteria itself is not functioning. A few homes have individual systems that collect and use rainwater. About one-fourth of homes have running water to the kitchen. The school has its own well and sewage lagoon, but it needs a new water treatment system. Honeybuckets are disposed of by residents in the sewage lagoon. Funds have been requested to increase water storage capacity, to upgrade the washeteria, and to upgrade the water and sewer services to a flush/haul system.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 19 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

The school and health clinic are the only permanent sources of employment. Residents use the post office and airstrip at Napaskiak. One resident holds a commercial fishing permit for the salmon net fishery. Trapping and handicrafts provide some income. Subsistence activities provide most food sources. Salmon, waterfowl, moose, bear, and seals are utilized.

**Culture & Demographic**

91.2% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. The year-round population of Oscarville is primarily Yup'ik Eskimos. Subsistence is an integral part of the lifestyle, and some commercial fishing occurs.

## 9770.10.45 – Paimuit

### PAIMUIT

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (PIE-myoot)

Paimiut is currently an **unpopulated** community, and/or no U.S. Census data is available for the community. A detailed Community Information Summary has not been developed for this community.

The information below provides a brief overview of the community.

Paimiut is located on Kokechik Bay, on the east bank of the Lithkealik River. It lies on the Bering Sea, south of Scammon Bay.

Paimiut is an Eskimo name meaning "people of the stream's mouth." It was first reported in 1951 as having two groups of two or three frame houses, about a quarter of a mile apart. The village is now a summer fish camp. Villagers live in Hooper Bay during the winter months. The village is accessible by boat or float plane.

### Organizations:

**Village Council** - Native Village of Paimiut, P.O. Box 41, Hooper Bay, AK 99604

Phone 758-4915, Fax 758-4066, e-mail: [Paimiut@aitc.org](mailto:Paimiut@aitc.org)

**Village Corporation** - Paimiut Corporation, General Delivery, Hooper Bay, AK 99604

Phone 527-4915

## 9770.10.46 – Pilot Station

### PILOT STATION

**Population:** 583 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 549-3213

**State Troopers:** St Mary's (800) 240-2019

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Pilot Station Clinic (549-3127). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Pilot Station, P.O. Box 5040, Pilot Station, AK 99650

Phone 907-549-3211, Fax 907-549-3014

**Village Corporation** - Pilot Station Incorporated, P.O. Box 5059, Pilot Station, AK 99650

Phone 907-549-3512, Fax 907-549-3234

**Village Council** - Pilot Station Traditional Council, P.O. Box 5119, Pilot Station, AK 99650

Phone 907-549-3373, Fax 907-549-3301, e-mail: [PilotStation@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:PilotStation@smtp.ak.bia.gov) or:

[PilotStation@aitc.org](mailto:PilotStation@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Pilot Station is located on the northwest bank of the Yukon River, 11 miles east of St. Mary's and 26 miles west of Marshall on the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies at approximately 61d 56m N Latitude, 162d 52m W Longitude (Sec. 05, T021N, R074W, Seward Meridian). Pilot Station is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 2 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. The climate is maritime, averaging 60 inches of snowfall with 16 inches of total precipitation per year. Temperatures can range from -44 to 83. The Lower Yukon is ice-free from mid-June through October.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and charter air service from Bethel. Cargo, passengers and mail arrive by air. Heavy winds of up to 50 MPH are common during fall and winter. Pilot Station is easily accessible by river-going vessels. Skiffs and snowmobiles provide inter-village transportation. There are no roads to surrounding communities.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,520' gravel airstrip is available.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Cargo plane or barge. Barges deliver fuel and other bulk supplies during the summer.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KICY-AM; KYUK-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** City of Pilot Station **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Propane, kerosene, marine gas, and regular gasoline.



**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): AVEC (11 @ 96,340 gals.); Native Corp. Store (14 @ 101,840); School District (47,725); City (16,850)

**Housing:** Accommodations available.

**Services:** No restaurant, banking services or laundromat. Groceries and supplies available at local store. Rental transportation includes boats, off-road vehicles, and charter aircraft.

**Water & Sewage:** More than half of the community is served by a piped water and sewer system, completed in 1973 by PHS, and are fully plumbed. 32 homes continue to haul treated well water and honeybuckets. The school operates its own water treatment system. Major infrastructure improvements are underway, in preparation for an expansion of the piped system to the remaining unserved 32 homes. A new water source, water treatment plant, and 200,000-gal. water storage tank have been funded.

**Miscellaneous:** The City also needs a new landfill. There is one school located in the community, attended by 205 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

City public safety building  
School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –  
National Guard Armory –  
Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Almost 85% of the year-round employment is with the school, city and state government. Pilot Station's private sector employment is related to the summer fishing season. 55 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Incomes are supplemented by subsistence activities. Salmon, moose, bear, porcupine and waterfowl are harvested. Trapping and BLM fire fighting also provide income.

**Culture & Demographic**

95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Pilot Station is a Yup'ik Eskimo village dependent upon a fishing and subsistence lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.47 – Pitka's Point

### PITKA'S POINT

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (PIT-kus)

**Population:** 93 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**Police:**

**State Troopers:** St Mary's 438-2019

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Pitka's Point Clinic (438-2546).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Corporation** - Pitka's Point Native Corporation, P.O. Box 184, Pitka's Point, AK 99658  
Phone 907-438-2232

**Village Council** - Native Village of Pitka's Point, P.O. Box 127, Saint Mary's, AK 99658  
Phone 907-438-2833, Fax 907-438-2569, e-mail: [PitkasPoint@aitc.org](mailto:PitkasPoint@aitc.org)

### Location & Climate:

Pitka's Point is located near the junction of the Yukon and Andreafsky Rivers, 5 miles northwest of St. Mary's on the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies 3 miles by road from the St. Mary's airport. It lies at approximately 62d 02m N Latitude, 163d 17m W Longitude (Sec. 06, T022N, R076W, Seward Meridian). Pitka's Point is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 1 sq. miles of land and 2 sq. miles of water. The climate is both maritime and continental. Temperatures range from -44 to 83. Precipitation measures 16 inches, with 60 inches of snowfall per year.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel to St Mary's. The Yukon River allows easy access by water, and most families own a skiff. There is a 17.7 mile road connecting Mountain Village with the St. Mary's airport and Andreafsky, so residents have access to the transportation facilities at St. Mary's. Snowmachines provide local winter transportation.

**Airport Facilities:** None available. See St Mary's airport information.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom

**Internet Service Provider:** No information **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KICY-AM; KYUK-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC (provided by a transmission line from St. Mary's).

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, propane, and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): LY School District (22,320 gals.); Village Corp. (15,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations and supplies available in St Mary's.

**Services:** No accommodations, restaurant, or banking services in Pitka's Point. Laundromat with showers available. Autos may be rented.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is supplied by a small stream and infiltration gallery. Over 90% of residences haul treated water from the washeteria and use honeybuckets. Approximately one-fourth of homes have running water for the kitchen. A few homes and facilities are connected to a community septic tank. The water treatment plant and washeteria were recently renovated. The community wants to develop a piped water and sewer system.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 39 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

Community hall

Fire hall

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport – None

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Employment is limited, although some year-round enterprises are available. Subsistence activities provide food sources, including salmon, moose, bear and waterfowl. Dog sledding is prevalent. One resident holds a commercial fishing permit. All supplies are brought in through Saint Mary's -- there are no public facilities other than a school and washeteria.

**Culture & Demographic**

95.6% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Pitka's Point is a Yup'ik Eskimo village dependent upon a subsistence lifestyle.

## 9770.10.48 – Platinum

### PLATINUM

**Population:** 67 (2011 DCCED certified estimate) **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police:** None

**State Troopers:**

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Platinum Village Clinic, 979-8212

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Platinum, P.O. Box 2, Platinum, AK 99651

Phone 979-8114, Fax 979-8210

**Village Corporation** - Arviq, Incorporated, P.O. Box 9, Platinum, AK 99651

Phone 979-8113, Fax 979-8114

**Village Council** - Platinum Traditional Village, P.O. Box 8, Platinum, AK 99651

Phone 979-8220, Fax 979-8178, e-mail: [Platinum@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Platinum@smtp.ak.bia.gov) e-mail: [Platinum@aitc.org](mailto:Platinum@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Platinum is located on the Bering Sea coast, below Red Mountain on the south spit of Goodnews Bay. It lies 11 miles from Goodnews Bay and 123 miles southwest of Bethel. It is 440 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 59d 00m N Latitude, 161d 49m W Longitude (Sec. 32, T013S, R075W, Seward Meridian). Platinum is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 45 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. Platinum has a marine climate. Average annual precipitation is 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall. Summer highs range from 53 to 57, winter highs average 6 to 9. Extremes have been measured from 82 to -34.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air service from Bethel. The community relies heavily on air transportation for passengers, mail and cargo service. Boats, snow machines and ATVs are used for local travel and subsistence activities.

**Airport Facilities:** There are two gravel airstrips. One is State-owned, at 3,640' in length with a 2,000' crosswind runway. The second is a 2,000' gravel airstrip owned by the Platinum Mine. A seaplane landing site is also available.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Freight arrives by barge or mail plane. Barge services deliver goods twice a year.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS

**Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM **Cable Provider:** Platinum Trad. Village Council **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by City of Platinum. The City operates the electric service once provided by the mining company.

**Fuel:** Diesel, propane, and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): Arviq Inc. (5 @ 67,100 gals.); City Power Plant (5,600); Lower Kuskokwim School District (7,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations possible at school (979-9111).

**Services:** No restaurant, banking services, or laundromat. Supplies available in the community.

**Water & Sewage:** Almost half of the homes have individual water wells and septic systems. During the summer, untreated water is hauled from approximately fifteen watering points. During winter, residents dig holes in the ice to draw water. Honeybuckets are disposed of in seepage pits. A washeteria is under construction. Funds have been requested to construct a 20,000-gallon water storage tank, water treatment plant, water connections, plumbing and septic tanks for 16 homes, a sludge disposal site and new landfill. The school has asked for funds to drill its own well, and construct a treatment plant that would also serve as the community's back-up water system.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 13 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.* Facility available with phone, fax, and modem that can serve as central organizational meeting point for spill responders.

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**(as of September 2000 survey)**

Boom: None available

Sorbent Pads None available

Hazwoper Trained Staff: 1

Boats: 1

Backhoes: 1

Logistical Support: Capable of providing support (food, lodging) for 10 cleanup crewmembers for up to 2 weeks.

Internet Access: Yes

**Local Protection Priorities for Spill Incidents:** (as of September 2000 survey)

**Location**      **Specific Resource to Protect/Reason**

Small's Creek    Fish entering to spawn in creek

Beach Banks    Wild greens and subsistence nets, birds feeding on banks

Main Well (water)    Main source of water for community

School    Children

Airport    Connection to outside world, mail, groceries arrival point

**Economy:**

Commercial fishing now contributes to the largely cash-based economy. The mine, school, stores and City provide employment. Platinum is a major supplier of gravel to area villages. Seven residents hold commercial fishing permits. The 1992 Community Development Quota (CDQ) program has increased the pollock groundfish quota for small communities like Platinum.

Subsistence activities are also an important part of the lifestyle. Salmon and seal are the staples of the diet. The community is interested in developing a marine repair facility and dry dock, a seafood processing plant, specialty seafoods venture, or herring roe aquaculture project.

**Culture & Demographic**

92.2% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Because the community was founded as a commercial center, and has always seen an influx of outsiders, local traditions have not been retained as much as in other villages. Platinum is one of the few Eskimo villages in the region in which the first language of the children is English. The economy is primarily cash-based. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.49 – Quinhagak

### QUINHAGAK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (QUINN-uh-hawk; var. Kwinhagak)

**Population:** 675 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**VPO:** 556-8314      **Tribal Police VPSO:** 556-8314

**State Troopers:** Bethel, 543-2294

**Fire:** Quinhagak EMS Quick Response Team, 556-8448

**Medical:** Quinhagak (Kwinhagak) Clinic (556-8320).

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Quinhagak, P.O. Box 90, Quinhagak, AK 99655

Phone 907-556-8202, Fax 907-556-8166, e-mail: [nvkkwn@aol.com](mailto:nvkkwn@aol.com)

**Village Corporation** - Qanirtuuq, Incorporated, P.O. Box 69, Quinhagak, AK 99655

Phone 907-556-8712, Fax 907-556-8814

**Village Council** - Native Village of Kwinhagak, P.O. Box 149, Quinhagak, AK 99655

Phone 907-556-8165, Fax 907-556-8166, e-mail: [nvkkwn@aol.com](mailto:nvkkwn@aol.com) or: [Kwinhagak@aitc.org](mailto:Kwinhagak@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Quinhagak is on the Kanektok River on the east shore of Kuskokwim Bay, less than a mile from the Bering Sea coast. It lies 71 miles southwest of Bethel. It lies at approximately 59d 45m N Latitude, 161d 54m W Longitude (Sec. 17, T005S, R074W, Seward Meridian). Quinhagak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 5 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. Quinhagak is located in a marine climate. Precipitation averages 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall annually. Summer temperatures average 41 to 57, winter temperatures average 6 to 24. Extremes have been measured from 82 to -34.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Boat, scheduled and charter air service from Bethel. Quinhagak relies heavily on air transportation for passenger mail and cargo service. Boats, ATVs, snow machines, and some vehicles are used for local transportation.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,600' gravel airstrip is available. Plans are underway to relocate the airport. Float planes land on the Kenektok River.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Barges delivery heavy cargo at least twice a year.

**Vessel Support:** A harbor and dock were recently completed. Marine engine repair available.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS

**Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM **Cable Provider:** Frontier Cable, Inc. **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, propane, and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): School (2 @ 100,500 gals.); City (3 @ 28,600); Village Council (2,600); AVEC (99,400); Qanirtuuq Store (1,030); Qanirtuuq (79,900); Moravian Church (2,700); Kusko Aviation (10,300); A&C Market (9,600); Army Nat'l Guard (8,020)

**Housing:** Lodging available on occasion at the high school and washeteria.

**Services:** Laundry and shower facilities available. Groceries and supplies available through local store. Air charter service available. No rental transportation.

**Water & Sewage:** All services are provided by the Native Village of Kwinhagak, under agreement with the City. Water is derived from a well near the Kenektok River. The water treatment plant, storage tank, and waterline were relocated in 1997, as part of a new flush/haul system for the community. 30 homes are now served by the new system, with water delivery and tank haul. An old BIA building has been renovated as a new washeteria and health clinic. The school and washeteria are connected directly to the water plant. 107 households still haul water and use honeybuckets, and funds are being sought to expand the flush/haul system.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 148 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

City fire hall  
School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –  
National Guard Armory –  
Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Most of the employment is with the school, government services or commercial fishing. Trapping, basket weaving, skin sewing and ivory carving also provide income. Subsistence remains an important part of the livelihood; seal and salmon are staples of the diet. 90 residents hold commercial fishing permits for herring roe and salmon net fisheries. The Incorporated Fishermen of Quinhagak has been organized to improve market conditions and stabilize prices. A fish processing facility was recently completed, owned by the village IRA council. The 1992 Community Development Quota (CDQ) program has increased the pollock groundfish quota for small communities like Quinhagak.

**Culture & Demographic**

93.8% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. The community is primarily Yup'ik Eskimos who fish commercially and are active in subsistence food gathering. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol is banned in the village.



## 9770.10.50 – Red Devil

### RED DEVIL

**Population:** 19 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

##### **Police:**

**State Troopers:** Aniak, 675-4398

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Red Devil Clinic Clara Morgan Sub-Regional Clinic in Aniak

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Community Non-Profit** - Red Devil People & Community, Inc., Gen. Delivery, Red Devil, AK 99656

Phone 907-447-3213, Fax 907-447-3214

**Electric Utility** - Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative, P.O. Box 40, Red Devil, AK 99656

Phone 907-447-3230, Fax 907-447-3231

**Village Council** - Red Devil Traditional Council, General Delivery, Red Devil, AK 99656

Phone 907-447-3236, Fax 907-447-3231, e-mail: [RedDevil@aitc.org](mailto:RedDevil@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Red Devil is located on both banks of the Kuskokwim River, at the mouth of Red Devil Creek. It lies 75 air miles northeast of Aniak, 161 miles northeast of Bethel, and 250 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 45m N Latitude, 157d 18m W Longitude (Sec. 06, T019N, R044W, Seward Meridian). Red Devil is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 24 sq. miles of land and 2 sq. miles of water. The climate in Red Devil is continental with temperatures ranging between -58 and 90. Annual snowfall averages 85 inches, with total precipitation of 20 inches. High winds often cause flight delays in fall and winter. The Kuskokwim River is ice-free from mid-June through October.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Boat; scheduled and air charter service from Bethel. The Kuskokwim River serves as a major transportation link and supply route for bulk supplies and fuel oil during the summer. In the winter the frozen river is used by snowmachines for travel to neighboring villages. Local interests want a 9-mile road from Red Devil to Sleetmute constructed.

**Airport Facilities:** A 4,750' gravel airstrip provides year-round access. It is owned and operated by the State. Scheduled weekday service is available.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** Boats available for rent. No moorage facilities.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** Bush-Tell Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom

**Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:**

No information **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** No information

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): School (18,100 gals.); Village Corp. (42,500); Red Devil Hardware (3,000); G&L Riverside Inn (12,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations and meals available.

**Services:** No banking services or laundromat. Groceries and supplies available at local store. Rental transportation includes boats, and charter aircraft through local air service.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from individual wells or hauled from the school well. Some wells have a high iron content. Almost 40% of households are fully plumbed. Sewage is disposed of on an individual basis. The school and teacher's housing uses individual septic tanks and drain fields; others use pit privies. A new landfill site is needed. A feasibility study of alternative water, sewer and waste operations has been funded. The community needs a small watering point and washeteria.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 16 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Since the closure of the mercury mine in 1971, employment opportunities have been limited. Income is supplemented by subsistence activities, BLM fire fighting, or work in the commercial fishing industry. Salmon, bear, moose, caribou, rabbit, waterfowl and berries are harvested in season.

**Culture & Demographic**

50.9% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Unlike other villages in the area, Red Devil is a mixed population of Eskimos, Athabascans and non-Natives. Subsistence activities are prevalent. The sale of alcohol is prohibited, although importation or possession is allowed.

**9770.10.51 – Russian Mission**  
**RUSSIAN MISSION**

**Population:** 303 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

**Emergency Services:**

**Police:** 584-5111

**VPSO:** 584-5626

**State Troopers:** St Mary's, (800) 240-2019

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Russian Mission Clinic (584-5611). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

**Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Russian Mission, P.O. Box 49, Russian Mission, AK 99657

Phone 907-584-5111, Fax 907-584-5476

**Village Corporation** - Russian Mission Native Corp., P.O. Box 48, Russian Mission, AK 99657

Phone 907-584-5885, Fax 907-584-5311

**Village Council** - Iqurmiut Tribe, P.O. Box 09, Russian Mission, AK 99657

Phone 907-584-5511, Fax 907-584-5593, e-mail: [RussianMission@aitc.org](mailto:RussianMission@aitc.org)

**Location & Climate:**

Russian Mission is located on the west bank of the Yukon River in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta, 25 miles southeast of Marshall. It lies 70 air miles northeast of Bethel and 376 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 47m N Latitude, 161d 19m W Longitude (Sec. 31, T020N, R066W, Seward Meridian). Russian Mission is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 5 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. The climate exhibits a significant maritime influence. Temperatures range from -54 to 86. Annual precipitation is 16 inches, with snowfall of 60 inches. Heavy northern winds often limit air access in the fall and winter. The Lower Yukon is ice-free from mid-June through October.

**Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and charter air service from Bethel. Russian Mission's location on the Yukon River allows barge and small boat travel during the summer. Passengers, mail and light goods arrive primarily by air. Snow machines enable inter-village transportation in the winter on the frozen riverbed.

**Airport Facilities:** A 2,700' gravel airstrip and seaplane landing area are owned and operated by the State. Scheduled daily flights are available.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** Marine engine and boat repair service available. Moorage facilities available.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom;

United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** No information **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:**

KICY-AM; KYUK-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska

Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Diesel, propane, and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): AVEC (4 @ 58,830 gals.); LY Schools (5 @ 29,830); Native Corp. Store (4 @ 34,785); U.S. PHS (11,530); Alaska Native Industrial Coop Assoc. (9,775)

**Housing:** Accommodations possible at private homes, school (584-5615), and clinic (584-5529).

**Services:** No banking services. Laundromat available. Groceries and limited supplies available at local store.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from a deep well, is treated and distributed via buried pipes throughout the community. Most homes are also connected to the piped sewage system, including 25 new HUD homes. The City has requested funds to replace the plumbing and fixtures in 15 homes.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 106 students. Refuse is disposed of by individuals at the landfill; a new site is needed.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- Recreation center
- City public safety building
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Employment opportunities in Russian Mission are limited to the school, local businesses and fishing. Ten residents hold commercial fishing permits. Seasonal employment includes BLM fire fighting and construction. Some income is earned from trapping, and subsistence activities are prevalent. Salmon, moose, black bear, porcupine, rabbit and waterfowl are utilized.

**Culture & Demographic**

94.7% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Russian Mission is an Eskimo village. Subsistence is the focus of the culture. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

**9770.10.52 – Saint Mary's**  
**SAINT MARY'S**

**Population:** 554 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 1<sup>st</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

**Emergency Services:**

**Police:** 438-2911

**VPSO:** 438-2911

**State Troopers:** 438-2019 or (800) 240-2019

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** John Afcan Memorial Clinic (438-3500). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

**Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Saint Mary's, P.O. Box 163, St. Mary's, AK 99658

Phone 907-438-2515, Fax 907-438-2719, e-mail: [waltonksm@yahoo.com](mailto:waltonksm@yahoo.com)

**Regional Development** - Lower Yukon Economic Dev. Council, 825 Mulchatna Dr., Wasilla, AK 99654

Phone 907-745-2262, Fax 907-745-7984, e-mail: [lyedc@mtaonline.net](mailto:lyedc@mtaonline.net)

**School District** - Saint Mary's School District, Box 9, Saint Mary's, AK 99658-0009

Phone 907-438-2411, Fax 907-438-2831, e-mail: [gresetth@yahoo.com](mailto:gresetth@yahoo.com)

**Village Corporation** - Saint Mary's Native Corporation, P.O. Box 162, Saint Mary's, AK 99658

Phone 907-438-2315, Fax 907-438-2315

**Village Council** - Algaaciq Tribal Government, P.O. Box 48, St. Mary's, AK 99658

Phone 907-438-2932, Fax 907-438-2932, e-mail: [algaaciq@aol.com](mailto:algaaciq@aol.com)

**Location & Climate:**

St. Mary's is located on the north bank of the Andreafsky River, 5 miles from its confluence with the Yukon River. It lies 450 air miles west-northwest of Anchorage. The City of St. Mary's encompasses the Yup'ik villages of St. Mary's and Andreafsky. It lies at approximately 62d 03m N Latitude, 163d 10m W Longitude (Sec. 26, T023N, R076W, Seward Meridian). Saint Mary's is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 42 sq. miles of land and 6 sq. miles of water. The climate is continental with a significant maritime influence. Temperatures range between -44 and 83. Annual precipitation measures 16 inches, with 60 inches of snowfall. The Yukon is ice-free from June through October.

**Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Boat service up and down Yukon; scheduled and charter air service from Anchorage and Bethel. St. Mary's is served by barge, large commercial vessels and aircraft. Local roads link St. Mary's to Andreafsky, Pitka's Point, and Mountain Village.

**Airport Facilities:** The State-owned 6,000' gravel runway and 1,900' crosswind strip provide year-round access.

**Airline Service:** Hagland Air Service; PenAir

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** . An expansion of the deep water dock is under construction.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI (www.gci.net) **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KICY-AM; KYUK-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** Frontier Cable, Inc.

**Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, propane, regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): City (11 @ 275,050 gals.); Boreal Fisheries Inc. (3 @ 24,500); Hageland Aviation (3 @ 23,000); City School District (4 @ 46,500); Mark Air (4 @ 56,000 - out of business); ADOT (3 @ 60,430); Ryan Air (9,300); Omni Corp. (2,000); St. Mary's Fuel Co. (300,000); Native Corp. (2 @ 41,200); Army Nat'l Guard (10,000); Herman's Air (5,000); St. Mary's Mission (4 @ 173,500); AVEC (215,751); Delta Dev. Corp. (100,000)

**Housing:** Food and lodging available at Bays Bed and Breakfast (438-2048) and the Road House.

**Services:** Meals available at several restaurants. Laundry facilities available. No banking services. Groceries and supplies available at local stores. Marine engine, boat, and aircraft repair available. Charter aircraft available.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from Alstrom Creek reservoir and is treated. The majority of the City (120 homes and facilities) have complete plumbing and are connected to the piped water and sewer system. Approximately 15 residences haul water and use honeybuckets; the City provides hauling services. 20 new HUD houses were recently connected to the system. A new honeybucket disposal site is under construction. Funds have been requested to repair plumbing in 40 older homes, and to study replacement of the failing 30-year-old water and sewer mains. A washeteria is available nearby at Pitka's Point.

**Miscellaneous:** The landfill must be relocated. There is one school located in the community, attended by 129 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

The economy in St. Mary's is subject to seasonal fluctuations. Employment peaks during the summer fishing season. 68 residents hold commercial fishing permits. Cold storage is available. Cash income is supplemented by subsistence activities and trapping. Salmon, moose, bear, and waterfowl are harvested.

**Culture & Demographic**

83% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. St. Mary's is a Yup'ik Eskimo community that maintains a fishing and subsistence lifestyle. The sale of alcohol is prohibited in the City, although importation and possession are allowed.

**9770.10.53 – Scammon Bay**  
**SCAMMON BAY**

**Population:** 498 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

**Emergency Services:**

**Police:** 558-5529

**VPSO:** 558-5529

**State Troopers:** Bethel, 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Scammon Bay Clinic (558-5511). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

**Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Scammon Bay, P.O. Box 90, Scammon Bay, AK 99662

Phone 907-558-5529, Fax 907-558-5626, e-mail: [aulak@aol.com](mailto:aulak@aol.com)

**Village Corporation** - Askinuk Corporation, P.O. Box 89, Scammon Bay, AK 99662

Phone 907-558-5628, Fax 907-558-5963

**Village Council** - Scammon Bay Traditional Council, P.O. Box 126, Scammon Bay, AK 99662

Phone 907-558-5425, Fax 907-558-5134, e-mail: [ScammonBay@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:ScammonBay@smtp.ak.bia.gov)

**Location & Climate:**

Scammon Bay is on the south bank of the Kun River, one mile from the Bering Sea. It lies to the north of the 2,300-foot Askinuk Mountains on the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies at approximately 61d 50m N Latitude, 165d 35m W Longitude (Sec. 10, T020N, R090W, Seward Meridian). Scammon Bay is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 1 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The area's climate is maritime. Temperatures range between -25 and 79. Annual precipitation is 14 inches, with 65 inches of snowfall. Severe easterly winds during the fall and winter limit accessibility. The Bering Sea is ice-free from mid-June through October.

**Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Scammon Bay is accessible by air and water. Scheduled and charter air service from Bethel. Winter trails connect Scammon Bay with Hooper Bay. Snowmachines and skiffs are the primary means of local transportation.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,000' gravel airstrip and City-owned seaplane base on the Kun River serve air traffic.

**Airline Service:** ERA; Yute Air; Hageland Aviation; Grant Air

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge. Barges bring in bulk supplies each summer.

**Vessel Support:** Marine engine repair available. No moorage facilities.

**Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** No information **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KICY-AM; KCUK-FM **Cable Provider:** City of Scammon Bay **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC. AVEC and the City are interested in developing a small hydroelectric plant.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, propane, and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): School (60,100 gals.); City (10,800); Army Nat'l Guard (3,000); AVEC (81,200); Village Corp. (132,800); Catholic Church (1,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations possible through local school (558-5312).

**Services:** No restaurant, laundromat, or banking services. Groceries and supplies available at local store. Arrangements may be made to rent autos.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from an infiltration gallery located on a small stream south of the City, is treated and stored in a 100,000-gal. tank. Nearly all homes and the school are connected to the piped water and sewer system and are plumbed. Only a few residents use honeybuckets, typically due to frozen pipe damage. There is no washeteria.

**Miscellaneous:** A new landfill and access road were recently completed, but funds are needed for equipment. There is one school located in the community, attended by 164 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Employment is focused on commercial fishing. Fire fighting for BLM, construction projects and handicrafts also provide seasonal income. 49 residents hold commercial fishing permits. The 1992 Community Development Quota (CDQ) program has increased the pollock groundfish quota for small communities like Scammon Bay. Subsistence activities provide fish, beluga whale, walrus, seal, birds and berries.

**Culture & Demographic**

96.5% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Scammon Bay is a Yup'ik Eskimo community that relies on fishing and subsistence activities. Most residents travel to the Black River each summer for fish camp, 50 miles to the north. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol is banned in the village.



## 9770.10.54 – Shageluk

### SHAGELUK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (SHAG-uh-look)

**Population:** 83 (2011 DCCED certified estimate) **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized **Regional Native Corporation:** Doyon, Limited

### Emergency Services:

**Police:**

**State Troopers:** Aniak, 675-4398

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Shageluk Clinic (473-8231).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Shageluk, P.O. Box 107, Shageluk, AK 99665

Phone 907-473-8221, Fax 907-473-8220

**Village Corporation** - Zho-Tse, Incorporated, P.O. Box 108, Shageluk, AK 99665

Phone 907-473-8229

**Village Council** - Shageluk Native Village, P.O. Box 35, Shageluk, AK 99665

Phone 907-473-8239, Fax 907-473-8239, e-mail: [Shageluk@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Shageluk@smtp.ak.bia.gov)

### Location & Climate:

Shageluk is located on the east bank of the Innoko River, approximately 20 miles east of Anvik and 34 miles northeast of Holy Cross. The Innoko drains into the Yukon River. It lies at approximately 62d 41m N Latitude, 159d 34m W Longitude (Sec. 22, T030N, R055W, Seward Meridian). Shageluk is located in the Mt. McKinley Recording District. The area encompasses 10 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. Shageluk has a cold, continental climate. Summer temperatures average from 42 to 80, winters can range from -62 to 0. Annual precipitation is 67 inches, with average snowfall of 110 inches. The Innoko River is generally ice-free from June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Access to Shageluk is by air or water. Scheduled and charter air service from Bethel, Aniak, Grayling, Anvik, and McGrath. Locals use ATVs, snowmobiles and dog sleds. Every other year it is a check point for the Iditarod dog sled race.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 2,300' gravel airstrip and a seaplane base are available. Major airport improvements are underway.

**Airline Service:** Yute Air; Hageland Aviation; Alaska Transportation Services; Tanana Air; Arctic Circle Air

**Freight:** Mail plane or by barge (several times a year).

**Vessel Support:** No information available.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** Bush-Tell Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom

**Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:**

KICY-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** City of Shageluk **Teleconferencing:** Alaska

Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Gasoline and propane.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): AVEC (6 @ 54,990 gals.); Innoka River School (12 @ 44,360); City (29,610); Zho-Tse, Inc. (12,085)

**Housing:** Accommodations available at local school (473-8233).

**Services:** Washeteria with showers available. Groceries and supplies available at local store. Other information on visitor facilities not available.

**Water & Sewage:** Residents haul treated well water and dispose of honeybuckets in pit privies or bunkers. Residents are dependent upon the washeteria for bathing and laundry. New HUD houses, constructed in 1991, use pit privies. The City provides water to the school and the washeteria. A sanitation Master Plan has been completed, and funds are needed to proceed with the design and engineering of a community system.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 48 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- City community building
- Teen center
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Employment is limited primarily to the city, federal agencies and the school. Residents rely upon subsistence activities; several trap and garden. Salmon, moose, bear, small game and waterfowl provide food sources. Summer construction projects provide seasonal employment. A village store and lodging are under construction.

**Culture & Demographic**

95% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Shageluk is an Ingalik Indian community that relies on subsistence activities. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.55 – Nunam Iqua (Sheldon Point)

**NUNAM IQUA (formerly Sheldon Point)** - Pronunciation/Other Names: (NOO-nam ICK-wa; formerly Sheldon Point)

**Population:** 190 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### **Emergency Services:**

**City VPO:** 498-4911

**State Troopers:**

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Nunam Iqua Clinic (498-4228). Auxiliary health care is provided by flight to Bethel or Anchorage.

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**City** - City of Nunam Iqua, P.O. Box 26, Sheldon Point, AK 99666

Phone 907-498-4226, Fax 907-498-4250

**Village Corporation** - Swan Lake Corporation, P.O. Box 25, Sheldon Point, AK 99666

Phone 907-498-4227, Fax 907-498-4242

**Village Council** - Native Village of Nunam Iqua, P.O. Box 27, Sheldon Point, AK 99666

Phone 907-498-4184, Fax 907-498-4185, e-mail: [SheldonPoint@aitc.org](mailto:SheldonPoint@aitc.org)

### **Location & Climate:**

Nunam Iqua is on a south fork of the Yukon River, about 9 miles south of Alakanuk and 18 miles southwest of Emmonak on the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta. It lies 500 miles northwest of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 62d 32m N Latitude, 164d 52m W Longitude (Sec. 10, T028N, R084W, Seward Meridian). Nunam Iqua is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 13 sq. miles of land and 5 sq. miles of water. The climate is maritime, averaging 60 inches of snowfall with a total of 18 inches of precipitation per year. Temperatures range from -25 to 78. Heavy winds in the fall and winter often limit accessibility. The Bering Sea is ice-free from mid-June through October.

### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Boat; scheduled or charter service from Emmonak. Nunam Iqua has easy access by boat and barge. In the winter snowmachines serve as the primary mode of inter-village transportation.

**Airport Facilities:** It has a State-owned, City-operated 2,060' gravel airstrip. Float plane landing sites are available at Kwemeluk Pass and Swan Lake.

**Airline Service:** Grant Aviation; Hageland

**Freight:** Cargo plane, barge, small boat, and snow machine.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** United Utilities

**Internet Service Provider:** Unicom/United Utilities, Inc. ([www.unicom-alaska.net](http://www.unicom-alaska.net)) **TV Stations:**

No information **Radio Stations:** KICY-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** Swan Lake Corp.

**Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Sheldon Point Electric Co..

**Fuel:** Regular gasoline and fuel oil.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): LY Schools (67,240 gals.); Swan Lake Corp. (95,423); ADOT (3,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations possible at private homes or school (498-4112).

**Services:** No banking services. Groceries and supplies available at local store. No repair services.

**Water & Sewage:** Residents haul treated well water from a new storage tank. Honeybucket hauling services are provided by the City. The washeteria was destroyed by fire in August 1997, and funds have been provided to rebuild the water supply and treatment. A few homes are connected to a community septic tank and have plumbing. A comprehensive Master Plan for a piped system has been completed. Funds have been requested to complete phase 1, a new water treatment plant, vacuum sewer plant and a new washeteria.

**Miscellaneous:** The existing refuse site is temporary; a new landfill is needed. There is one school located in the community, attended by 61 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- Community hall (under construction)
- City public safety building
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Commercial fishing is the economic foundation of the community. 27 residents hold commercial fishing permits. There are a few year-round positions with government organizations and the private sector. Subsistence activities and trapping supplement income. Salmon, beluga whale, seal, moose, and waterfowl are harvested.

**Culture & Demographic**

92.7% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Commercial fishing and subsistence activities are the means of support in this Yup'ik Eskimo village. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.56 – Sleetmute

**SLEETMUTE** - Pronunciation/Other Names: (SLEET-myoot)

**Population:** 93 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### **Emergency Services:**

**VPSO:** 449-4205

**State Troopers:** Aniak, 675-4398

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Sleetmute Clinic (449-9901).

### **Organizations with Local Offices:**

**Village Council** - Sleetmute Traditional Council, P.O. Box 34, Sleetmute, AK 99668  
Phone 907-449-4205, Fax 907-449-4203, e-mail: [Sleetmute@aitc.org](mailto:Sleetmute@aitc.org)

### **Location & Climate:**

Sleetmute is located on the east bank of the Kuskokwim River, 1.5 miles north of its junction with the Holitna River. It lies 79 miles east of Aniak, 166 miles northeast of Bethel, and 243 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 42m N Latitude, 157d 10m W Longitude (Sec. 25, T019N, R044W, Seward Meridian). Sleetmute is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 28 sq. miles of land and 2 sq. miles of water. The climate in Sleetmute is continental with temperatures ranging from -58 to 90. Snowfall averages 85 inches, with total precipitation of 22 inches per year. High winds often cause flight delays in the fall and winter. The Kuskokwim is ice-free from mid-June through October.

### **Transportation:**

**Accessibility:** Boat; scheduled or charter air service from Bethel or Aniak. The Kuskokwim River provides barges and boats transportation in the summer, and snowmachines are used on the frozen river in the winter.

**Airport Facilities:** The 3,100' gravel airstrip is owned and maintained by the State. Scheduled weekday service is provided.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

### **Facilities & Utilities:**

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** Bush-Tell Inc.    **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom

**Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net))    **TV Stations:** ARCS    **Radio Stations:**

No information    **Cable Provider:** None    **Teleconferencing:** No information

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, and propane.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): School (30,000 gals.); Middle Kuskokwim Electric Co-op (17,000); Village Council (25,500)

**Housing:** Accommodations possible at city offices (449-9901).

**Services:** Groceries and supplies available at local store. Laundry facilities and public showers available. No repair services, rental transportation, or moorage facilities. No banking services.

**Water & Sewage:** A central well with treated water and several individual wells are used in the community. Water is pumped by hand to fill gravity storage tanks at each house. The washeteria has its own untreated water source. Privies, honeybuckets and seepage pits are used. Nine homes and the school use individual systems and are completely plumbed. A Master Plan has been completed to design alternative water, sewer and refuse systems.

**Miscellaneous:** There is a landfill site southeast of the airstrip. There is one school located in the community, attended by 24 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Most cash income in Sleetmute is derived seasonally from BLM fire fighting, trapping, or from cannery work in other communities. The school is the primary employer. One resident holds a commercial fishing permit. 60% of the village's food is derived from subsistence fishing, hunting and gathering. Many residents travel to fish camps during the summer. Salmon, moose, bear, porcupine, rabbit, waterfowl and berries are harvested in season.

**Culture & Demographic**

86.8% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Sleetmute is an Ingalik Indian village, and subsistence activities contribute substantially to local diets.

## 9770.10.57 – Stony River

### STONY RIVER

**Population:** 46 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police:**

**State Troopers:** Aniak, 675-4398

**Fire:** 745-2738 (Volunteer Fire Dept)

**Medical:** Stony River Clinic (537-3228).

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Council** - Village of Stony River, P.O. Box SRV, Stony River, AK 99557

Phone 907-537-3209, Fax 907-537-3210 , e-mail: [StonyRiver@aitc.org](mailto:StonyRiver@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Stony River is located on the north bank of the Kuskokwim River, 2 miles north of its junction with the Stony River. The village is 100 miles east of Aniak, 185 miles northeast of Bethel, and 225 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 47m N Latitude, 156d 35m W Longitude (Sec. 31, T020N, R040W, Seward Meridian). Stony River is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 17 sq. miles of land and 3 sq. miles of water. The climate is continental with temperatures ranging from -58 to 90. Snowfall averages 85 inches, with total precipitation of 22 inches per year. High winds often cause flight delays in the fall and winter. The Kuskokwim is ice-free from mid-June through October.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Boat; snow machine; scheduled and charter air service from Aniak. Stony River's location near the confluence of the Kuskokwim and Stony Rivers affords it easy accessibility by riverboat in summer and snowmachine in winter.

**Airport Facilities:** The 2,555' gravel airstrip is State-owned and -operated. Scheduled weekday air services deliver mail and other cargo.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Chartered plane or barge. Barges deliver cargo and bulk fuel.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities. No marine engine repair service.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** Bush-Tell Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom

**Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:**

KSKO-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Middle Kuskokwim Electric Cooperative. The Middle Kuskokwim Electric Co-op provides power from Chuathbaluk to Stony River.

**Fuel:** Marine gas and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): Village Council (22,550 gals.); School (26,250); Middle Kusko Electric Coop (23,960)

**Housing:** Accommodations possible in private homes or in IRA Council building.

**Services:** No restaurant, banking services, or laundry facilities. Groceries and supplies available. Most supplies acquired from Sleetmute, Red Devil, Aniak, or Anchorage. No rental transportation or moorage facilities.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from individual wells; the school, washeteria and clinic each have a well. Septic tanks and some outhouses are used for sewage disposal. Most residents are reliant on the washeteria for laundry and bathing. Feasibility and engineering of a piped water system has been completed; the system will also include individual septic tanks for all homes.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 20 students. The school uses a septic tank/drainfield system. There is a landfill a half mile from the school.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

There are few income opportunities in Stony River; the school is the only year-round employer. BLM fire fighting can provide seasonal income. Subsistence provides 60% of the village's food sources. Salmon, moose, caribou, bear, porcupine, waterfowl and berries are harvested.

**Culture & Demographic**

88.2% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. The village is a mixed population of Indians and Eskimos. Residents depend heavily on subsistence foods.



## 9770.10.58 – Takotna

### TAKOTNA

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (tuh-KOTT-nuh)

**Population:** 49 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Doyon, Limited

### Emergency Services:

#### **Police:**

**State Troopers:** Bethel, 543-2294

**Fire:** Takotna EMS (Clinic 298-2214/2114)

**Medical:** Takotna Clinic (298-2214). Auxiliary health care is provided by Takotna Rescue Squad (298-2114).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Community Non-Profit** - Takotna Community Assoc., Inc., P.O. Box 86, Takotna, AK 99675  
Phone 907-298-2211, Fax 907-298-2325

**Village Council** - Takotna Village, P.O. Box TYC, Takotna, AK 99675  
Phone 907-298-2212, Fax 907-298-2314, e-mail: [Takotna@aitc.org](mailto:Takotna@aitc.org)

### Location & Climate:

Takotna is located in Interior Alaska on the north bank of the Takotna River in a broad scenic river valley, 17 air miles west of McGrath in the Kilbuck-Kuskokwim Mountains. It lies at approximately 62d 59m N Latitude, 156d 04m W Longitude (Sec. 35, T034N, R036W, Seward Meridian). Takotna is located in the Manley Hot Springs Recording District. The area encompasses 15 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. Takotna has a cold, continental climate. Summer temperatures average 42 to 80, winter temperatures range from -42 to 0. The Takotna River is generally ice-free from June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled passenger and mail plane from McGrath; charter plane, river travel (June through September). Access to Takotna is by air or water. The community has 80 miles of local roads that connect with Tatalina Air Force Station, Sterling Landing and existing mines. It is a check point for the Iditarod sled dog race.

**Airport Facilities:** There is a State-owned 1,717 gravel airstrip, and a 3,800' gravel runway at Tatalina Air Force Station 10 miles southeast of town.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Cargo plane or barge. Cargo is offloaded at Sterling Landing, 24 miles southeast of Takotna.

**Vessel Support:** No information available.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS  
**Radio Stations:** KSKO-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Takotna Community Assoc., Inc.

**Fuel:** Marine gas and diesel.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): No information.

**Housing:** No formal lodges, but community has beds for rent.

**Services:** Limited groceries and supplies available at local store. Laundromat with showers available. Meals, banking service, rental transportation and major repair service are not available.

**Water & Sewage:** Water from Gold Creek is treated and hauled by residents from the washeteria. Water is also hauled from the Takotna Waterworks. Approximately 20% of homes have storage tanks with running water for the kitchen. Community buildings use individual wells. Honeybuckets and individual septic tanks are used for sewage disposal. A feasibility study for water, sewer and refuse system improvements is underway. Funds have been requested to upgrade the washeteria and to relocate the landfill

**Miscellaneous:** There are 2 schools located in the community, attended by 24 students. The high school has no running water or restrooms.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- Community hall
- Schools

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Takotna has a combined cash and subsistence economy. Employment is through the school district, post office, clinic, local businesses and seasonal construction. A lodge is currently under construction. 80% of residents are involved in subsistence activities. Moose and salmon are the primary meat sources. Many residents garden during the summer.

**Culture & Demographic**

44.7% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Takotna is a mixed population of Non-Natives, Ingalik Indians and Eskimos. Subsistence is a prevalent activity. The sale of alcohol is prohibited in the village.

## 9770.10.59 – Telida

### TELIDA

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (tuh-LYE-duh)

**Population:** None listed on DCCED website      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Doyon, Limited

### Emergency Services:

**Police:**

**State Troopers:** McGrath, 542-3052

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** L Telida Health Clinic

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Council** - Telida Village, P.O. Box TLF, Telida, AK 99627-8998

Phone 907- 843-8115, e-mail: [Telida@aitc.org](mailto:Telida@aitc.org)

### Location & Climate:

Telida is located on the south side of the Swift Fork (McKinley Fork) of the Kuskokwim River, about 50 miles northeast of Medfra. It lies at approximately 63d 23m N Latitude, 153d 16m W Longitude . The area experiences a cold, continental climate. Summer temperatures average 42 to 80, winters can range from -60 to 0. The Kuskokwim is generally ice-free from June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled mail plane; charter plane; small riverboat. Access to Telida is primarily by air. There is no road connection, but a winter trail connects the village with Nikolai.

Snowmobiles, motor bikes and ATVs are used.

**Airport Facilities:** A locally-maintained 2,270' turf/dirt airstrip is available.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Freight comes in by plane.

**Vessel Support:** Small boats can reach Telida, but snags and sticks downriver prevent large boat access.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KSKO-AM **Cable**

**Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Telida Village Utility.

**Fuel:** Gasoline is available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): No information.

**Housing:** Rental cabin available (843-8115).

**Services:** No meals, restaurants, or stores. Supplies obtained from McGrath and Anchorage. No other visitor services.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is hauled from the school watering point or the River. Outhouses are used for sewage disposal. No homes are plumbed. Traditional steam baths are available.

**Miscellaneous:** There are no state operated schools located in the community.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

None identified

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Telida is heavily dependent on subsistence activities. Employment is primarily in seasonal summer jobs. Trapping, handicrafts and gardening also sustain residents.

**Culture & Demographic**

90.9% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Telida is an Upper Kuskokwim Athabascan village. Subsistence is an important activity.

## 9770.10.60 – Toksook Bay

### TOKSOOK BAY

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (TOOK-sook or TUCK-sook; aka Nunakauyak)

**Population:** 598 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police/VPSO:** 427-7313

**State Troopers:** 543-2994 (Bethel)

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Department, 427-7313

**Medical:** Toksook Bay Health Clinic, 427-7712/7810

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Toksook Bay, P.O. Box 37008, Toksook Bay, AK 99637

Phone 427-7511, Fax 427-7811, Email: [cityofookclerk@yahoo.com](mailto:cityofookclerk@yahoo.com)

**Village Corporation** - Nunakauiak Yupik Corp., P.O. Box 37068, Toksook Bay, AK 99637

Phone 427-7929, Fax 427-7326

**Village Council** - Nunakauyarmiut Tribe, P.O. Box 37048, Toksook Bay, AK 99637

Phone 427-7114/7615, Fax 427-7714, Email: [nunakauyaktc@hotmail.com](mailto:nunakauyaktc@hotmail.com)

#### Location & Climate:

Toksook Bay is one of three villages located on Nelson Island, which lies 115 miles northwest of Bethel. It is on Kangirivar Bay across the water from Nunivak Island. Tununak is about 6 miles to the northwest. It lies at approximately 60d 31m N Latitude, 165d 06m W Longitude (Sec. 17, T005N, R090W, Seward Meridian). Toksook Bay is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 32 sq. miles of land and 41 sq. miles of water. Toksook is located in a marine climate. Precipitation averages 22 inches, with 43 inches of snowfall annually. Summer temperatures range from 41 to 57, winter temperatures run 6 to 24.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled air and charter service from Bethel. Fishing boats, skiffs, snow machines and ATVs are used by residents for local travel.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,218' gravel airstrip provides scheduled and chartered service year-round. **Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Grant Aviation, Ryan Air Service, Yute Air .

**Freight:** Freight arrives by plane and barge. Barges deliver goods during the summer months.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities, but boat haul-out services are available.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** United Utilities Inc. **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio**

**Stations:** KICY-AM; KYUK-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** Frontier Cable, Inc.

**Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** No information available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity): Lower Kuskokwim Schools (34,460 gals.); AVEC (147,475); City (26,000); Nunakauiak Yupik Corp. (120,020); Army Nat'l Guard (5,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations can be arranged at the school (427-7815), or Nunakuiak Yupik Corp. (427-7928/7929).

**Services:** No restaurant, but a snack bar is available. Groceries and supplies available at local store.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from a well and infiltration gallery, is treated and stored in a 212,000-gal. tank, then piped throughout the community. A gravity piped sewer system also serves most households. Most occupied homes have complete plumbing. However, several homes have failed plumbing and haul water and honeybuckets. The City collects refuse and maintains the landfill. The traditional council operates the washeteria.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 172 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

- Multi-purpose facility
- City public safety facility
- School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

- Airport –
- National Guard Armory –
- Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment: A DEC spill response container is located in this community.**

**Contact the Mayor, 427-7511**

Sorbent “sausage” or “pom-pom” boom bale)		10 bales (5” X 10’, 4 lengths per
Pom-pom (oil snare without rope)	10 bales	
Overpack Drum, Steel 55-gal	1	
Jabsco Rotary Vane Pump	1	
40’ X 40’ 20 mil Plastic Liner	2	
Drum Liner, 8 mil, 85-gal, 50 bags per roll	2 rolls	
Sorbent Materials Hand Wringer	1	
MW41 Rope Mop Skimmer	1	
w/ return pulley (w/ 55-gal open top drum)		
4” oil-absorbing endless loop poly-mop	100 feet	
1,800 gallon portable storage tank system	1	
500-watt halogen light single head, light stand	2	
Smart Ash Incinerator w/ 55-gal open top drum	1	
5,000-watt portable generator	1	
Ice auger w/ 8” steel auger bit & 18” extension,	1	
2hp, gas mix		
Portable water cleaning system	1	
w/ absorbent material		
85-gal response drums loaded with	3	
sorbents, bags, PPE		
Sorbent pads	65 bales (100 pads/bale)	

**Economy:**

Commercial fishing and the school, city, and tribal council are the primary income producers. Subsistence activities supplement income and provide essential food sources. In 2010, 77 residents held commercial fishing permits for herring roe and salmon net fisheries. Coastal Villages Seafood, Inc., processes halibut and salmon in Toksook.

### **Culture & Demographic**

Toksook Bay is a traditional Yup'ik Eskimo community with a reliance on fishing and subsistence activities. The sale and importation of alcohol is banned in the village. The area has been inhabited and utilized by Yup'iks for thousands of years. Toksook Bay was established in 1964 along the Tuqsuk River by residents of Nightmute. Cyril Chanar, Tom Sunny, and Nasgauq Tangkaq were the earliest inhabitants. Toksook Bay was settled to be more accessible to the annual freighter ship, the North Star. The city was incorporated in 1972.

## 9770.10.61 – Tuluksak

### TULUKSAK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (too-LOOK-sack)

**Population:** 373 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**Police:**

**State Troopers:** Bethel, 543-2294

**Fire:** Volunteers

**Medical:** Tuluksak Clinic (695-6991).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Corporation** - Tulkisarmute, Incorporated, General Delivery, Tuluksak, AK 99679  
Phone 907-693-6420, Fax 907-693-6932

**Village Council** - Tuluksak Native Community, P.O. Box 95, Tuluksak, AK 99679  
Phone 907-695-6420, Fax 907-695-6932, e-mail: [Tuluksak@smtp.ak.bia.gov](mailto:Tuluksak@smtp.ak.bia.gov)

### Location & Climate:

Tuluksak lies on the south bank of the Tuluksak River at its junction with the Kuskokwim River. The village is 35 miles northeast of Bethel. It lies at approximately 61d 06m N Latitude, 160d 58m W Longitude (Sec. 27, T012N, R066W, Seward Meridian). Tuluksak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 3 sq. miles of land and 1 sq. miles of water. Precipitation averages 16 inches in this area, with snowfall of 50 inches. Summer temperatures range from 62 to 42; winter temperatures can be 19 to -2.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and charter air service from Bethel. It can be accessed by a State-owned 2,500' gravel airstrip year-round. Residents use fishing boats, skiffs, snow machines and ATVs for local transportation.

**Airport Facilities:** State-owned 2,500' gravel airstrip open year-round.

**Airline Service:** No information.

**Freight:** Mail plane and barge.

**Vessel Support:** There are no docking facilities, although cargo barges deliver during the summer.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS; KYUK **Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Tuluksak Traditional Power Utility.

**Fuel:** No information available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): Village Council (2 @ 38,500 gals.); School (10 @ 80,000); Elementary School (8 @ 50,000); Village Corp. (50,000)

**Housing:** Accommodations may be arranged with the city (695-6212).

**Services:** Washeteria available. Supplies available at local stores.



**Water & Sewage:** Treated well water is hauled by residents. Only one watering point, with storage capacity of less than 7,000 gallons, serves the entire community, washeteria, clinic and school. The washeteria was rehabilitated in 1996, but water shortages are limiting its use. Residents haul honeybuckets -- Tuluksak has 75 active honeybucket disposal pits. A feasibility study has been completed to implement a piped water and sewer system. A larger water storage tank, water system improvements and a honeybucket haul system are the village's priorities.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 137 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

The primary employers are the school, village government, and services. Some commercial fishing also occurs; 31 residents hold commercial fishing permits for herring roe and salmon net fisheries. Subsistence activities provide most food sources. A village store was recently completed.

**Culture & Demographic**

95.5% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Tuluksak is a traditional Eskimo village with a fishing and subsistence livelihood. The community has abandoned its city government in favor of more village governmental control, and in 1994 the city was conditionally dissolved by the Local Boundary Commission. The sale, importation or possession of alcohol is banned in the village.

## 9770.10.62 – Tuntutuliak

### TUNTUTULIAK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (tun-too-TOO-lee-ack)

**Population:** 428 (2011 AK Dept of Labor estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

#### Emergency Services:

**Police/VPSO:** 256-2634

**State Troopers (Bethel):** 543-2294

**Fire:** VPSO/Volunteer Fire Department, 256-2634

**Medical:** Kathleen Daniel Memorial Clinic, 256-2129

#### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Electric Utility** - Tuntutuliak Community Service Assoc., P.O. Box 8127, Tuntutuliak, AK 99680  
Phone 256-2934, Fax 256-2934

**Village Corporation** - Tuntutuliak Land Limited, P.O. Box 8106, Tuntutuliak, AK 99680  
Phone 256-2315, Fax 256-2441

**Village Council** - Native Village of Tuntutuliak, P.O. Box 8086, Tuntutuliak, AK 99680  
Phone 256-2128, Fax 256-2080, Email: [Tuntutuliak@aitc.org](mailto:Tuntutuliak@aitc.org)

#### Location & Climate:

Tuntutuliak is on the Qinaq River, approximately 3 miles from its confluence with the Kuskokwim River, about 40 miles from the Bering Sea coast. It lies 40 miles southwest of Bethel and 440 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 60° 22' N Latitude, 162° 38' W Longitude (Sec. 21, T003N, R077W, Seward Meridian). Tuntutuliak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 27 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. Tuntutuliak's summer temperatures average from 42 to 62, winter temperatures average -2 to 19. Extremes have been recorded from 86 to -46. Annual precipitation averages 16 inches, with snowfall of 50 inches.

#### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and charter air service from Bethel. Tuntutuliak relies heavily on air transportation for passengers, mail and cargo service. Boats and snow machines are used for local travel.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,025' gravel runway, and a public seaplane base on the Qinaq River are available.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Grant Aviation, Ryan Air Service, Yute Air

**Freight:** Mail plane and barge. Barge services deliver goods approximately six times a year.

**Vessel Support:** No information available.

#### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** United Utilities Inc. **TV Stations:** ARCS; KYUK **Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM; KYKD-FM **Cable Provider:** Quinarmut Cablevision (Village Corp.)

**Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by Tuntutuliak Community Service Assoc.

**Fuel:** No information available.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** ( total capacity): School (74,400 gals.); Village Council (86,900); Village Corp. (71,700)

**Housing:** Accommodations can be arranged with the school (256-2415); Community Hall.

**Services:** Washeteria available. Supplies available in the community.

**Water & Sewage:** A flush/haul system, unpermitted landfill, sewage lagoon, and 4-mile sanitation boardwalk are available. The school has its own well and sewage lagoon.. The Tuntutuliak Community Service Association, a non-profit arm of the Village Council, operates the utilities.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 98 students.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Bethel. 543-2047/2087

**Economy:**

The school, various services, commercial fishing, and fish processing provide most of the income. Trapping, basket weaving, skin-sewn products, and other Native handicrafts also provide cash. Subsistence foods comprise a majority of the diet, and about one-half of families go to fish camp each summer. In 2010, 47 residents held commercial fishing permits for salmon net and herring roe fisheries.

**Culture & Demographic**

It is a traditional Yup'ik Eskimo village with a fishing and subsistence lifestyle. Salmon and seal are important food sources. Children are taught in Yup'ik until the third grade and then classes are taught in English. The sale, importation, and possession of alcohol is banned in the village.

The village's Yup'ik name is Tuntutuliaq, meaning "place of many reindeer." It was originally located four miles to the east and called Qinaq, as noted in 1879 by Edward Nelson, who noted 175 residents at that time. In 1908, a Moravian missionary visited the village and reported 130 people living there. In 1909 a BIA school was built, and the first teacher was well-liked in the community. Due to lack of confidence in the subsequent teachers, the school was closed in 1917, and the building moved to the village of Eek. It is thought that some Qinaq villagers may have moved to Eek, so their children could attend school. In 1923 the first Moravian chapel was built with lumber and other support from Eek. In the late 1920s, a trading post and store was opened by John Johnson. The community moved to its present site on higher ground and was renamed Tuntutuliak in 1945. The BIA built a school in 1957. A post office opened in 1960.

## 9770.10.63 – Tununak

### TUNUNAK

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (too-NOO-nuck; var. Tananak)

**Population:** 342 (2011 AK Dept of Labor Estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**Police/VPSO:** 652-6812

**State Troopers (Bethel):** 907-543-2294

**Fire:** None

**Medical:** Tununak Health Clinic, 652-6829.

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**Village Corporation** - Tununmiut Rinit Corporation, P.O. Box 89, Tununak, AK 99681  
Phone 652-6311, Fax 652-6315

**Village Council** - Native Village of Tununak, P.O. Box 77, Tununak, AK 99681  
Phone 652-1818, Fax 652-4086, Email: [tribe2work@yahoo.com](mailto:tribe2work@yahoo.com)

### Location & Climate:

Tununak is located in a small bay on the northeast coast of Nelson Island, 115 miles northwest of Bethel and 519 miles northwest of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 60d 35m N Latitude, 165d 15m W Longitude (Sec. 28, T006N, R091W, Seward Meridian). Tununak is located in the Bethel Recording District. The area encompasses 4 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The village is located in a marine climate. Average precipitation is 17 inches, with annual snowfall of 28 inches. Summer temperatures can range from 42 to 59, winter temperatures average 2 to 19. Extremes have been recorded from 80 to -35.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and charter air service from Bethel. Tununak relies heavily on air transportation for passengers, mail and cargo service. Boats, snow machines and ATVs are used extensively for local travel.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 1,778' gravel airstrip is available.

**Airline Service:** ERA Alaska, Grant Aviation, Ryan Air Service, Yute Air

**Freight:** Cargo plane and barge. Barges deliver goods two to four times each summer.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** United Utilities Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom; United Utilities **Internet Service Provider:** United Utilities Inc. **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KICY-AM; KYUK-AM; KNOM-AM **Cable Provider:** Frontier Cable, Inc.

**Teleconferencing:** Alaska Teleconferencing Network

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC.

**Fuel:** Marine gas, propane, and regular gasoline.

**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (total capacity): Lower Kuskokwim Schools (70,300 gals.); Tununak Elders Council (15,600); AVEC (79,800); Tununmiut Rinit Corp. Store (120,400); Army Nat'l Guard (6,300)

**Housing:** Accommodation in the school (652-6827) or the clinic can be arranged through the city office (652-6312).

**Services:** Food available at local restaurant. No banking services. Washeteria available. Groceries and supplies available at local stores. No major repair services.

**Water & Sewage:** Water is derived from Muskox Creek. A flush/haul system began construction in 1992. Only five homes are currently served, and 30 additional units are in construction. 40 additional household units will need to be installed. Most residents currently haul water and honeybuckets, and rely on the washeteria for laundry and bathing. 5% of households use individual septic systems.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 101 students. The landfill needs to be upgraded.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:** Nearest DEC Spill Response Conex located in Toksook Bay, 427-7511

**Economy:**

Employment is primarily with the school district, village corporation, stores, and commercial fishing. Trapping and Native crafts also generate cash for many families, and subsistence activities are an important contributor to villagers' diets. Seal meat, seal oil, and herring are the staples of the diet. Beluga whale and walrus are also hunted. Residents participate in a lottery to hunt musk-ox on Nelson or Nunivak Islands. In 2010, 46 residents held commercial fishing permits. Coastal Villages Seafood, Inc., processes halibut and salmon in Tununak.

**Culture & Demographic**

Tununak is a traditional Yup'ik Eskimo village, with an active fishing and subsistence lifestyle. The sale and importation of alcohol is banned in the village.

In 1878 Nelson Island was named after Edward Nelson, a Smithsonian naturalist who noted 6 people, including 1 non-Native trader, living in Tununak. In 1889 the Jesuits opened a small chapel and school. They found the villagers difficult to convert due to the migratory nature of their traditional culture and because the shamans were still quite powerful. The mission closed in 1892. In 1925 a government school was built, and a Northern Commercial Company store was opened in 1929. From 1934 to 1962, a missionary named Father Deshout lived on Nelson Island. His long-standing relationship and work with the people in the area had a great influence. The 1950s brought great changes to the islanders' lifestyle, through their involvement with the Territorial Guard and work in fish canneries, high schools, and healthcare treatment for tuberculosis. For many, this was their first exposure outside the community. By the 1970s, snowmachines were replacing dog-sled teams, and the last qasgiq (men's community houses) was abandoned. The city was incorporated in 1975, but it was dissolved on Feb. 28, 1997, in favor of traditional council governance.



**9770.10.64 – Umkumiute**

**UMKUMIUTE**

**Pronunciation/Other Names : (OOM-kuh-myoot) var. Umkumiut**

**Population: Seasonal**

**Located In: Unorganized**

**Incorporation Type: Unincorporated**

Umkumiute serves as a seasonal, summer fish camp for Toksook Bay residents.

The information below provides a brief overview of the community.

**Location and Climate:**

Umkumiute is located on Nelson Island in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta, adjacent to Toksook Bay. It lies at approximately 60.498320 North Latitude and -165.198850 West Longitude. (Sec. 26, T005N, R091W, Seward Meridian.) Umkumiute is located in the Bethel Recording District. The island experiences a marine climate. Annual precipitation averages 22 inches, with 43 inches of snow. Summer temperatures range from 41 to 57 °F, and winter temperatures are 6 to 24 °F.

**Economy:**

As a seasonal-use fish camp, Umkumiute provides subsistence food items for area residents. The 2006-2010 American Community Survey (ACS) estimated zero residents as employed.

**Culture and Demographics:**

Umkumiute is a summer fish camp for Toksook Bay residents. The resources of this area have been used by Yup'ik Eskimos for thousands of years. During 1950, approximately 100 residents were enumerated in the village.

## 9770.10.65 – Upper Kalskag

### UPPER KALSKAG

**Pronunciation/Other Names:** (KAL-skag; aka Kalskag)

**Population:** 219 (2011 DCCED certified estimate)      **Incorporation Type:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class City  
**Borough Located In:** Unorganized      **Regional Native Corporation:** Calista Corp.

### Emergency Services:

**VPSO:** 471-2442

**State Troopers:** Aniak, 675-4398

**Fire:** Volunteer Fire Dept

**Medical:** Catherine Alexie Health Clinic (471-2276).

### Organizations with Local Offices:

**City** - City of Upper Kalskag, P.O. Box 80, Upper Kalskag, AK 99607, Phone 471-2220, Fax 471-2220

**Village Council** - Village of Kalskag, P.O. Box 50, Upper Kalskag, AK 99607, Phone 471-2207, Fax 471-2207, e-mail: [Kalskag@aitc.org](mailto:Kalskag@aitc.org)

### Location & Climate:

Upper Kalskag is located on the north bank of the Kuskokwim River, 2 miles upriver from Lower Kalskag. It lies 28 miles west of Aniak, 68 miles northeast of Bethel and 348 miles west of Anchorage. It lies at approximately 61d 32m N Latitude, 160d 20m W Longitude (Sec. 27, T017N, R061W, Seward Meridian). Upper Kalskag is located in the Kuskokwim Recording District. The area encompasses 4 sq. miles of land and 0 sq. miles of water. The climate in Upper Kalskag is semi-arctic with influences from the Bering Sea. Snowfall averages 60 inches, with total precipitation of 19 inches per year. Temperatures range from -55 to 87. The Kuskokwim is ice-free from mid-June through October.

### Transportation:

**Accessibility:** Scheduled and charter air service from Aniak or Bethel. The Kuskokwim River affords easy access by boat in summer and snowmachine in winter.

**Airport Facilities:** A State-owned 3,200' gravel airstrip is shared by Upper and Lower Kalskag, and a road connects the two cities. Daily scheduled air services deliver passengers, mail and other cargo year-round.

**Airline Service:** Hageland; Yute Air; Arctic Air

**Freight:** Freight arrives by plane and barge. Barges deliver cargo and bulk fuel during the summer.

**Vessel Support:** No moorage facilities.

### Facilities & Utilities:

**Communications:** **In-State Phone:** Bush-Tell Inc. **Long-Distance Phone:** AT&T Alascom

**Internet Service Provider:** School Only - GCI ([www.gci.net](http://www.gci.net)) **TV Stations:** ARCS **Radio Stations:** KYUK-AM; KICY-AM **Cable Provider:** None **Teleconferencing:** No information

**Electricity:** Electricity is provided by AVEC (from Lower Kalskag).

**Fuel:** Marine gas, diesel, unleaded gas and propane.



**Fuel Storage – Tank Owners** (number of tanks, total capacity): School (49,200 gals.); Village Corp. Store (36,200); Ausdahl Mercantile/Danny Ausdahl (1,980); City (2,500); Ken Morgan (36,800)

**Housing:** Accommodations may be arranged with the school (471-2288) or the Kalskag Store (471-2268).

**Services:** No laundromat or banking services. Groceries and supplies available through several local stores. No repair service. No rental transportation or moorage facilities.

**Water & Sewage:** As of November 1997, nearly all homes, the school and the store have individual wells with potable water and indoor plumbing. A new piped gravity sewage system with lift stations, force main and lagoon now serves over 60 households and facilities. The school has requested funds for a new septic tank and leachfield, or connection to the community sewer system.

**Miscellaneous:** There is one school located in the community, attended by 31 students. The landfill is located between Upper and Lower Kalskag.

**Spill Response Support:**

*Contact local officials to determine possibility of using community facilities.*

**Potential Command Posts:**

City Multi-Purpose Facility (under construction).

City public safety office

School

**Potential Staging Areas:**

Airport –

National Guard Armory –

Other government facilities –

**Local Spill Response Equipment:**

**Economy:**

Most cash income in Upper Kalskag is derived from public employment at the school, City or clinic. Some trap or work as BLM firefighters. Three residents hold commercial fishing permits. 70% of the village's total livelihood is earned from subsistence activities. Salmon, moose, rabbit, and waterfowl are the primary meat sources. A few residents maintain gardens.

**Culture & Demographic**

84.9% of the population are Alaska Natives. A federally recognized tribe is located in the community. Upper Kalskag is an Eskimo village which was strongly influenced by the Roman Catholic Church. Today, subsistence activities are an important component of their lifestyle. The sale or importation of alcohol is banned in the village.