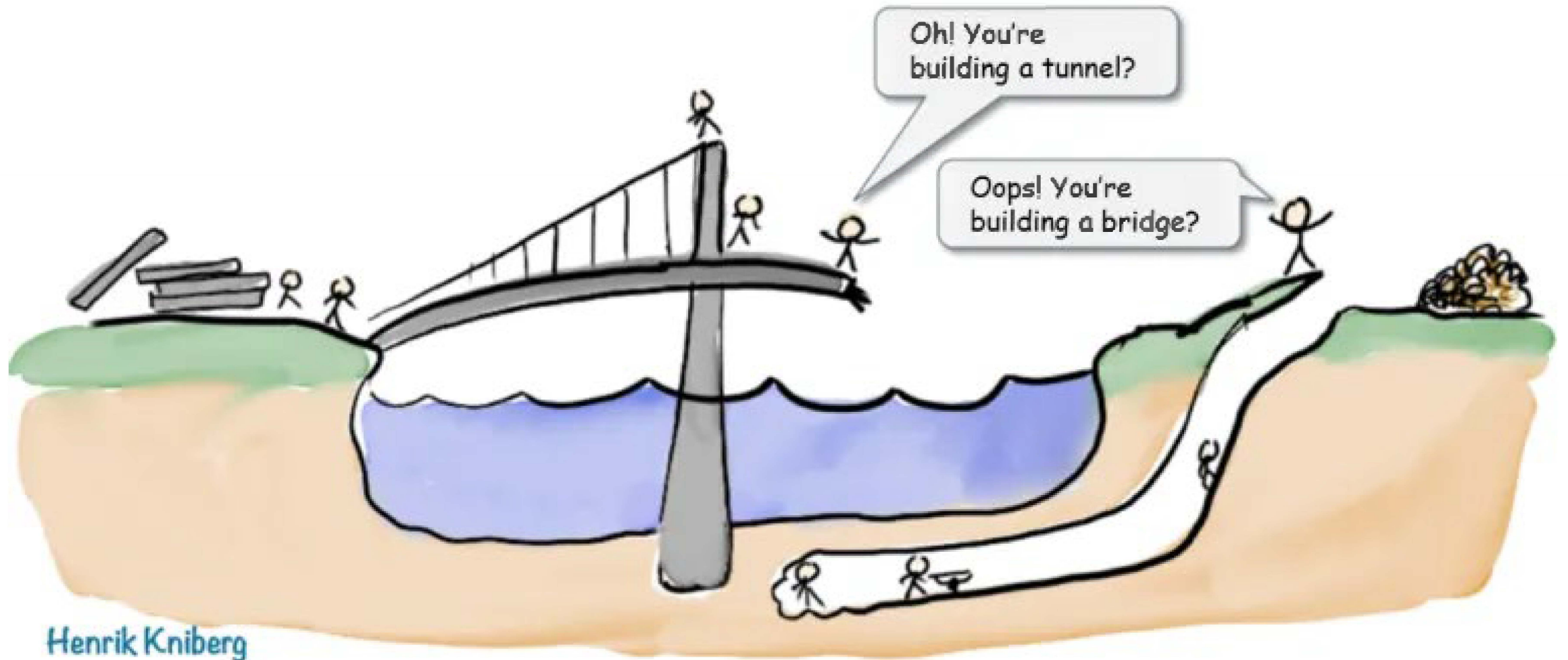


Misalignment



FORMATION OF JOINT TASK FORCE

- Fall of 2018- The idea
- 3 opportunities come to Alaska
- Alaska's Early Childhood Joint Task Force Established- Kick off meeting in Jan 2019
 - Statewide Needs Assessment
 - Unified Strategic Plan

A Plan Shaped by Alaskans Statewide



540

Alaskans provided input



3

Community gatherings



3

Joint Task Force workgroups



2

Statewide video conferences with 19 participants



6

Joint Task Force meetings



63

Early childhood professionals in 11 sessions.



301

Online Stakeholder Survey respondents



50+

JTF Leadership Team meetings

Alaskans from the following communities participated:

Akhiok
Anchorage
Atmautluak
Bethel
Big Lake
Chugiak
Coffman Cove
Craig
Dillingham
Eagle River
Eek
Eureka
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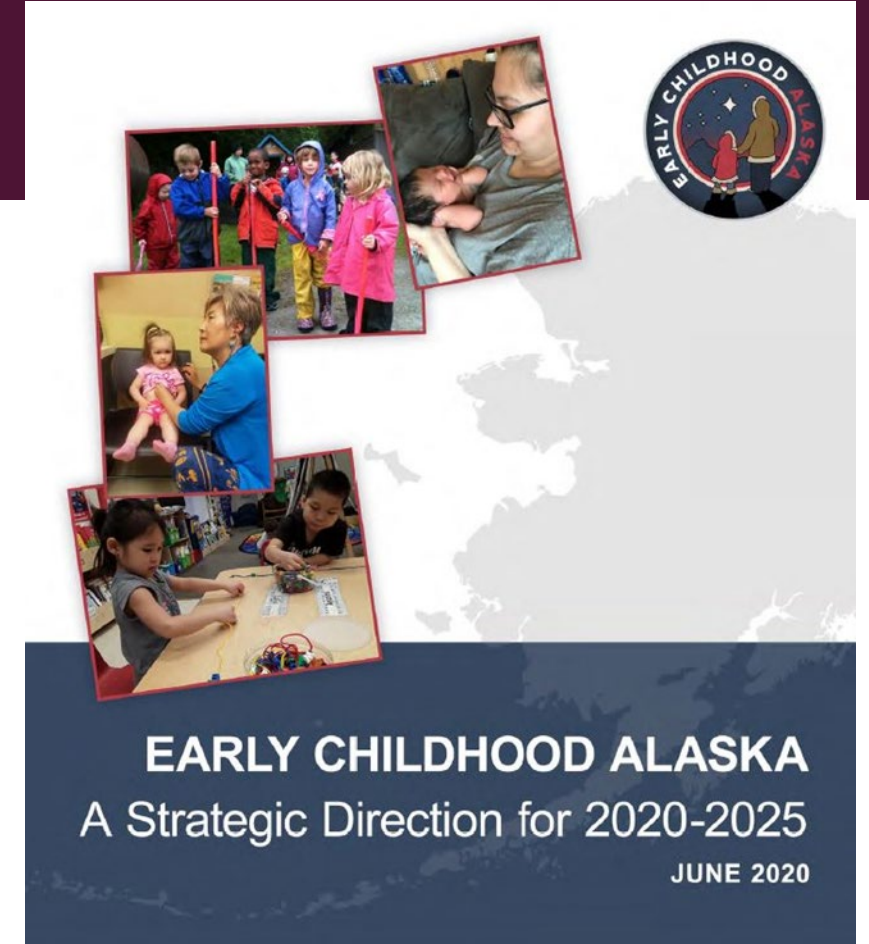
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Kodiak
Kotzebue
Kwethluk
Manley Hot Springs

Mat-Su
McGrath
Meadow Lakes
Metlakatla
Minto
Mountain Village
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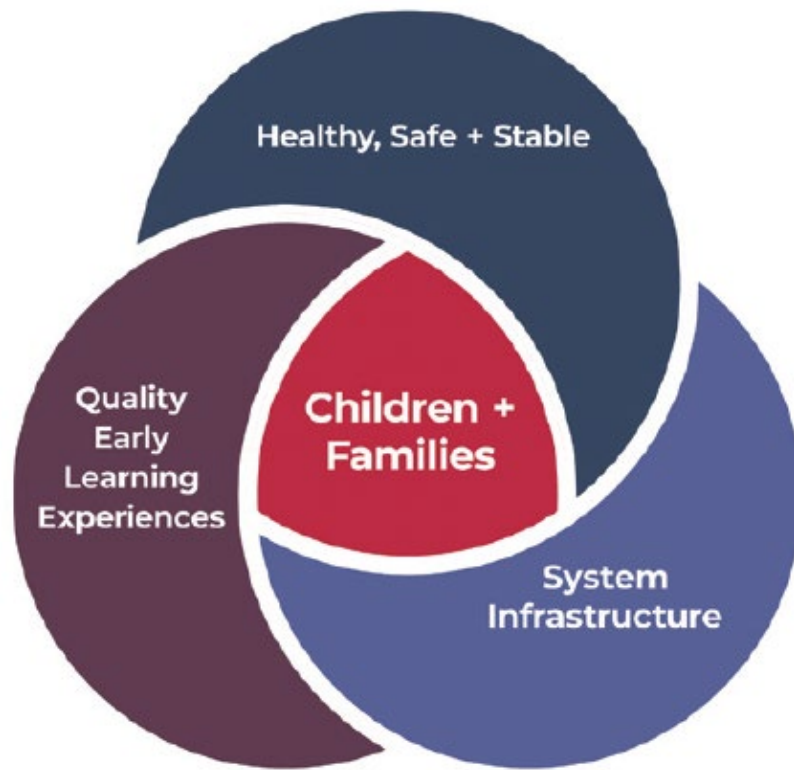
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Wasilla
Whittier
Willow
Wrangell

STRATEGIC DIRECTION- OVERVIEW

- **NORTH STAR TEN-YEAR VISION**
Alaska's children and families thrive in a strong and equitable early childhood system.
- Plan approved by federal funders
- Plan adopted by Alaska Early Childhood Coordinating Council



STRATEGIC PLAN- OVERVIEW



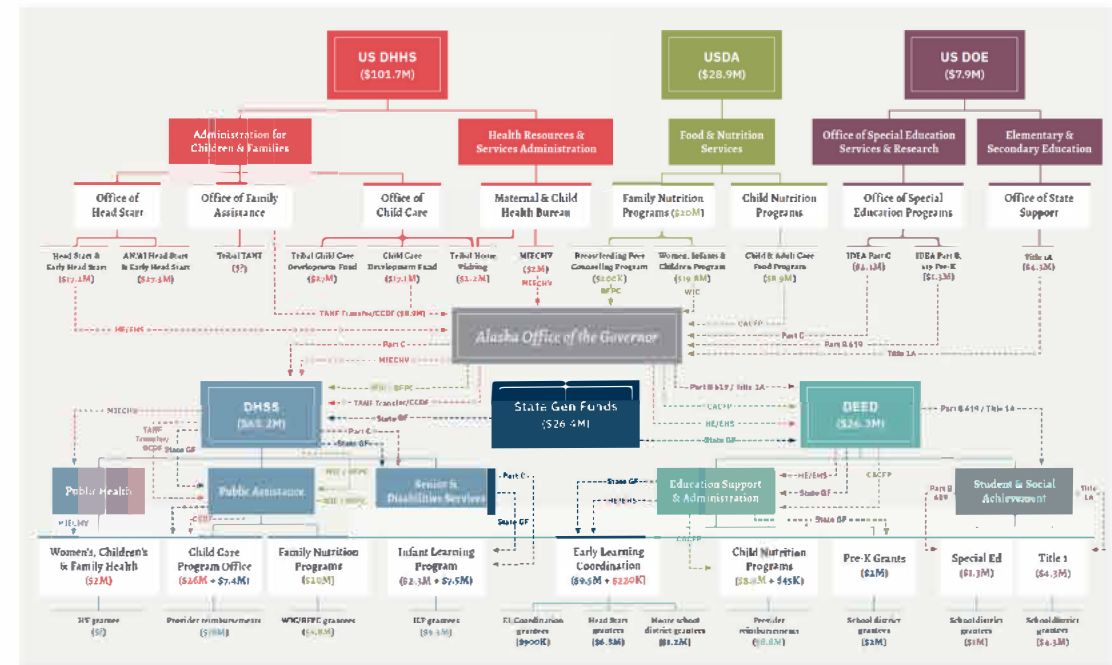
Plan Framework

- GOAL 1 Alaska children and families are healthy, safe, and stable.
- GOAL 2 Alaska children have quality early learning experiences and are prepared for success in school.
- **GOAL 3 Alaska children and families are supported by a functional, comprehensive, mixed-delivery early childhood system.**

Strategic Plan Goal 3:

"Alaska Children and Families are supported by a Functional, Comprehensive, Mixed-Delivery Early Childhood System"

EARLY CHILDHOOD FUNDING ANALYSIS



Task: Create an improved, sustainable and accountable governance approach with decision-making authority



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