



arctic slope  
regional corporation

# STRENGTHENING ALASKA'S ECONOMY

# THE ROAD TO ANCSA



**TREATY OF CESSION**  
Transferred possession of Alaska from Russia.

1867



**ARCTIC SLOPE NATIVE ASSOCIATION FORMS**  
ASNA is formed to protect the ancestral homelands of the North Slope Iñupiat.

1965



**LAND FREEZE**  
US Department of Interior Secretary Stuart Udall halts any further land conveyances within Alaska.

DECEMBER 1966



**ADVOCATING FOR THE NORTH SLOPE**  
ASNA was steadfast in its opposition to the various drafts of a land claims bill, and lobbied President Nixon to veto the Act before he signed it into law.

1968-1971



**ARCTIC SLOPE REGIONAL CORPORATION IS FORMED**  
ASRC's articles of incorporation are signed.

JUNE 22, 1972

10,000 YEARS AGO

**THE HISTORY OF THE NORTH SLOPE IÑUPIAT BEGAN IN TIKIGAQ**



1959

**ALASKA BECOMES THE 49TH STATE**  
The Territory of Alaska is admitted into the United States.



JANUARY 1966

**LAND CLAIMS LAWSUIT**  
ASNA files a lawsuit against the US Department of Interior claiming 58 million acres of land in our region.



MARCH 1968

**OIL DISCOVERY AT PRUDHOE BAY**  
Commercial quantities of oil were discovered on the North Slope.



DECEMBER 18, 1971

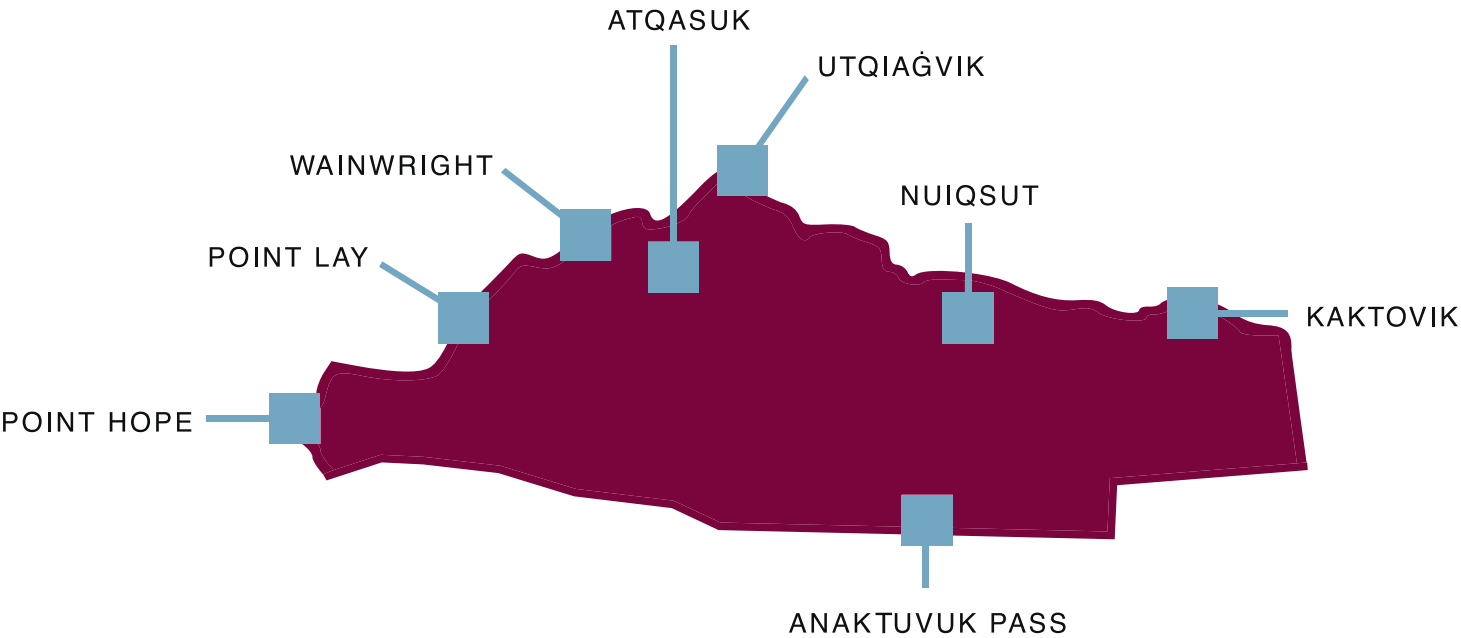
**ANCSA BECOMES LAW**  
Despite ASNA's opposition, President Nixon signed the land claims bill into law.





# ANCSA AND ASRC

ANCSA extinguished aboriginal land title, created 12 Alaska Native land-based regional corporations and over 200 Alaska Native land-based village corporations, it conveyed Alaska Native corporations 44 million acres of fee-simple land and nearly \$1 billion as compensation for the loss of the rest of their ancestral lands. ANCSA also directed people with an Alaska Native blood quantum of 25% or more and born on or before December 18, 1971, to enroll as shareholders in their respective regional and village corporations.



The North Slope Iñupiat, through ASNA, was the only region to oppose the passage of ANCSA.



ASRC was conveyed roughly 5 million acres of land under the terms of ANCSA.



ASRC was compensated approximately \$22 million for the 53 million acres of lands lost in our region under the terms of ANCSA.



Upon incorporation, ASRC enrolled nearly 3,800 original shareholders. In 1989, ASRC was the first Alaska Native corporation to open enrollment to descendants of original shareholders.



Today, ASRC is owned by and represents the business interests of its more than 14,000 Iñupiaq shareholders.

# OUR MISSION

ASRC's mission is to actively manage our business, our lands and resources, our investments and our relationships to enhance Iñupiaq cultural and economic freedom—with continuity, responsibility, and integrity.

Since our founding in 1972, ASRC has diversified our operations and grown from three small businesses in Utqiagvik to five core business segments with a presence in all 50 states.

## ALASKA-BASED BUSINESSES



Eskimos. inc.



## LOWER 48-BASED BUSINESSES





## ASRC ENERGY SERVICES, LLC

2,400+ EMPLOYEES IN 2024

ASRC Energy offers innovative solutions to Alaska's energy industry – from service on the North Slope to projects that expand the energy infrastructure across the state.

[asrcenergy.com](https://asrcenergy.com)



ASRC Energy provides innovative technology-based services across the energy industry including traditional oil and gas as well as utilities and alternative energy, prioritizing safety, customer satisfaction, and increasing the longevity of the industry.



ASRC Energy's expertise includes engineering, environmental consulting, remediation, professional staffing, construction, drilling, project management, operations and maintenance, comprehensive well support services, and fleet services.

### PROJECT OR OPERATIONS LOCATIONS:

ANAKTUVUK PASS	FAIRBANKS	NORTH SLOPE FIELDS	SPARREVOHN
ANCHORAGE	GLENNALLEN	(KUPARUK, ALPINE, ETC.)	AIR FORCE STATION
ATQASUK	HEALY	NUIQSUT	STERLING
BETHEL	HOUSTON	OLIKTOK POINT	STEBBINS
BELUGA	JOINT BASE	PALMER	UNALAKLEET
BIG LAKE	ELMENDORF- RICHARDSON	POINT HOPE	UTQIAĠVIK
CAPE HALKETT	KALIFORNISKY	POINT LAY	VALDEZ
CHICKALOON	KENAI	PRUDHOE BAY	WAINWRIGHT
COPPER CENTER	KETCHIKAN	SEWARD	WASILLA
DEADHORSE	NIKISKI	SOLDOTNA	WILLOW
DELTA JUNCTION	NORTH POLE		
EUREKA			





**PETRO STAR INC.**  
**270+ EMPLOYEES IN 2024**

Petro Star is the only Alaskan-owned refining and fuel marketing company in the state. It operates two refineries adjacent to the Trans-Alaska Pipeline in North Pole and Valdez.

***petrostar.com***



Petro Star's products support some of Alaska's largest industries by supplying: (1) Jet fuel to civilian and U.S. military customers; (2) Diesel fuel for natural resource extraction, highway transport, and support of fisheries in Dutch Harbor, Kodiak & Valdez; (3) Fuel for the generation of electricity in the Interior and Valdez; (4) Home heating fuel.



Petro Star's Asphalt Unit at its North Pole Refinery brings value to clients with Interior project sites, including the State of Alaska, by providing a locally produced product and removing costs associated with transportation and handling.

**PROJECT OR OPERATIONS LOCATIONS:**

ANCHORAGE

KODIAK

DUTCH HARBOR

NORTH POLE

FAIRBANKS

VALDEZ

**In addition:** A significant number of Ultra Lower Sulfur Diesel produced in Valdez is transported to the North Slope for use.



**ASRC Construction**

**ASRC CONSTRUCTION  
HOLDING COMPANY, LLC**  
**300+ EMPLOYEES IN 2024**

ASRC Construction caters to both government and commercial sectors, offering a broad range of services that fall into three main categories: buildings, civil, and infrastructure. It also has a dedicated division for building material sales.

***asrcconstruction.com***



In the last 25 years, ASRC Construction has successfully delivered more than \$3 billion in new construction and renovation projects.



ASRC Construction's diversified client portfolio brings value to both the public and private sectors. In 2024, the company successfully completed a complex bridge reconstruction project at Eielson Airforce Base.

**PROJECT OR OPERATIONS LOCATIONS:**

ANAKTUVUK PASS	JOINT BASE	SELAWIK
ANIAK	ELMENDORF-RICHARDSON	SHEMYA ISLAND
ANCHORAGE	KETCHIKAN	SITKA
BETHEL	MERTARVIK	TRAPPER CREEK
CLEAR SPACE FORCE STATION	NAPAKIAK	UNALAKLEET
EAGLE RIVER	NEW STUYAHOK	UTQIAĠVIK
EIELSON AIR FORCE BASE	NORTH POLE	WAINWRIGHT
EKWOK	OLIKTOK LONG RANGE RADAR SITE	WALES
FORT GREELY	POINT HOPE	WASILLA
FORT WAINWRIGHT	PRUDHOE BAY	

# Eskimos, Inc.



## **NORTH SLOPE OPERATIONS** **80+ EMPLOYEES IN 2024**

ASRC's North Slope Operations include three businesses focused on economic development on the North Slope: Eskimos, Inc., Tundra Tours, Inc., and the Top of the World Hotel.

***eskimosinc.com & tundratoursinc.com***



Eskimos, Inc. distributes fuel and automotive parts to locations across the North Slope and operates a gas station, automotive parts and powersports retail stores, as well as a light duty maintenance shop in Utqiagvik.



Tundra Tours, Inc. owns and operates the Top of the World Hotel and offers tours in and around Utqiagvik.

### **PROJECT OR OPERATIONS LOCATIONS:**

ANAKTUVUK PASS  
ATQASUK  
NUIQSUT  
KAKTOVIK  
POINT LAY

POINT HOPE  
PRUDHOE BAY  
UTQIAGVIK  
WAINWRIGHT



# ASRC AND ITS OPERATING COMPANIES STRENGTHENING ALASKA'S ECONOMY

IN 2024:

**\$500+ MILLION**

in wages paid to ASRC's Alaska employees

**\$188.3 MILLION**

distributed to ASRC's more than 14,000 Iñupiaq shareholders

**\$1.8+ BILLION**

distributed to Alaska Native communities across the state  
through ANCSA 7(i) and 7(j) sharing since 2000

**\$1.8+ BILLION**

directly distributed to our Iñupiaq shareholders as dividends since  
incorporation in 1972

**\$100 MILLION**

in charitable contributions since 2001

# Quyanaqpak & Taikuu



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