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1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE COMMUNITY AND
REGIONAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 93 (C&RA)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act establishing six recreation rivers; and, pro-
7 viding for an effective date."

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

9 * Section 1. FINDINGS AND INTENT. The legislature finds that the
10 special values and uses of certain river corridors in Southcentral Alaska
11 justify their retention for public use. The river corridors can support
12 many public uses, including some that will enhance the local economy as
13 well as improve access to retained public land. The designation of these
14 corridors as recreation rivers recognizes the value of the described land
15 and is not intended to become an undue impediment to the use and enjoyment
16 of adjacent land or to the development of access within, across, and around
17 the rivers. The legislature is particularly concerned that an owner of
18 private property be assured customary and reasonable access to an
19 inholding. Any regulation of boating under the existing authority of the
20 commissioner should occur under the management plan, with full involvement
21 of interested users and in an accessible public process.

22 * Sec. 2. AS 41.23 is amended by adding new sections to read:

23 ARTICLE 3. RECREATION RIVERS.

24 Sec. 41.23.200. PURPOSES. The purpose of AS 41.23.200 - 41.23.-
25 300 is to establish as recreation rivers the land and water now owned
26 by the state and the land and water acquired in the future by the
27 state that lies within the boundaries described in AS 41.23.300(b).
28 The primary purposes for the establishment of the recreation rivers
29 are

1 (1) the management, protection, and maintenance of the fish
2 and wildlife populations and habitat on a sustained-yield basis;

3 (2) conservation of the scenic and natural integrity of the
4 recreation river corridor and continued recreational and economic use
5 and enjoyment by the public including hunting, fishing, trapping,
6 camping, boating, hiking, snowmachining, skiing, dog mushing, and
7 wildlife viewing;

8 (3) management of upland activities within the recreation
9 river corridor for the protection and maintenance of water quality and
10 stream flow; and

11 (4) accommodation of access for recreation, tourism, and
12 other compatible recreation-oriented economic uses of the river corri-
13 dor.

14 Sec. 41.23.210. COMPATIBLE ACTIVITIES. (a) The commissioner
15 shall allow the following activities within a recreation river corri-
16 dor when they are compatible with AS 41.23.200 and consistent with a
17 management plan adopted under AS 41.23.240:

18 (1) the use of aircraft, powerboats, snowmachines, all-
19 terrain vehicles, and other motorized transportation;

20 (2) the harvest of wood products;

21 (3) sand and gravel extraction for public use; and

22 (4) the construction and operation of recreational facil-
23 ities.

24 (b) In addition to the activities identified in (a) of this
25 section, the commissioner may allow other activities within a recre-
26 ation river corridor when they are compatible with AS 41.23.200 and
27 consistent with a management plan adopted under AS 41.23.240.

28 (c) The commissioner shall allow the continuation of commercial
29 or private activities occurring on the effective date of this Act

1 under a valid permit for use of state-owned land within the boundaries
2 of a recreation river corridor so long as the commissioner determines
3 that the activity is compatible with AS 41.23.200. When considering
4 the revocation or nonrenewal of an existing permit, the commissioner
5 shall make available for public comment, on request, a preliminary
6 finding and, if appropriate, may hold a public hearing in the commu-
7 nities near the recreation river corridor before determining whether
8 the activity is compatible with AS 41.23.200.

9 Sec. 41.23.220. GENERAL MANAGEMENT OF RECREATION RIVER CORRI-
10 DORS. (a) The state-owned land and water within the area established
11 as a recreation river corridor under AS 41.23.300(b) is assigned to
12 the commissioner for management consistent with the purposes of
13 AS 41.23.200 - 41.23.300.

14 (b) The commissioner shall reserve to the state under AS 46.15.-
15 145 an instream flow or level for the water in the rivers described in
16 AS 41.23.300(b) that is adequate to achieve the purposes of AS 41.23.-
17 200.

18 (c) The provisions of AS 41.23.200 - 41.23.300 do not affect the
19 authority of

20 (1) the Department of Fish and Game, the Board of Fisher-
21 ies, the Board of Game, or the Guide Licensing and Control Board under
22 AS 08.54, AS 16, or AS 41.99.010;

23 (2) the Department of Environmental Conservation under
24 AS 46.03; or

25 (3) state agencies and municipalities under AS 44.19.145-
26 (a)(11) and AS 46.40.100.

27 (d) The commissioner may not restrict the use of weapons, in-
28 cluding firearms, within a recreation river corridor except in sites
29 of high public use such as picnic areas, boat ramps, camping grounds,

1 and parking areas when the commissioner determines that the use of
2 weapons constitutes a threat to public safety. Except as provided in
3 this subsection, the commissioner may not restrict fishing, hunting,
4 or trapping within a recreation river corridor.

5 (e) The commissioner may not regulate under AS 41.23.200 -
6 41.23.300 an activity that occurs on a river that has not been desig-
7 nated as a recreational river under AS 41.23.300(b). Where the water
8 of a river that has been designated under AS 41.23.300(b) flows into
9 the water of a larger river that has not been designated under AS 41.-
10 23.300(b), the authority of the commissioner under AS 41.23.200 -
11 41.23.300 ceases where the water joins the larger river and the com-
12 missioner may not regulate activities on the larger undesignated river
13 under AS 41.23.200 - 41.23.300.

14 Sec. 41.23.230. ADVISORY BOARD. (a) An eleven-member Recre-
15 ation Rivers Advisory Board is established and shall be appointed by
16 the governor. Board members serve without compensation but are enti-
17 tled to per diem and travel expenses authorized by law for boards and
18 commissions under AS 39.20.180. The governor shall appoint members
19 representing the following user groups:

- 20 (1) commercial fishing;
- 21 (2) sport fishing;
- 22 (3) sport hunting;
- 23 (4) conservation;
- 24 (5) resource development;
- 25 (6) powerboat users;
- 26 (7) recreationally-oriented commercial users; and
- 27 (8) other recreational users.

28 (b) The commissioner shall consult with the advisory board in
29 preparing, adopting, and revising the recreation river management plan

1 and regulations affecting use and management of the recreation rivers.

2 Sec. 41.23.240. MANAGEMENT PLAN. (a) The commissioner, in
3 consultation with representatives of affected municipalities, shall
4 prepare and adopt a management plan for each recreation river corri-
5 dor. In preparing the plan, the commissioner and each affected munic-
6 ipality shall consult with the public, the advisory board established
7 under AS 41.23.230, and state agencies, including the commissioner of
8 fish and game. In preparation of the plan, the commissioner shall
9 comply with the notice requirements of AS 38.05.945 and provide
10 written notice by first-class mail to private property owners in the
11 recreation river corridors and shall hold at least two public hearings
12 in municipalities and communities near the recreation river corridor.
13 The management plan shall establish long-range guidelines and manage-
14 ment practices consistent with AS 41.23.200 to

15 (1) protect, maintain, or enhance the fish and wildlife
16 habitat and the free-flowing nature of the river;

17 (2) identify special recreational values and manage the
18 level of intensity and types of recreational uses;

19 (3) designate compatible land uses and management guide-
20 lines for associated development;

21 (4) manage commercial activities or development, including
22 recreational services such as guiding;

23 (5) provide for necessary public services, such as trans-
24 portation and utility corridors, public safety, and law enforcement;

25 (6) allow reasonable and necessary access to public land
26 and private inholdings, including municipal land that is offered for
27 sale or lease, and to land beyond the recreation river corridor;

28 (7) establish criteria and timelines to review future
29 proposed uses for compatibility with AS 41.23.200;

1 (8) establish guidelines and setback restrictions for an
2 activity occurring under AS 41.23.210, including mining leasing and
3 oil and gas leasing under AS 41.23.270(b) - (d).

4 (b) The commissioner shall adopt regulations necessary to imple-
5 ment the management plan. The commissioner may not adopt regulations
6 before a management plan is adopted.

7 (c) A management plan adopted by the commissioner under (a) of
8 this section shall be submitted to the legislature for review within
9 the first 10 days of the first regular session of the legislature to
10 convene after its adoption by the commissioner.

11 Sec. 41.23.250. MANAGEMENT OF MUNICIPAL LAND. If a municipality
12 commits land for inclusion in a recreation river corridor established
13 under AS 41.23.300(b), the commissioner shall obtain the concurrence
14 of the municipality to the management plan proposed under AS 41.23.240
15 as it applies to municipal land. The commissioner shall cooperate, at
16 the request of a municipality, in planning for municipal land adjacent
17 to a recreation river corridor.

18 Sec. 41.23.260. ACQUISITION OF ADDITIONAL LAND. (a) The com-
19 missioner may acquire in the name of the state land that is adjacent
20 to or located within the land described in AS 41.23.300(b) by pur-
21 chase, lease, gift, or exchange for inclusion within a recreation
22 river corridor.

23 (b) The commissioner may not acquire land for inclusion in a
24 recreation river corridor by eminent domain.

25 Sec. 41.23.270. APPLICATION OF PUBLIC LAND LAWS. (a) Except to
26 the extent that a provision is inconsistent with a provision of
27 AS 41.23.200 - 41.23.300, the provisions of AS 38.04, AS 38.05,
28 AS 38.35, and AS 38.95 apply to land described in AS 41.23.300(b).

29 (b) Except for land within the Talkeetna State Recreation River

1 north and east of Iron Creek, the state-owned land and water within a
2 recreation river corridor described in AS 41.23.300(b) is closed to
3 mineral entry by location under AS 38.05.195 and to disposal of leas-
4 able minerals under AS 38.05.150 - 38.05.175.

5 (c) Except on state-owned land below ordinary high-water or mean
6 high tide, the commissioner may, upon a mineral discovery validated by
7 the commissioner, permit mining leasing under AS 38.05.205 in an area
8 within a recreation river corridor if leasing is allowed under a
9 management plan that has been adopted by the commissioner. The com-
10 missioner shall establish appropriate conditions for permits, operat-
11 ing plans, and leases to protect the environment and prevent degrada-
12 tion of the recreational uses of the river.

13 (d) The state-owned land and water within a recreation river
14 corridor is available for oil and gas leasing subject to conditions in
15 an adopted management plan.

16 (e) To enhance public use and enjoyment of a recreation river
17 corridor under a management plan adopted under AS 41.23.240, the
18 commissioner may provide for the construction and operation of commer-
19 cial facilities such as lodges, campgrounds, and boat launches by

20 (1) leasing land including competitive leasing to a pre-
21 qualified bidder under AS 38.05.070; and

22 (2) contracting for the construction and operation of a
23 facility under AS 36.30.

24 (f) The commissioner of administration shall separately account
25 for funds collected under this section and deposited in the general
26 fund. The annual estimated balance in the account may be appropriated
27 by the legislature to the department to carry out the purposes of this
28 chapter.

29 Sec. 41.23.280. COOPERATIVE MANAGEMENT AGREEMENTS. (a) The

1 commissioner may enter into a cooperative management agreement for the
2 management of land and water described in AS 41.23.300(b) or of other
3 adjacent land and water with a federal agency, a municipality of the
4 state, another agency of the state, or a private landowner.

5 (b) The commissioner may transfer the management of a specific
6 site within a recreation river corridor described in AS 41.23.300(b)
7 to a state agency to assist in the development of a facility or to
8 carry out a program authorized by law.

9 (c) The commissioner may not manage a recreation river corridor
10 described in AS 41.23.300(b) as a unit of the state park system. The
11 commissioner may assign management of a recreation facility or site
12 such as a campground or a boat launch to the division of parks and may
13 adopt regulations allowing the division of parks to manage recreation
14 activities in a recreation river corridor.

15 Sec. 41.23.290. ESTABLISHMENT OF RECREATION RIVER CORRIDORS.
16 State-owned land and water may be established as a recreation river
17 corridor only by the legislature.

18 Sec. 41.23.300. DESIGNATED RIVERS. (a) Subject to valid exist-
19 ing rights, the state-owned land and water within one-half mile of
20 either ordinary high water or mean high tide on a recreation river
21 designated in (b) of this section that is established as a recreation
22 river corridor under (b) of this section is reserved as a special
23 purpose area under art. VIII, sec. 7, Constitution of the State of
24 Alaska and shall be retained by the state.

25 (b) The general grant land, acquired land, and the water pres-
26 ently owned by the state and all land and water acquired by the state
27 in the future, including shore and submerged land and land redesi-
28 gnated after the effective date of this Act as general grant land, that
29 lie within the following described parcels are established as

1 recreation rivers and shall be managed under AS 41.23.200 - 41.23.300:

2 (1) Alexander Creek State Recreation River

3 (A) Township 16 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian

4 Sections 6 - 7

5 Sections 18 - 19

6 (B) Township 17 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian

7 Section 6: Otter Lake, Weenie Lake, and that
8 portion of the SW1/4 in Tract B, ASLS 81-77

9 Section 7: Otter Lake and Tracts F-2 and F-3 of
10 ASLS 79-147

11 Section 18: S1/2, W1/2NW1/4

12 Section 19

13 Sections 30 - 31

14 Section 32: W1/2

15 (C) Township 17 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian

16 Section 1

17 Section 2: E1/2, N1/2NW1/4

18 Section 3: N1/2N1/2

19 Section 4: N1/2, N1/2SE1/4

20 Section 11: NE1/4, E1/2SE1/4

21 Section 12

22 Section 13: E1/2, E1/2NW1/4

23 Section 24: NE1/4, E1/2SE1/4

24 (D) Township 18 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian

25 Section 4: W1/2

26 Section 5

27 Section 6: NE1/4

28 Section 8: N1/2, SE1/4

29 Section 9

- 1 Section 10: SW1/4
- 2 Section 14: W1/2SW1/4, SE1/4SW1/4
- 3 Section 15: W1/2, SE1/4, S1/2NE1/4
- 4 Section 16: N1/2, SE1/4
- 5 Section 22: N1/2, N1/2S1/2, S1/2SE1/4
- 6 Section 23: W1/2, W1/2SE1/4
- 7 Section 26: W1/2, W1/2E1/2, E1/2SE1/4
- 8 Section 27: E1/2NE1/4
- 9 Section 33: SW1/4, S1/2SE1/4
- 10 Section 34: S1/2S1/2
- 11 Section 35
- 12 Section 36: W1/2
- 13 (E) Township 19 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 14 Section 19: W1/2, W1/2E1/2
- 15 Section 29: W1/2W1/2
- 16 Section 30
- 17 Section 31: E1/2, E1/2W1/2
- 18 Section 32
- 19 (F) Township 19 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
- 20 Sections 3 - 4
- 21 Sections 9 - 10
- 22 Section 13: S1/2
- 23 Section 14: S1/2
- 24 Sections 15 - 16
- 25 Section 22: N1/2
- 26 Section 23: N1/2
- 27 Section 24
- 28 (2) Kroto Creek and Moose Creek State Recreation River
- 29 (A) Township 19 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian

1 Section 2: SW1/4
 2 Section 3
 3 Section 10: E1/2
 4 Section 11
 5 Section 14
 6 Section 15: E1/2E1/2
 7 Section 22: E1/2E1/2
 8 Section 23
 9 Section 25: that portion west of the eastern-
 10 most bank of the Susitna River
 11 Section 26
 12 Section 27: E1/2E1/2
 13 Section 34: NE1/4NE1/4
 14 Section 35
 15 Section 36: that portion west of the eastern-
 16 most bank of the Susitna River
 17 (B) Township 20 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
 18 Section 4
 19 Section 5: E1/2
 20 Section 8: NE1/4, E1/2SE1/4
 21 Section 9
 22 Section 15: W1/2
 23 Section 16
 24 Section 21: E1/2, N1/2NW1/4, SE1/4NW1/4
 25 Section 22: NW1/4, S1/2
 26 Section 27
 27 Section 34
 28 (C) Township 21 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
 29 Section 3

1 Section 9: E1/2SE1/4, SE1/4NE1/4
2 Section 10
3 Section 15: W1/2, W1/2NE1/4
4 Section 16
5 Section 20: E1/2
6 Section 21
7 Section 28
8 Section 29: E1/2
9 Section 32: E1/2E1/2, NW1/4NE1/4
10 Section 33
11 Section 34: SW1/4

12 (D) Township 22 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian

13 Sections 4 - 5
14 Section 6: E1/2, E1/2W1/2
15 Sections 7 - 9
16 Sections 16 - 18
17 Sections 20 - 21
18 Section 27
19 Section 28: N1/2, SE1/4, E1/2SW1/4
20 Section 29: E1/2NE1/4
21 Section 33: N1/2NE1/4, SE1/4NE1/4
22 Section 34

23 (E) Township 23 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian

24 Section 4
25 Section 7: W1/2
26 Section 9
27 Section 16
28 Section 17: SW1/4SW1/4
29 Sections 18 - 19

1 Section 20: W1/2NW1/4
 2 Section 21
 3 Section 28
 4 Sections 30 - 31
 5 Section 32: S1/2
 6 Section 33
 7 (F) Township 23 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
 8 Section 1
 9 Section 2: E1/2
 10 Sections 12 - 13
 11 Section 24
 12 Section 25: N1/2, SE1/4
 13 Section 36: N1/2NE1/4
 14 (G) Township 24 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
 15 Section 4: W1/2
 16 Section 5
 17 Section 6: NE1/4, E1/2SE1/4
 18 Section 8: N1/2, SE1/4, E1/2SW1/4
 19 Section 9
 20 Section 15: SW1/4, SW1/4NW1/4
 21 Section 16
 22 Section 17: NE1/4, N1/2SE1/4
 23 Section 21: E1/2, SE1/4SW1/4
 24 Section 22: NW1/4, N1/2SW1/4, SW1/4SW1/4
 25 Section 28: E1/2W1/2, E1/2
 26 Section 33
 27 (H) Township 24 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
 28 Section 6: S1/2, NW1/4
 29 Section 7

1 Section 8: S1/2SW1/4
2 Section 16: W1/2, W1/2E1/2
3 Section 17
4 Section 18: N1/2N1/2, SE1/4NW1/4, S1/2NE1/4,
5 N1/2SE1/4, SE1/4SE1/4
6 Section 19: NE1/4NE1/4
7 Section 20: N1/2
8 Section 21: W1/2, SE1/4, W1/2NE1/4
9 Section 27
10 Section 28: E1/2
11 Section 33: NE1/4NE1/4
12 Section 34: E1/2, E1/2W1/2, NW1/4NW1/4
13 Section 35: W1/2, SE1/4, S1/2NE1/4
14 Section 36: SW1/4
15 (I) Township 24 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
16 Section 1: E1/2
17 Section 12: NE1/4, E1/2SE1/4
18 Section 13: NE1/4NE1/4
19 (J) Township 25 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
20 Section 5
21 Section 8
22 Section 17
23 Section 18: SE1/4
24 Section 19: E1/2, E1/2W1/2
25 Section 20: W1/2W1/2
26 Section 29: W1/2W1/2
27 Section 30: E1/2, E1/2W1/2
28 Section 31: E1/2
29 Section 32: W1/2W1/2, SE1/4SW1/4

- 1 (K) Township 25 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
- 2 Section 5
- 3 Section 6: SE1/4, S1/2NE1/4
- 4 Section 7: E1/2, SW1/4, E1/2NW1/4
- 5 Section 8: NW1/4, W1/2SW1/4
- 6 Sections 18 - 19
- 7 Sections 30 - 31
- 8 (L) Township 25 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
- 9 Section 13: E1/2SE1/4
- 10 Section 24: E1/2NE1/4
- 11 (M) Township 26 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
- 12 Section 5
- 13 Section 8
- 14 Section 17: N1/2, SE1/4, N1/2SW1/4, SE1/4SW1/4
- 15 Section 19: SE1/4
- 16 Section 20: E1/2, SW1/4, S1/2NW1/4, NE1/4NW1/4
- 17 Section 29: E1/2, NW1/4
- 18 Section 30: S1/2, NE1/4, SE1/4NW1/4
- 19 Section 31: E1/2NE1/4, that portion of NW1/4-
- 20 NE1/4 within retained easement (50' each side
- 21 of MHWM)
- 22 Section 32: land within 150' of MHWM
- 23 (N) Township 26 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
- 24 Section 4: W1/2
- 25 Section 5: E1/2, S1/2SW1/4
- 26 Section 7: SE1/4
- 27 Section 8
- 28 Section 9: NW1/4, N1/2SW1/4
- 29 Section 17

1 Section 18: E1/2
 2 Section 19
 3 Section 20: W1/2
 4 Section 29: S1/2, NW1/4
 5 Section 30
 6 Section 31: NE1/4
 7 Section 32
 8 (O) Township 27 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
 9 Section 4
 10 Section 5: E1/2
 11 Section 8: E1/2
 12 Section 9
 13 Section 16
 14 Section 17: E1/2
 15 Section 20: E1/2
 16 Section 21
 17 Section 28: W1/2
 18 Section 29: E1/2
 19 Section 32: E1/2
 20 Section 33: W1/2
 21 (P) Township 27 North, Range 7 West, Seward Meridian
 22 Section 7
 23 Section 8: S1/2, NW1/4
 24 Section 9: W1/2
 25 Section 16
 26 Section 17: N1/2, SE1/4
 27 Section 20: E1/2
 28 Section 21
 29 Section 28: N1/2, SW1/4

1 Section 29: E1/2
 2 Section 32: E1/2
 3 Section 33: W1/2
 4 (Q) Township 27 North, Range 8 West, Seward Meridian
 5 Section 12: NE1/4
 6 (R) Township 28 North, Range 6 West, Seward Meridian
 7 Section 32: S1/2SE1/4
 8 Section 33: S1/2S1/2
 9 (3) Lake Creek State Recreation River
 10 (A) Township 21 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
 11 Section 3
 12 Section 4: Excluding Tracts A, B, C and D
 13 Section 9: N1/2 Excluding Tracts A and B
 14 Section 10
 15 Section 15
 16 (B) Township 22 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
 17 Section 4: NW1/4, S1/2
 18 Section 5: N1/2, E1/2SE1/4
 19 Section 9: N1/2, SE1/4, E1/2SW1/4
 20 Section 10: W1/2SW1/4, SW1/4NW1/4
 21 Section 15: W1/2
 22 Section 16: E1/2, E1/2W1/2
 23 Section 21: E1/2
 24 Section 22: W1/2
 25 Section 27: W1/2, W1/2SE1/4
 26 Section 28: E1/2
 27 Section 34
 28 (C) Township 23 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
 29 Section 3: W1/2W1/2

1 Section 4
 2 Section 5: E1/2, E1/2SW1/4
 3 Section 7: SE1/4, SE1/4NE1/4, E1/2SW1/4
 4 Section 8: S1/2, NE1/4, S1/2NW1/4, NE1/4NW1/4
 5 Section 9: N1/2NW1/4, SW1/4NW1/4, NW1/4SW1/4
 6 Section 17: W1/2, W1/2E1/2
 7 Section 18: E1/2
 8 Section 19: N1/2, SE1/4, E1/2SW1/4
 9 Section 20: W1/2, SE1/4, S1/2NE1/4, NW1/4NE1/4
 10 Section 29
 11 Section 30: NE1/4, E1/2NW1/4, NE1/4SW1/4, SE1/4
 12 Section 32
 13 Section 33: S1/2SW1/4, NW1/4SW1/4
 14 (D) Township 24 North, Range 9 West, Seward Meridian
 15 Section 28: S1/2SW1/4, SW1/4SE1/4
 16 Section 29: NW1/4, S1/2
 17 Section 30
 18 Section 31: N1/2
 19 Section 32: NW1/4, E1/2
 20 Section 33
 21 Section 34: SW1/4SW1/4
 22 (E) Township 24 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 23 Section 3
 24 Section 4: E1/2
 25 Section 10
 26 Section 11: W1/2, W1/2SE1/4, SW1/4NE1/4
 27 Section 13: W1/2W1/2
 28 Section 14
 29 Section 15: NE1/4

1 Section 23: N1/2, SE1/4
 2 Section 24: W1/2, S1/2SE1/4, NW1/4SE1/4
 3 Section 25
 4 Section 36: NE1/4, E1/2NW1/4
 5 (F) Township 25 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 6 Sections 6 - 7
 7 Section 8: S1/2, NW1/4
 8 Section 16: W1/2
 9 Section 17
 10 Section 18: E1/2
 11 Section 20: SE1/4, N1/2
 12 Section 21
 13 Section 22: W1/2
 14 Section 25: SW1/4
 15 Section 26: S1/2
 16 Section 27
 17 Section 28: E1/2, NW1/4
 18 Sections 34 - 35
 19 Section 36: W1/2
 20 (G) Township 25 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
 21 Section 1: E1/2
 22 (H) Township 26 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian
 23 Section 31
 24 (I) Township 26 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
 25 Sections 3 - 4
 26 Section 9: E1/2
 27 Section 10
 28 Section 14: W1/2
 29 Section 15

Section 22: E1/2, E1/2NW1/4

Section 23

Section 25: S1/2, NW1/4

Section 26

Section 27: NE1/4

Section 35: NE1/4

Section 36

(J) Township 27 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian

Section 6: SW1/4

Section 7

Section 8: SW1/4

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Section 19: N1/2, SE1/4

Section 20

Section 21: SW1/4

Sections 28 - 29

Section 30: NE1/4

Section 32: E1/2

Section 33

Section 34: W1/2

(K) Township 27 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian

Sections 1 - 3

Section 10: N1/2, SE1/4

Sections 11 - 14

Section 15: NE1/4

Section 23: NE1/4

Section 24: N1/2

(L) Township 28 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian

Sections 1 - 5

1 Section 26

2 Section 27: S1/2

3 Section 33: S1/2, S1/2NE1/4

4 Section 34

5 Section 35: NW1/4, W1/2NE1/4

6 (5) Talachulitna State Recreation River

7 (A) Township 16 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian

8 Section 6: W1/2

9 Section 7: NW1/4, N1/2SW1/4

10 (B) Township 16 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian

11 Section 1: E1/2, SW1/4

12 Section 2: S1/2, NW1/4

13 Section 3

14 Section 11: N1/2, N1/2S1/2

15 Section 12: N1/2, N1/2S1/2

16 (C) Township 17 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian

17 Section 6: W1/2, W1/2SE1/4

18 Section 7

19 Sections 18 - 19

20 Sections 30 - 31

21 (D) Township 17 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian

22 Section 1: E1/2E1/2

23 Section 3: W1/2

24 Sections 4 - 5

25 Section 6: S1/2

26 Sections 7 - 8

27 Section 9: N1/2, SE1/4

28 Section 10

29 Section 14: W1/2

1 Section 15
 2 Section 17: NW1/4
 3 Section 18: N1/2, SW1/4
 4 Section 19: NW1/4NW1/4
 5 Section 22
 6 Section 23: W1/2
 7 Section 25: E1/2E1/2
 8 Section 26: W1/2
 9 Section 27
 10 Section 34
 11 Section 35: W1/2
 12 (E) Township 17 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian
 13 Section 7: S1/2
 14 Section 12: S1/2
 15 Section 13
 16 Section 14: S1/2
 17 Section 15: S1/2
 18 Section 16: S1/2
 19 Sections 17 - 18
 20 Section 20: E1/2
 21 Sections 21 - 23
 22 Section 24: N1/2, N1/2S1/2
 23 (F) Township 17 North, Range 13 West, Seward Meridian
 24 Section 9: S1/2
 25 Section 10: S1/2
 26 Section 11: S1/2
 27 Section 12: S1/2
 28 Sections 13 - 16
 29 Section 24: N1/2

1 (G) Township 18 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian

2 Section 18: SW1/4SW1/4

3 Section 19: NW1/4, S1/2NE1/4, E1/2SW1/4, SE1/4

4 Section 20: S1/2, NE1/4

5 Section 21

6 Section 22: W1/2W1/2

7 Section 26: W1/2SW1/4, SW1/4NW1/4

8 Section 27: S1/2, S1/2N1/2

9 Sections 28 - 29

10 Section 30: E1/2, E1/2W1/2

11 Section 31: NE1/4, S1/2NW1/4, NE1/4NW1/4,

12 SW1/4, W1/2SE1/4

13 Section 33: NE1/4NE1/4

14 Section 34: N1/2NW1/4

15 (H) Township 18 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian

16 Section 6: W1/2, W1/2E1/2, E1/2SE1/4

17 Section 7

18 Section 11: E1/2SE1/4

19 Section 12: SW1/4SW1/4

20 Section 13: NW1/4, E1/2SW1/4, SE1/4

21 Section 16: SW1/4

22 Sections 17 - 18

23 Section 19: NE1/4

24 Section 20: N1/2, SE1/4

25 Section 21: W1/2

26 Section 24: E1/2NE1/4

27 Section 28

28 Section 29: E1/2

29 Section 32: E1/2

1 Section 33
2 Section 36: E1/2SE1/4SE1/4SE1/4
3 (I) Township 18 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian
4 Sections 1 - 2
5 Section 12: N1/2, SE1/4
6 (J) Township 19 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian
7 Section 3: N1/2, SW1/4
8 Section 4: E1/2E1/2, W1/2SE1/4, SE1/4SW1/4
9 Section 9: E1/2, SW1/4, E1/2NW1/4, SW1/4NW1/4
10 Section 10: NW1/4
11 Section 15: W1/2SW1/4, SW1/4NW1/4
12 Section 16
13 Section 21
14 Section 22: W1/2W1/2, E1/2SW1/4, SW1/4SE1/4
15 Sections 27 - 28
16 Section 34
17 Section 35: S1/2, NW1/4
18 (K) Township 20 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian
19 Section 18: W1/2
20 Section 19: W1/2
21 (L) Township 20 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian
22 Section 1
23 Section 2: N1/2
24 Section 11: E1/2
25 Sections 12 - 13
26 Section 14: E1/2
27 Sections 23 - 24
28 Section 25: N1/2
29 Section 26

1 Section 27: E1/2

2 Section 34: S1/2, NE1/4, SE1/4NW1/4

3 Section 35: NW1/4

4 (M) Township 21 North, Range 11 West, Seward Meridian

5 Section 31: W1/2

6 (N) Township 21 North, Range 12 West, Seward Meridian

7 Section 25: SW1/4, SW1/4SE1/4

8 Section 26: E1/2SE1/4, SW1/4SE1/4

9 Section 35: E1/2, SW1/4

10 Section 36

11 (6) Talkeetna State Recreation River: the water column of

12 the Talkeetna River from mean high water mark to mean high water mark

13 from the point at which it crosses the line dividing Townships 28 and

14 29 North, Seward Meridian, downstream to its confluence with the

15 Susitna River; the water column of Chunilna Creek from mean high water

16 mark to mean high water mark from the point at which it crosses the

17 line dividing Townships 27 and 28 North, Seward Meridian, downstream

18 to its confluence with the Talkeetna River; and

19 (A) Township 26 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian

20 Sections 1 - 2: north of the left bank of the

21 Sheep River

22 Section 3: all land north of the left bank of

23 the Talkeetna River and Tract B of ASLS 81 -

24 196

25 Section 4: all land north of the left bank of

26 the Talkeetna River and Tract A of ASLS 81 -

27 196

28 Section 5: all land north of the left bank of

29 the Talkeetna River and Tract C of ASLS 80 -

1 94
2 Section 6: all land north of the left bank of
3 the Talkeetna River and Tract A of ASLS
4 80 - 84
5 (B) Township 26 North, Range 4 West, Seward Meridian
6 Sections 1 - 3: exclusive of ASLS 79 - 149
7 Section 4: E1/2, SW1/4 exclusive of ASLS 79 -
8 149
9 Section 7: S1/2
10 Section 8: S1/2 exclusive of ASLS 79 - 149
11 Section 9: E1/2, E1/2W1/2
12 Section 17: that portion north of the left bank
13 of the Talkeetna River
14 Section 18: exclusive of DOT 200642
15 (C) Township 26 North, Range 5 West, Seward Meridian
16 Section 12: E1/2SE1/4
17 Section 13: E1/2, E1/2SW1/4, SW1/4SW1/4
18 Section 23: that portion northeast of the left
19 bank of the Susitna River
20 Section 24: that portion east of the left bank
21 of the Susitna River and west of the right
22 bank of the main channel of the Talkeetna
23 River (that channel of the river that runs
24 diagonally through the NE 1/4 and SW1/4 of
25 Sec. 24)
26 (D) Township 27 North, Range 1 West, Seward Meridian
27 Section 1
28 Section 2: S1/2, NE1/4, S1/2NW1/4
29 Section 3: S1/2, S1/2N1/2

1 Section 4: SE1/4
 2 Sections 7 - 10
 3 Section 11: N1/2
 4 Section 12: NW1/4
 5 Section 15: NW1/4
 6 Section 16: N1/2
 7 Section 17: N1/2
 8 Section 18: N1/2
 9 (E) Township 27 North, Range 2 West, Seward Meridian
 10 Section 2: SW1/4
 11 Section 3: S1/2
 12 Section 4: S1/2
 13 Section 5: SE1/4, E1/2SW1/4
 14 Section 7: SE1/4
 15 Sections 8 - 12
 16 Section 13: N1/2
 17 Section 14: N1/2NE1/4
 18 Section 17
 19 Section 18: E1/2, SW1/4
 20 Section 19
 21 Section 20: N1/2, SW1/4
 22 Section 30: W1/2
 23 (F) Township 27 North, Range 3 West, Seward Meridian
 24 Section 24: E1/2
 25 Section 25
 26 Section 26: SE1/4
 27 Section 31: S1/2
 28 Section 32: S1/2 exclusive of ASLS 79 - 149
 29 Section 33: S1/2S1/2 exclusive of ASLS 79 - 149

- 1 Section 34: S1/2S1/2 exclusive of ASLS 79 - 149
- 2 and ASLS 76 - 138
- 3 Sections 35 - 36
- 4 (G) Township 27 North, Range 4 West, Seward Meridian
- 5 Section 36: S1/2SE1/4 exclusive of ASLS 74 - 77
- 6 and ASLS 74 - 78
- 7 (H) Township 27 North, Range 1 East, Seward Meridian
- 8 Section 5: NW1/4
- 9 Section 6
- 10 (I) Township 28 North, Range 1 West, Seward Meridian
- 11 Section 36: SE1/4SE1/4
- 12 (J) Township 28 North, Range 1 East, Seward Meridian
- 13 Section 2
- 14 Section 3: SE1/4
- 15 Section 9: SE1/4
- 16 Section 10
- 17 Section 11: NW1/4, W1/2NE1/4, W1/2SW1/4
- 18 Section 15: N1/2, SW1/4
- 19 Section 16: E1/2SW1/4
- 20 Section 20: SE1/4
- 21 Section 21
- 22 Section 22: NW1/4
- 23 Section 28: N1/2, SW1/4
- 24 Section 29: E1/2, SW1/4, SE1/4NW1/4
- 25 Section 31: SW1/4, E1/2
- 26 Section 32
- 27 Section 33: NW1/4

ARTICLE 4. GENERAL PROVISIONS.

29 Sec. 41.23.900. DEFINITION. In this chapter, "commissioner"

1 means the commissioner of natural resources.

2 * Sec. 3. Until a management plan has been adopted for a recreation
3 river corridor under AS 41.23.240(a) as enacted in sec. 2 of this Act,
4 interim management shall be consistent with AS 41.23.200. The commissioner
5 of natural resources may not dispose of timber or other resources within a
6 recreational river corridor before the adoption of the management plan for
7 the recreation river corridor except under AS 38.05.115. The commissioner
8 of natural resources shall adopt a management plan for each river by
9 July 1, 1992.

10 * Sec. 4. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).