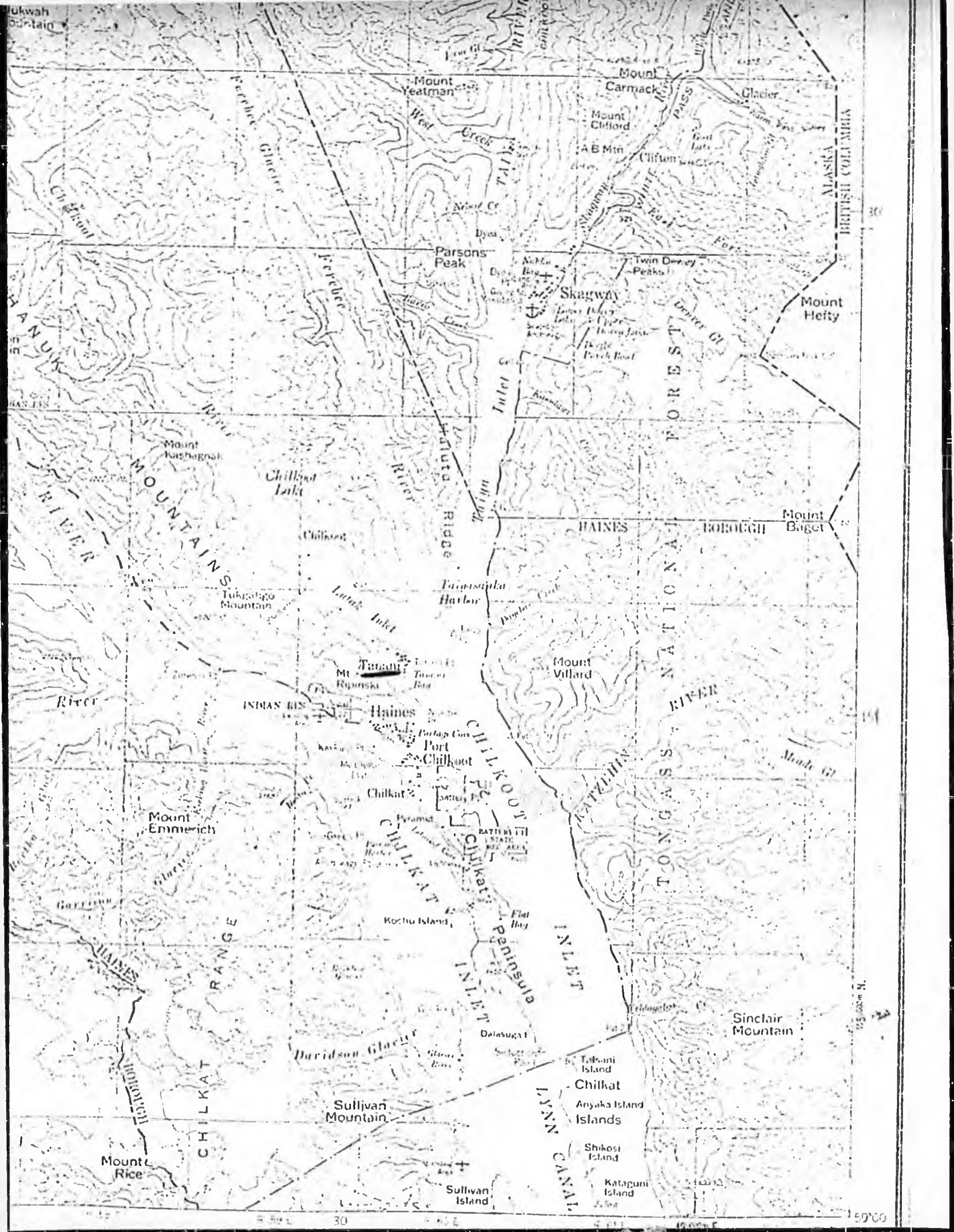


HAINES

BOROUGH



Lukwah Mountain

YANUK RIVER

River

HAINES RANGE

Mount Rice

Mount Kashnegak  
Chilkot Lake  
Chilkot  
Tukolago Mountain

Mount Emmerich

Sullivan Mountain

Mount Yeatman  
West Creek  
Parsons Peak  
Dyea  
Noble Bay  
Skagway  
Twin Dorey Peaks

Chilkot  
Taku  
Haines  
Port Chilkot  
Chilkat  
Chilkat Peninsula

Sullivan Island  
Chilkat Islands  
Anyaka Island  
Shikosi Island  
Kataguni Island

Mount Carmack  
Mount Clifford  
AB Mtn  
Clifton  
Glacier  
Forest  
Mount Hefty

Chilkot Inlet  
Haines Borough  
Mount Baget  
Mount Villard  
Chilkot Inlet  
Peninsula

Sinclair Mountain  
Chilkat  
Anyaka Island  
Shikosi Island  
Kataguni Island

ALASKA  
BRITISH COLUMBIA  
59° 30' N  
59° 00' N  
130° 00' W  
130° 30' W

NOTE ON HAINES BOROUGH SUPPORT FOR BOUNDARY COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION

This afternoon I spoke to Ray Menaker, Haines Borough Mayor, regarding the Local Boundary Commission recommendation in Senate Joint Resolution number 39.

Menaker said that the Haines Borough "very much" supported the recommendation.

According to Menaker, the area proposed for annexation is approximately 80 acres in size and contains a military tank farm. If this land were annexed, it would not affect the status of the tank farm.

Menaker said that the tank farm area is now an island completely surrounded on all sides by the Haines Borough.

The Haines Borough believes that the proposed annexation recommendation is not opposed by any Haines residents nor by the military. It does not plan to send a representative to the legislative hearings.

Ben Harding

2-6-78

STATE OF ALASKA

LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION

Haines Borough Petition for  
Annexation of Petroleum  
Distribution Office Haines Depot

Statement of Decision

Whereas, on June 3, 1976, the Haines Borough submitted a petition to the Local Boundary Commission through the Department of Community & Regional Affairs in accordance with Title 29 of the Alaska Statutes requesting annexation of the area commonly known as the Department of Army Petroleum Distribution Office, Haines Terminal & Pumping Station; and

Whereas, the Haines Terminal & Pumping Station, identified as a U.S. Military Reservation, had been excluded from the boundaries of the Haines Borough at the time of the borough's incorporation in 1968, to remain as an exclusion until such time as the area was no longer subject to military reservation status; and

Whereas, the Department of the Army has decommissioned the Haines Petroleum Distribution Office facility and governmental control of the area has now been turned over to the General Services Administration; and

Whereas, the General Services Administration has indicated no objection to the inclusion of the area within the Haines Borough;

NOW THEREFORE, the Local Boundary Commission makes the following findings and enters its decision thereto:

The petition territory meets the regulatory standards for annexation as follows:

19 Alaska Administrative Code 05.110(a)(1): The territory is entirely surrounded by the Haines Borough.

19 AAC 05.110(a)(4): The location and configuration of the territory, together with the improvements thereon, make the Haines Terminal & Pumping Station a likely location for future development should Haines be somehow tapped as a terminus for a gas line carrying Arctic gas.

19 AAC 05.110(a)(8): The Local Boundary Commission's action in this case formalizes an action called for in the Haines Borough incorporation document; namely, the inclusion within the Borough of the Haines facility once it was no longer subject to military reservation status.

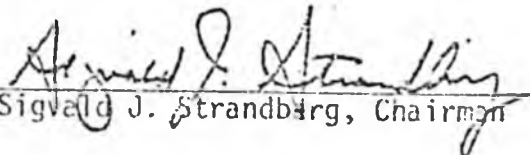
19 AAC 05.120(1): The Local Boundary Commission finds that the Haines Borough has demonstrated that it is capable of and willing to extend its services and jurisdiction into the area.

On the basis of the foregoing, the Local Boundary Commission affirms its decision to include the Haines Depot territory within the Haines Borough with the resultant new boundary description eliminating the present military reservation exclusion.

LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION

January 30, 1978

Approved:

  
Sigvald J. Strandberg, Chairman

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Sheila Gallagher

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Edward Hopson

Absent & excused:

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James Dodson

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Josephine Anderson

STATE OF ALASKA

LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION

JUNEAU, ALASKA

RECOMMENDATION FOR ANNEXATION OF TERRITORY TO THE BOROUGH OF  
HAINES, ALASKA

SUBMITTED JANUARY 18, 1978

RECOMMENDATION FOR ANNEXATION OF TERRITORY

TO THE  
HAINES BOROUGH

WHEREAS, petitioner, the Haines Borough has requested that certain territory be annexed to the Haines Borough, to wit; the base proper of the Petroleum Distribution office, Haines Terminal and Pumping Station, an area within the Haines Borough presently excluded because of its former military reservation status; and

WHEREAS, subsequent to giving proper notice, the Local Boundary Commission conducted a public hearing in Haines on Thursday, June 23, 1977, to hear testimony of the public concerning the proposed annexation; and

WHEREAS, upon conclusion of the public hearing the Local Boundary Commission convened a public decisional meeting at which it reviewed the Haines Borough's petition, supporting brief and all testimony received prior to and during the June 23, 1977 public hearing; and

WHEREAS, the Local Boundary Commission has determined that the territory sought to be annexed meets the standards for annexation in that the subject territory is no longer a military reservation; and

WHEREAS, the exclusion of the subject territory serves no useful or rational purpose;

NOW THEREFORE, the Local Boundary Commission recommends that pursuant to Article X, Section 12 of the Alaska Constitution and Alaska Statute 29.68.020, that the petition to annex territory to the Haines

Borough be approved and that the following be the official description of the boundaries of the Haines Borough:

IN accordance with Article X, Section 12 of the Alaska Constitution, this recommendation shall become effective forty-five days after presentation to the Legislature or at the end of the Session, whichever is earlier, unless disapproved by a resolution concurred in by a majority of the numbers of each House.

Beginning at Eldred Rock Light at Latitude  $58^{\circ}58.3'N$  and Longitude  $135^{\circ}13.2'W$ ; thence in a straight line east to Mt. Nesselrode, Boundary Peak No. 98 at Latitude  $58^{\circ}57'44.96''N$  and Longitude  $134^{\circ}18'42.03''W$ ; thence northerly at the Alaska-Canada Boundary line on a meander line to Mt. Bagit at Latitude  $59^{\circ}21'N$  and Longitude  $135^{\circ}02'W$ ; thence due west on a straight line to a point in the center of Lynn Canal on Taiya Inlet at approximately Latitude  $59^{\circ}21'N$  and Longitude  $135^{\circ}22.5'W$ ; thence northwesterly to Monument No. 124 on the Alaska-Canada Boundary at Latitude  $59^{\circ}44'N$  and Longitude  $135^{\circ}43'W$ ; thence in a meandering westerly line following the Alaska-Canada Boundary to Mt. Harris; thence in a southeasterly and southerly manner along the Glacier Bay National Monument Boundary to a point due north of Porpoise Island Light at Latitude  $58^{\circ}22.1'N$  and Longitude  $135^{\circ}27.2'W$ ; thence south to Porpoise Island at Latitude  $58^{\circ}19.1'N$  and Longitude  $135^{\circ}27.2'W$ ; thence southeasterly to the southern tip of the Sisters Islands at Latitude  $58^{\circ}10'N$  and Longitude  $135^{\circ}15'W$ ; thence southeasterly to Hanus Reef at Latitude  $58^{\circ}07.9'N$  and Longitude  $134^{\circ}59.8'W$ ; thence north to a point midway between Lincoln Island on the east and the mainland on the west, at Latitude  $58^{\circ}30'N$  and Longitude  $135^{\circ}04.15'W$ ; thence north paralleling the boundary of the City and Borough of Juneau to Eldred Rock Light the point of beginning, containing 2,620 square miles more or less.

Save and excepting therefrom: (1) the lands comprising Klukwan Indian Reservation established by Executive Order numbered 1764 dated April 21, 1913 and amended as to the boundaries thereof by Executive Order numbered 3673 dated May 15, 1922 and further amended by the Act of September 2, 1957, Public Law 85-271, 71 Stat. 596,

particularly described as follows: Lots 1, 2 and 3 of Section 32; all of the north one-half of Section 33, Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the south one-half of Section 33; Lots 1 and 2 and the northeast one-quarter of the southwest one-quarter of Section 34, Township 28 South, Range 56 East, CRM Alaska (and Lots 2, 3 and 4 of Section 5, and Lots 1 and 9 of Section 6, Township 29 South, Range 57 East, Copper River Meridian).

STATE OF ALASKA

LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Petition )  
for Annexation of Territory )  
to the Haines Borough. ) Docket No. 76-  
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PETITIONER'S BRIEF

COMES NOW Petitioner, HAINES BOROUGH, through the Borough attorney, and submits the following brief in support of the local government boundary addition to the Borough.

I

GEOGRAPHICAL REASONS

The area proposed by Petitioner for annexation is within the Haines Borough boundaries in Lutak Inlet, about four miles northerly of the City of Haines, and is a logical addition, now that Alaska law permits annexation of military reservations, pursuant to AS. 29.68.020.

II

ECONOMIC REASONS

The fuel storage and distribution system and the personnel employed therein are an integral part of the Haines' economy and have been for many years, since it was constructed in or about 1953 for supplying Eielson Air Force Base near Fairbanks with fuel. Now that the General Services Administration is trying to dispose of the facility it is all the more compelling to include it within the mainstream of Borough influence.

III

TRANSPORTATION REASONS


The area is four miles from Haines on the paved Lutak

Highway and is within one mile of the Haines Ferry Terminal.

It is respectfully requested that the Haines Borough  
Petition be granted.

DATED: <sup>June 3</sup> May 1976 in Haines, Alaska.

HAINES BOROUGH

  
By: Richard C. Folta  
Borough Attorney