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January 2, 1986

The Honorable Edna DeVries
State Senator
P.O. BOX 321
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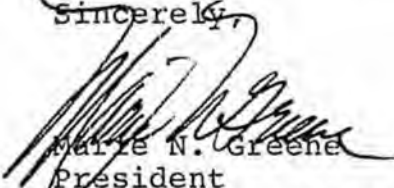
Dear Senator DeVries;

Maniilaq Association, as Petitioner for the proposed incorporation of the NANA region as a first class borough, is pleased to provide you the enclosed copy of the PETITION FOR INCORPORATION AS A FIRST CLASS BOROUGH. Included with the petition is a copy of the BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF PETITION FOR INCORPORATION.

The NANA region feels strongly that this is the most appropriate time for us to seek incorporation as a borough. The many changes that have occurred in our region, and the many changes yet to come, require us to assume a stronger role in planning for and managing those changes. Only in that way can we ensure that these changes provide the maximum degree of benefits to our people while at the same time ensuring the continuation of our traditional way of life.

Additional copies of the enclosed materials are available for review at the offices of Maniilaq Association in the Eskimo Building in Kotzebue. If you have any questions or wish additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,


Marie N. Greene
President
Maniilaq Association

MEMBER VILLAGES

Ivisappaat, Nunatchiaq, Ipnatchiaq, Katyaak, Kivaliniq, Laugviik, Qikiqtagnik, Nautaaq, Nuurvik, Akulligaq, Isinnaq
Ambler, Buckland, Deering, Kiana, Kivalina, Kobuk, Kotzebue, Noatak, Noorvik, Selawik, Shungnak

cc: The Honorable Emil Notti, Commissioner
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MUNICIPAL & REGIONAL ASSISTANCE DIVISION

February 12, 1986

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The Honorable Edna B. DeVries
Alaska State Legislature
Pouch V
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Senator DeVries:

Enclosed, pursuant to your request, is a copy of the petition for incorporation of the proposed Northwest Arctic Borough and the brief in support of the petition. Separate but identical petition forms were circulated in each of the eleven communities in the area proposed for borough incorporation. The document being transmitted to you at this time is a copy of the petition circulated in the City of Kobuk. A combined total of 734 individuals from the region signed the petition.

If you have questions or require any additional information, please contact me.

Sincerely,


Marty Rutherford
Director

Enclosures as stated

cc: Commissioner Notti

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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL AFFAIRS
AND THE LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

In Regard to the Incorporation of)
the Proposed Northwest Arctic Borough)
_____)

PETITION FOR INCORPORATION AS A
FIRST CLASS BOROUGH

The undersigned qualified voters of the area proposed to be incorporated petition the Department of Community and Regional Affairs and the Local Boundary Commission to initiate the necessary and proper proceedings pursuant to Title 29, Alaska Statutes, for the incorporation of a borough more specifically described as follows:

1. CLASS: The petitioners seek to incorporate a first class borough.
2. NAME: The name of the proposed borough will be the NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH.
3. BOUNDARIES: The boundaries of the proposed borough are more fully described on the attached map and legal description which is made a part of this petition.
4. COMPOSITION AND APPORTIONMENT OF THE BOROUGH ASSEMBLY: The borough Assembly shall be composed of eleven (11) members, representing districts and elected at large.
5. MAPS, DOCUMENTS, AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION: To more clearly convey the intention of the petitioners, and to more fully describe their needs for the establishment of the proposed borough, petitioners include the following information:
 - A. MAPS: Attached to this petition as Appendix A and made a part hereof by reference is a map depicting the boundaries of the proposed borough.
 - B. LEGAL DESCRIPTION: A legal description of the proposed borough is attached as Appendix B.
 - C. POWERS TO BE ASSUMED: A list of the powers to be assumed by the borough upon incorporation, and a schedule of the assumption of those powers, is

attached to this petition as Appendix C.

- D. BOROUGH BUDGET: The proposed budget of the Northwest Arctic Borough, including estimated revenues and projected operating expenses, for the first full fiscal year of operation, is displayed in Appendix D.
- E. BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPORTIONMENT: The proposed apportionment plan for the Northwest Arctic Borough Assembly is presented in Appendix E.
- F. BOROUGH ADMINISTRATION: Appendix F contains the proposed staffing plan of the Northwest Arctic Borough for the first full fiscal year of operation.
- G. RESOLUTIONS: Resolutions of support for the proposed incorporation are attached to this petition as Appendix G. These resolutions were adopted by the Boards of Directors of NANA Regional Corporation and Maniilaq Association, and by the Northwest Arctic School Board.
- H. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Additional information, which is specified in 19 AAC 10.340-.350, is presented in abbreviated form in Appendix H.
- I. SUPPORTING BRIEF: Additional supporting information and analysis will be provided in a brief to be submitted with this petition to the State.

The petitioners, and undersigned qualified voters resident in the area of the proposed incorporation, submit that the subject proposed incorporation fully satisfies the requirements and intent of Title 29 of Alaska Statutes and Title 19 of the Alaska Administration Code. In particular, petitioners will demonstrate compliance with the four standards for incorporation more fully described at AS 29.18.030:

1. the population of the area is interrelated and integrated as to its social, cultural and economic activities, and is large and stable enough to support organized borough government;
2. the boundaries of the proposed borough conform generally to natural geography and include all areas necessary for full development of local services;
3. the economy of the area includes the human and financial resources capable of providing local

services; and

4. land, water and air transportation facilities allow the communication and exchange necessary for the development of integrated local government.

The designated representative of the petitioners is:

Ms. Marie Greene, President
Maniilaq Association
P.O. Box 256
Kotzebue, Alaska 99752
(907) 442-3311

Immediately following is a petition signed by a number of voters that is at least 15% of the number of voters resident in the region proposed for incorporation who voted in the last general election and on whose behalf this petition for incorporation of the Northwest Arctic Borough as a first class borough is respectfully submitted.

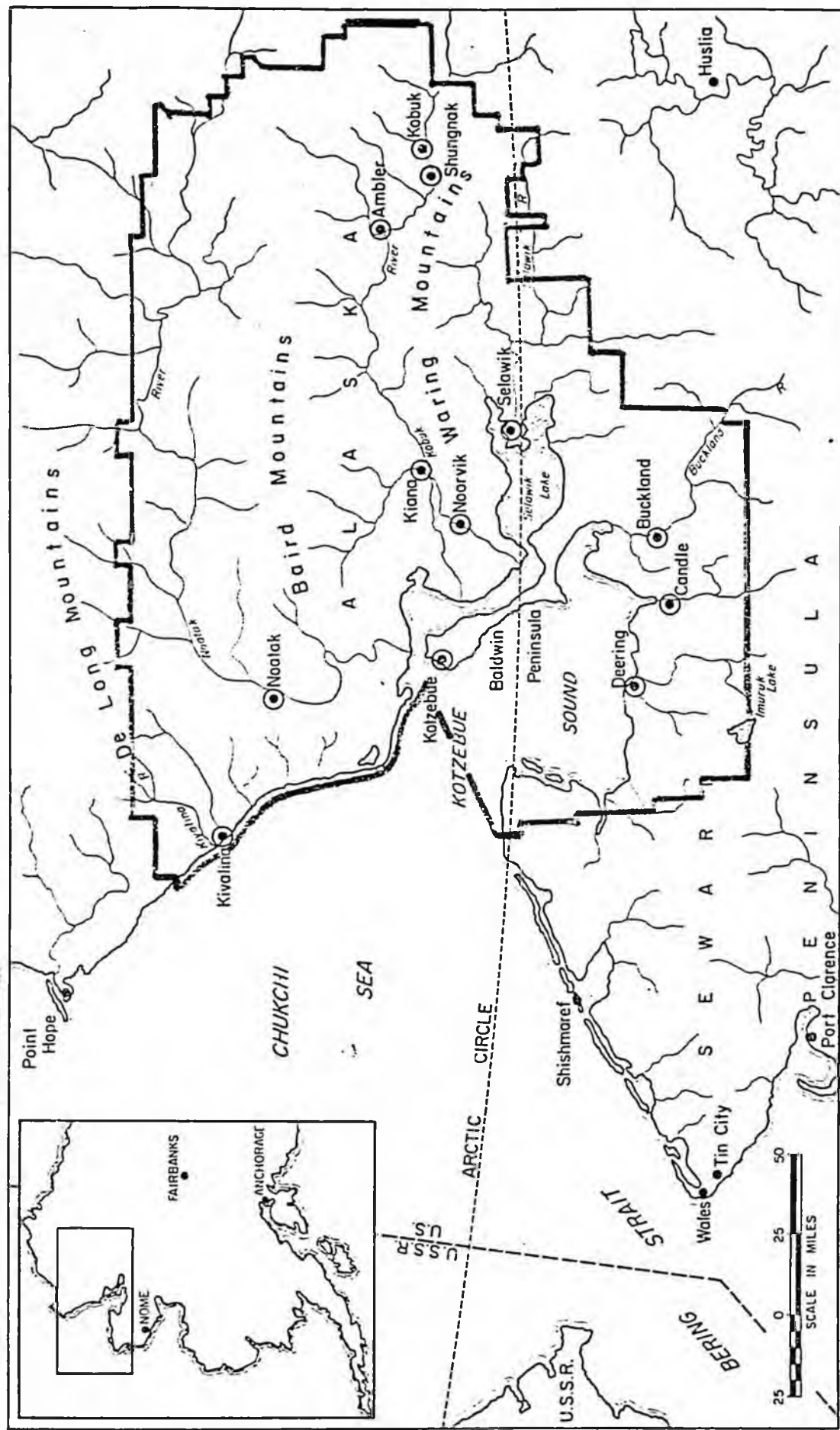
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Kobuk

PETITION FOR THE INCORPORATION OF THE NANA REGION
AS A FIRST CLASS BOROUGH
TO BE KNOWN AS THE
NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH

We the undersigned registered voters, who reside within the subject area proposed to be incorporated, hereby indicate by name, signature and address, that we support the proposed incorporation of the NANA region. We also respectfully request that the State of Alaska act upon this petition favorably and expeditiously.

<u>NAME (PRINT)</u>	<u>SIGNATURE</u>	<u>RESIDENT ADDRESS</u>
Daniel J. Davis	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk, AK.
Ida Ross	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK
FAITH MOYER	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK
Rose Custer	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK
Amelia Gray	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK.
May Bernhardt	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK.
Wilson J. Ticket	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK.
NINA HARVEY	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk
RAY SNYDER	<i>[Signature]</i>	" "
Minnie Moyer	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Herbert Custer	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Mary Lou Custer	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Alex wood	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK
ALLEN TICKET	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Joseph Harvey	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Lena Ticket	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Rosie Ward	<i>[Signature]</i>	Kobuk AK

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APPENDIX B

PROPOSED BOROUGH LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Beginning at the point where the mean high tide line of the Chukchi Sea intersects with the northern boundary of Section 5 of Township 30 North; Range 29 West; Kateel River Meridian; thence easterly to the northeast corner of Township 30 North; Range 26 West; thence northerly to the northwest corner of Township 32 North; Range 25 West; thence easterly to the Southeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 18 West; thence northerly to the northwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 17 West; thence easterly to the northeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 15 West; thence southerly to the southwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 14 West; thence easterly to the Southeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 13 West; thence northerly to the Northwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 12 West; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 11 West; thence southerly to the Southwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 10 West; thence easterly to the Southeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 7 West; thence northerly to the Northwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 6 West; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 5 West; thence southerly to the Southwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 4 West; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 32 North; Range 7 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 32 North; Range 7 East; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 31 North; Range 11 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner

of Township 31 North; Range 11 East; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 30 North; Range 15 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 29 North; Range 15 East; thence westerly to the Northeast corner of Township 28 North; Range 15 East; thence southerly to Northwest corner of Township 27 North; Range 16 East; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 27 North; Range 16 East, thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 27 North; Range 16 East; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 26 North; Range 17 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 26 North; Range 17 East; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 25 North; Range 18 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 25 North; Range 18 East; thence westerly to the Northeast corner of Township 24 North; Range 18 East; thence southerly to the Southwest corner of Township 22 North; Range 19 East; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 21 North; Range 20 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 21 North; Range 20 East; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 20 North; Range 21 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 17 North; Range 21 East; thence westerly to the Northeast corner of Township 16 North; Range 21 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 16 North; Range 21 East; thence westerly to the Northwest corner of Township 15 North; Range 19 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 14 North; Range 18 East; thence westerly to the Northwest corner of Township 13 North; Range 16 East; thence

southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 13 North; Range 15 East; thence westerly to the Northeast corner of Township 12 North; Range 15 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 11 North; Range 15 East; thence westerly to the Southwest corner of Township 11 North; Range 14 East; thence northerly to the Northeast corner of Township 11 North; Range 13 East; thence westerly to the Southwest corner of Township 12 North; Range 13 East; thence northerly to the Northeast corner of Township 12 North; Range 12 East; thence westerly to the Northwest corner of Township 12 North; Range 11 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 11 North; Range 10 East, thence westerly to the Southwest corner of Township 11 North; Range 9 East; thence northerly to the Northeast corner of Township 12 North; Range 8 East; thence westerly to the Northwest corner of Township 12 North; Range 5 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 9 North; Range 4 East; thence westerly to the Northeast corner of Township 8 North; Range 2 West; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 7 North; Range 2 West; thence westerly to the Northwest corner of Township 6 North; Range 4 West; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 2 North; Range 5 West; thence westerly to the Northwest corner of Township 1 North; Range 5 West; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 1 North; Range 6 West; thence westerly to the Southwest corner of Township 1 North; Range 24 West; thence northerly to the Northeast corner of Township 2 North; Range 25 West; thence westerly to the Northwest corner of Township 2 North; Range 25

West; thence northerly to Northeast corner of Township 4 North; Range 26 West; thence westerly to the Southeast corner of Township 5 North; Range 27 West; thence northerly to the Northeast corner of Township 8 North; Range 27 West; thence westerly to the Southeast corner of Township 9 North; Range 27 West; thence northerly to the Northeast corner of Township 12 North; Range 27 West; thence westerly to the Southeast corner of Township 13 North; Range 27 West; thence due north to the boundary of the State of Alaska, thence following the boundary of the State of Alaska across the waters of Kotzebue Sound and the Chukchi Sea to a point on the boundary of the State of Alaska due west of the extension of the northern boundary of Section 5 of Township 30 North; Range 29 West; Kateel River Meridian; thence due east along the same extended line to the point of beginning.

APPENDIX C
BOROUGH POWERS

AREAWIDE POWERS TO BE ASSUMED

1. EDUCATION
2. ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF TAXES
3. PLANNING, PLATTING AND LAND USE REGULATION

NONAREAWIDE POWERS TO BE ASSUMED

NONE

SCHEDULE FOR ASSUMPTION OF POWERS

The three powers enumerated above will be exercised upon incorporation of the Northwest Arctic Borough.

Powers to be transferred from cities to the borough will be exercised upon completion of that transfer, or within six(6) months of incorporation, whichever occurs first.

LEVEL OF SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED

1. EDUCATION - Education services at a minimum will be provided in a manner commensurate with existing levels of education services.
2. ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF TAXES - The power to assess and collect property taxes will be exercised fully upon establishment of property tax rolls through the assistance of the Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs as provided in AS 29.05.210(6)(2) (Revised).
3. PLANNING, PLATTING AND LAND USE REGULATION - This power will be exercised initially at the same level of service as that provided currently by Maniilaq Association and the City of Kotzebue.

APPENDIX D
OPERATING BUDGET

OPERATING BUDGET

MAYOR AND ASSEMBLY	\$ 329,570
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE	243,675
DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS	200,255
DEPARTMENT OF LAW	40,000
ASSESSING DEPARTMENT	111,000
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	<u>20,713,072</u>
TOTAL	\$21,637,572

REVENUES

STATE ORGANIZATIONAL GRANT	\$ 300,000
STATE MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE	35,000
STATE REVENUE SHARING	65,000
STATE COASTAL MANAGEMENT GRANT	142,500
STATE FISHERIES TAX SHARED REVENUES	5,000
BOROUGH PROPERTY TAX (3 Mil's)	377,000
EDUCATION FUNDS	<u>20,713,072</u>
TOTAL	\$21,637,572

Property tax revenues are based upon the following:

1. Only real property will be taxed.
2. Personal property will be exempt from taxation.
3. Real property will be taxed at a rate of 3 mils (0.003%) of assessed value.
4. The estimated full and true value of real and personal property based upon 1985 State Assessor estimates plus local estimates are:

Real property: \$199,480,680
Personal property: \$22,163,945

5. The estimated full and true value of taxable real property is \$139,636,114, deducting non-taxable real property (e.g., allotments, restricted deed townsite lots, etc.).
6. The estimated value of taxable personal property is \$22,163,945.
7. The estimated assessed value of taxable property will be 90% of full and true value; or \$125,672,500.
8. A 3 mil tax on \$125,672,500 is \$377,000.
9. No property tax is presently levied in the region.

Sales tax:

1. The proposed borough will not levy a sales or use tax.
2. Sales taxes currently levied in the region are:

Ambler - 2%	Kobuk - 0%
Buckland - 2%	Kotzebue - 3%
Deering - 3%	Noorvik - 2%
Kiana - 2%	Selawik - 2%
Kivalina - 2%	Shungnak - 2%

APPENDIX E

NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH

BOROUGH ASSEMBLY COMPOSITION AND APPORTIONMENT

COMPOSITION: 11 SEATS

APPORTIONMENT: 4 DISTRICTS

DISTRICT 1: 3 SEATS (A,B,C)

KIVALINA	241	
NOATAK	273	
KIANA	345	
NOORVIK	492	
BAIRD MOUNTAINS	55	
	<u>1,406</u>	(468.6/SEAT)

DISTRICT 2: 1 SEAT (D)

AMBLER	192	
SHUNGNAK	202	
KOBUK	62	
KOBUK AREA	1	
	<u>457</u>	(457/SEAT)

DISTRICT 3: 2 SEATS (E,F)

SELAWIK	361	
DEERING	150	
BUCKLAND	177	
CANDLE	8	
FINK CREEK	6	
SELAWIK AREA	175	
BALDWIN PENINSULA	<u>37</u>	
	914	(457/SEAT)

DISTRICT 4: 5 SEATS (G, H, I, J, K)

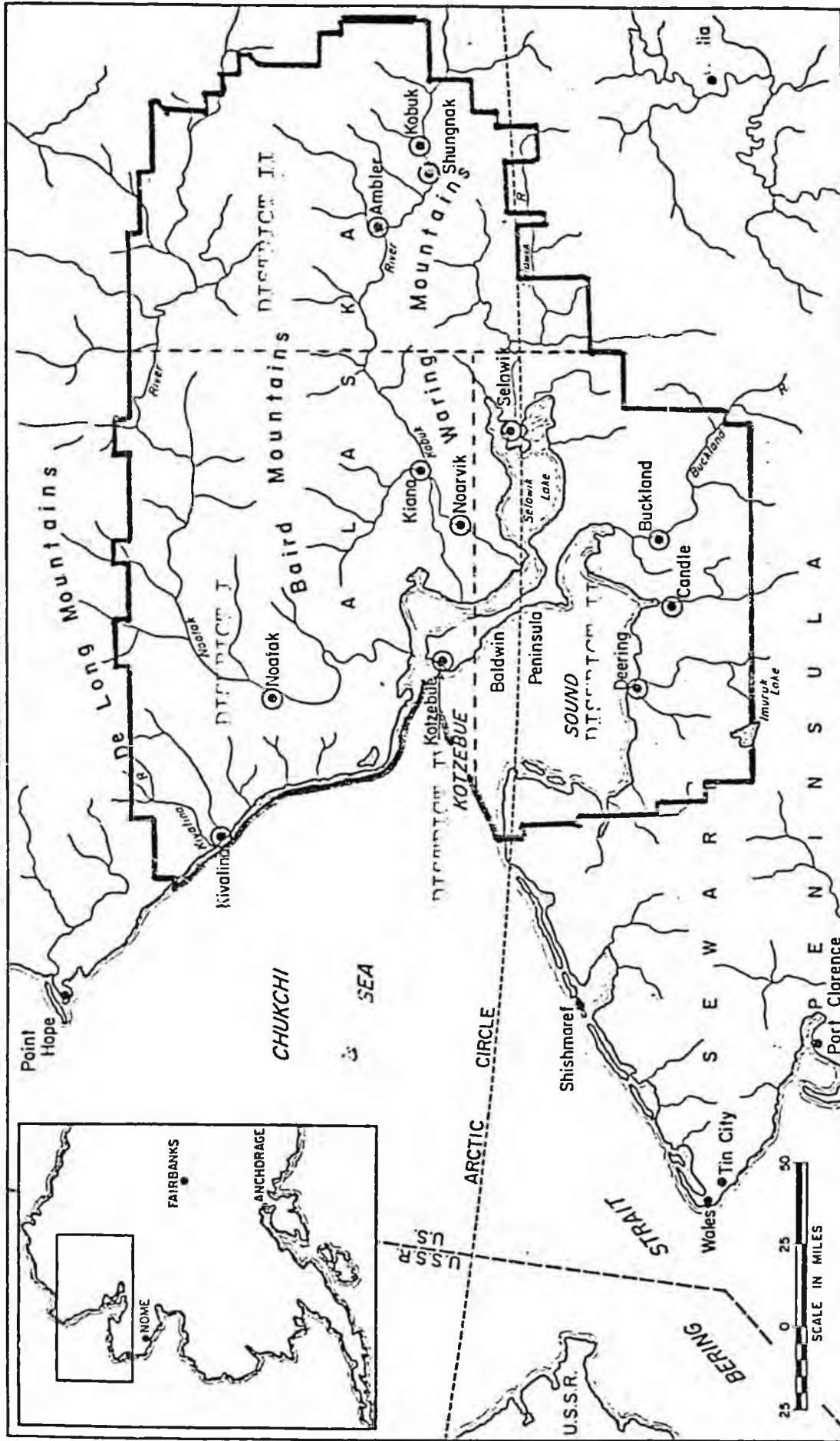
KOTZEBUE	<u>2,054</u>	
	2,054	(410.8/SEAT)

ELECTION OF ASSEMBLY MEMBERS WILL BE BY DISTRICT;
CANDIDATES MUST BE RESIDENT WITHIN THE DISTRICT THEY
SEEK TO REPRESENT AND THE ELECTION WILL BE AT LARGE BY
VOTERS THROUGHOUT THE BOROUGH.

POPULATION FIGURES ARE FROM THE 1980 U.S. CENSUS

APPENDIX E

BOUNDARY AND DISTRICT ASSIGNMENTS



- DISTRICT I: STATES A, B, C
- DISTRICT II: STATE D
- DISTRICT III: STATES E, F
- DISTRICT IV: STATES G, H, I, J, K

APPENDIX F

BOROUGH ADMINISTRATION

MAYOR & ASSEMBLY

Mayor
Administrative Assistant
Borough Clerk
Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

Director/Controller
Accountant
Accountant (part-time)

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

Planning Director
Planner
Secretary (part-time)

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Contract Services

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT

State
Contract Services

APPENDIX G

RESOLUTIONS

NANA REGIONAL CORPORATION, INC.

POST OFFICE BOX 49 / KOTZEBUE, ALASKA 99752 / TELEPHONE (907) 442-3301



Dear Shareholder:

The Board of Directors approved these goals for NANA on January 27, 1983. These goals are meant to reflect the Identity, Values and Needs of our People. They will be used by NANA to guide our conduct as well as determine our path as we work to develop a better future for our Shareholders. I hope they will be of use to you personally as well.

Sincerely yours,

Robert Newlin
Chairman

John W. Schaeffer
President



Member Villages: Ambler, Buckland, Candle, Deering, Kiana, Kivalina, Kobuk, Kotzebue, Noatak, Noorvik, Selawik, Shungnak

NANA REGION GOALS

EXCERPTED FROM THE NANA REGIONAL CORPORATION, INC. GOALS
ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON JANUARY 27, 1983.

GOAL VII. Assist in the formation of a borough to increase local control of decisions which affect our shareholders.

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RESOLUTION #85- 3

A resolution of the Board of Directors, Maniilaq Association requesting certain modifications of boundaries with the North Slope Borough and the establishment of a borough for the NANA Region to ensure maximum self-government for the people of the NANA Region.

WHEREAS: Maniilaq Association represents the eleven (11) villages in the NANA Region; and

WHEREAS: The Maniilaq Board of Directors is the policy making body for the Maniilaq Association; and

WHEREAS: In 1990 the State of Alaska will base apportionment of legislative districts based upon the one man one vote principle; and

WHEREAS: This action will result in the redistribution of political authority to south central Alaska, having approximately 60 percent of the state's population; and

WHEREAS: This redistribution of authority severely affects the ability of people from the NANA Region to participate in the control of its own political processes; and

WHEREAS: Those persons residing within an unorganized borough will have no recourse than to submit to State of Alaska authority;

WHEREAS: People of the NANA Region wish to adhere to democratic principles of local authority; and

WHEREAS: The people of the NANA Region assures the North Slope Borough that all lands made available by the North Slope redefining of its boundaries will be included in an effort to establish a NANA Regional Borough to avoid imposition of state control; and

WHEREAS: The North Slope Borough, with oil revenues providing approximately 325 million dollars a year is richly endowed with natural resources; and

MEMBER VILLAGES

Ivisaappaat, Nunatchiaq, Ipnatchiaq, Karyaaq, Kivaliniq, Laupviik, Qikiqtagrak, Nautaaq, Nuurvik, Akuligaaq, Isinnaq

WHEREAS: Revenues available to people from the NANA Region from the Red Dog Mine resource, estimated at 5 million dollars per year will not contribute significantly to the self determination of the people of the North Slope Borough; and

WHEREAS: This amount represents the minimum amount necessary to assist in the self determination of the people of the NANA Region; and

WHEREAS: Exploitation of this resource will result in the distribution of approximately 425 jobs to people of the NANA Region; and

WHEREAS: Exploitation of this resource has, to this time, been primarily the responsibility of the NANA Corporation together with certain private industries; and

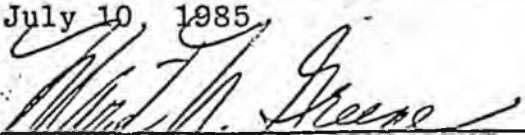
WHEREAS: Since state and federal revenue sharing to communities within the NANA Region have declined, and, by all reasonable estimates, will further decline.

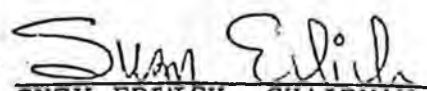
BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED BY THE MANIILAQ BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

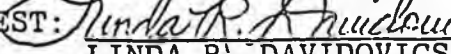
That the North Slope Borough be respectfully requested to amend its boundaries to exclude certain lands to include some 433,000 acres, the jurisdiction over which will be retained by the people of the NANA Region to provide maximum opportunities to exercise self government and the rights to self determination; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Board of Directors, Maniilaq Association will cooperate fully with the NANA Corporation and other agencies and local entities in the establishment of a NANA Borough consistent with the laws of the State of Alaska and in the interests of self government for the people of the NANA Region.

Adopted by the Maniilaq Board of Directors at its regular meeting
July 10, 1985


MARIE N. GREENE, PRESIDENT
MANIILAQ ASSOCIATION


SUZY ERENCH, CHAIRMAN
MANIILAQ BOARD OF DIRECTORS

ATTEST: 
LINDA R. DAVIDOVICS
CORPORATE SECRETARY

DATE: July 10, 1985

NORTHWEST ARCTIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
RESOLUTION 086-001

Whereas, the Northwest Arctic School District Board represents the eleven (11) villages of the NANA Region; and

Whereas, the Northwest Arctic School District Board is the governing body for the Northwest Arctic School District; and

Whereas, the formation of a borough government would provide distinct financial advantages to the school district; and

Whereas, the formation of a borough government would alter the present governance structure of the school district providing more opportunity for interagency cooperation;

Now therefore be it resolved, that the Northwest Arctic School Board supports the present effort to form a borough government in the NANA region, and

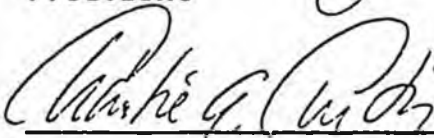
Be it further resolved, that the Northwest Arctic School District Board requests that the Department of Education and the Alaska State Legislature amend AS 14.12.030 (a) to allow the continuance of an eleven (11) member school board for the Northwest Arctic School District to ensure adequate representation of the local communities in the NANA region.

Adopted this 31 day of October, 1985 at a duly convened regular meeting at which a quorum was present and voting.

ATTESTED:



President



Secretary

APPENDIX H

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. NUMBER OF RESIDENTS WITHIN THE REGION

4,831 (1980 U.S. CENSUS)
6,077 (1983 STATE REVENUE SHARING FIGURES
PLUS LOCAL ESTIMATE FOR NOATAK)

2. AMOUNT OF OUTSTANDING BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

NONE

3. QUANTITY OF LAND IN REGION

36,000 Square Miles (Approximate)
23,040,000 Acres (Approximate)

4. CENSUS

CENSUS FIGURES WERE TAKEN FROM THE 1980 U.S. CENSUS, WHICH IS HEREBY INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE. WHERE AVAILABLE, STATE REVENUE SHARING POPULATION FIGURES FOR INCORPORATED COMMUNITIES AND LOCAL ESTIMATES FOR NOATAK WERE USED FOR ESTIMATES OF FULL AND TRUE VALUE OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL AFFAIRS
AND THE LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

In Regard to the Incorporation of)
the Proposed Northwest Arctic Borough)
_____)

PETITION FOR INCORPORATION AS A
FIRST CLASS BOROUGH

The undersigned qualified voters of the area proposed to be incorporated petition the Department of Community and Regional Affairs and the Local Boundary Commission to initiate the necessary and proper proceedings pursuant to Title 29, Alaska Statutes, for the incorporation of a borough more specifically described as follows:

1. CLASS: The petitioners seek to incorporate a first class borough.
2. NAME: The name of the proposed borough will be the NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH.
3. BOUNDARIES: The boundaries of the proposed borough are more fully described on the attached map and legal description which is made a part of this petition.
4. COMPOSITION AND APPORTIONMENT OF THE BOROUGH ASSEMBLY: The borough Assembly shall be composed of eleven (11) members, representing districts and elected at large.
5. MAPS, DOCUMENTS, AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION: To more clearly convey the intention of the petitioners, and to more fully describe their needs for the establishment of the proposed borough, petitioners include the following information:
 - A. MAPS: Attached to this petition as Appendix A and made a part hereof by reference is a map depicting the boundaries of the proposed borough.
 - B. LEGAL DESCRIPTION: A legal description of the proposed borough is attached as Appendix B.
 - C. POWERS TO BE ASSUMED: A list of the powers to be assumed by the borough upon incorporation, and a schedule of the assumption of those powers, is

attached to this petition as Appendix C.

- D. BOROUGH BUDGET: The proposed budget of the Northwest Arctic Borough, including estimated revenues and projected operating expenses, for the first full fiscal year of operation, is displayed in Appendix D.
- E. BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPORTIONMENT: The proposed apportionment plan for the Northwest Arctic Borough Assembly is presented in Appendix E.
- F. BOROUGH ADMINISTRATION: Appendix F contains the proposed staffing plan of the Northwest Arctic Borough for the first full fiscal year of operation.
- G. RESOLUTIONS: Resolutions of support for the proposed incorporation are attached to this petition as Appendix G. These resolutions were adopted by the Boards of Directors of NANA Regional Corporation and Maniilaq Association, and by the Northwest Arctic School Board.
- H. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Additional information, which is specified in 19 AAC 10.340-.350, is presented in abbreviated form in Appendix H.
- I. SUPPORTING BRIEF: Additional supporting information and analysis will be provided in a brief to be submitted with this petition to the State.

The petitioners, and undersigned qualified voters resident in the area of the proposed incorporation, submit that the subject proposed incorporation fully satisfies the requirements and intent of Title 29 of Alaska Statutes and Title 19 of the Alaska Administration Code. In particular, petitioners will demonstrate compliance with the four standards for incorporation more fully described at AS 29.18.030:

1. the population of the area is interrelated and integrated as to its social, cultural and economic activities, and is large and stable enough to support organized borough government;
2. the boundaries of the proposed borough conform generally to natural geography and include all areas necessary for full development of local services;
3. the economy of the area includes the human and financial resources capable of providing local

services; and

4. land, water and air transportation facilities allow the communication and exchange necessary for the development of integrated local government.

The designated representative of the petitioners is:

Ms. Marie Greene, President
Maniilaq Association
P.O. Box 256
Kotzebue, Alaska 99752
(907) 442-3311

Immediately following is a petition signed by a number of voters that is at least 15% of the number of voters resident in the region proposed for incorporation who voted in the last general election and on whose behalf this petition for incorporation of the Northwest Arctic Borough as a first class borough is respectfully submitted.

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Truman Cleveland	Truman Cleveland	Ambley Alaska
Theresa Douglas	Theresa Douglas	Ambley, Ak.
Robert D. Cleveland	Robert Cleveland	Ambley, Ak. 99786
Arthur S. Dore	Arthur Dore	Ambley Ak. 99786
Marye Okerell	Marye Okerell	Ambley, ak 99786
Lillian E. Johnson	Lillian E. Johnson	Ambley, Ak 99786
Stanley Johnson	Stanley Johnson	Ambley Ak "
Wm. Topikoff	Wm. Topikoff	Ambley Ak. "
Bessie Douglas	Bessie Douglas	Ambley Ak.
Kathy Brown	Kathy Brown	Ambley Ak.
Richard A. Sheldon	Richard A. Sheldon	" "
Lillian Cleveland	Lillian Cleveland	Ambley 99786
Frank Johnson Sr.	Frank Johnson Sr.	Ambley 99786
Sarah Tackett	Sarah Tackett	Ambley, Ak 99786
Lulu Sheldon	Lulu Sheldon	Ambley Ak 99786
Edna Hiest	Edna Hiest	Ambley ak 99786
Nelson Hiest	Nelson Hiest	Ambley ak 99786

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<u>PATRICIA ANN HESS</u>	<u>Patricia Ann Hess</u>	<u>Gina Men, AK</u>
<u>Julia Cleveland</u>	<u>Julia Cleveland</u>	<u>Amblee, AK</u>
<u>Ludie Douglas</u>	<u>Ludie Douglas</u>	<u>Amblee, AK</u>
<u>Isaac Douglas Sr</u>	<u>Isaac Douglas</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
<u>Alex T Sheldon</u>	<u>Alex T Sheldon</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
<u>Harry R. Douglas</u>	<u>Harry R. Douglas</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
<u>Frank Downey</u>	<u>Frank Downey</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
<u>Therese Moore</u>	<u>Therese Moore</u>	<u>Amblee 99786</u>
<u>Eleanor Moore</u>	<u>Eleanor Moore</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
<u>Dorothy Henry</u>	<u>Dorothy C. Henry</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
<u>Marie Wood</u>	<u>Marie Wood</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
<u>Nancy Johnson</u>	<u>Nancy Johnson</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
<u>Regina Randall</u>	<u>Regina Randall</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
<u>Eric Jean Cleveland</u>	<u>Eric Jean Cleveland</u>	<u>Amblee, AK. 99786</u>
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<u>Nellie A. Sheldon</u>	<u>Nellie A Sheldon</u>	<u>Amblor, Ak.</u>
<u>Mercy Cleveland</u>	<u>Mercy Cleveland</u>	<u>Amblor, Ak</u>
<u>Marvin J Cleveland</u>	<u>Marvin Cleveland</u>	<u>Amblor Ak</u>
<u>BILLY L Custer</u>	<u>Billy L Custer</u>	<u>Amblor AK.</u>
<u>Shirley A Custer</u>	<u>Shirley Custer</u>	<u>Amblor, AK</u>
<u>Truman Cleveland</u>	<u>Truman Cleveland</u>	<u>Amblor ak.</u>
<u>Truman Cleveland Jr</u>	<u>Truman Cleveland Jr</u>	<u>Amblor AK</u>
<u>Cora Cleveland</u>	<u>Cora Cleveland</u>	<u>Amblor Ak</u>
<u>Wynne Cleveland</u>	<u>Wynne Cleveland</u>	<u>Amblor AK</u>
<u>James Douglas</u>	<u>James Douglas</u>	<u>Amblor AK</u>
<u>Mark Williams</u>	<u>Mark Williams</u>	<u>Amblor AK</u>
<u>William R Jones</u>	<u>William R Jones</u>	<u>Amblor Alaska 99786</u>
<u>Clara Lee</u>	<u>Clara Lee</u>	<u>Amblor Alaska 99786</u>
<u>Harry TACKETT</u>	<u>Harry Tackett</u>	<u>Amblor Alaska 99786</u>
<u>Johnny Cleveland</u>	<u>Johnny Cleveland</u>	<u>Amblor Alaska 99786</u>
<u>DONA JOHNSON</u>	<u>Dona Johnson</u>	<u>Amblor AK.</u>
<u>MACK HENRY</u>	<u>Mack Henry</u>	<u>Amblor, AK 99786</u>

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Charles Wood		
Walter O. Gray		
Walter O. Gray	Walter O. Gray	Amble, AK
Walter O. Gray		
Walter O. Gray	Walter O. Gray	Amble, AK 99786
KAREN DUNLAP	Karen Dunlap	Amble, AK 99786
T. Joyce Cleveland	T. Joyce Cleveland	Amble, Alaska
Wallace W. Cleveland	Wallace W. Cleveland	Amble, Alaska 99786
Ada R Wood	Ada R Wood	Amble, Alaska 99786
Arlene Cleveland	Arlene Cleveland	Amble, AK 99786
William Christ	William Christ	Amble, AK 99786
Katherine Cleveland	Katherine Cleveland	Amble, AK 99786
Sidney Cleveland	Sidney Cleveland	Amble, AK 99786
Branlah Black	Branlah Black	Alaska, Amble

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Kaye Rie	Kaye Rie	Ambley Alaska
Barbara MacManus	Barbara MacManus	Ambley Ak 99786
JAMES A. MARTIN	James A. Martin	Ambley Ak 99786
MARY FOSTER	Mary Foster	Ambley Ak 99786
JACK FENN JR.	Jack Fenn Jr.	Ambley AK 99786
Roberta Cleveland	Roberta Cleveland	Ambley, AK - 99786
Theresa Douglas	Theresa Douglas	Ambley AK. 99786
Jonas Cleveland	Jonas Cleveland	Ambley Ak. 99786
Peggy Stiles	Peggy Stiles	Ambley, Ak 99786
John Topkok	John Topkok	Ambley, AK 99786
LARETHA Quinn	Laretha Quinn	Ambley, AK 99786
DENNIS STURGEON	Dennis Sturgeon	Ambley. AK 99786
Sherry Sturgeon	Sherry Sturgeon	Ambley, AK 99786

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Lawrence Thomas	Lawrence Thomas	BKL
ARTHUR BURDETTE 8000 Denman	Arthur Burdette	Den Del Bk AK
William Carter	William Carter	Buckland
Jessie Hadley	Jessie Hadley	Buckland
Nina Atkovic	Nina Atkovic	BKL AK
Herbert Hadley	Herbert Hadley	BKL AK
Effie Hadley	Effie Hadley	BKL AK 99727
RODERICK R. HENRUSE	Roderick R. Henruse	BKL AK
Florence Henry	Florence Henry	BKL AK
Ethel S. Goffe	Ethel S. Goffe	Buckland
James P. Sauter	James P. Sauter	Buckland AK 99727
Annie Sauter	Annie Sauter	Buckland
SAMUEL HADLEY	Samuel Hadley	Buckland AK 99727
Tommy Carter	Tommy Carter	
Margaret McKernan	Margaret McKernan	Buckland AK 99727
Arthur Koenig	Arthur Koenig	Buckland AK 99727

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Eva D Lee	Eva D Lee	Buckland,
Dorish Carter	Dorish R Carter	Buckland
Norma Hadley	Norma Hadley	Buckland
Katherine Hadley	Katherine Hadley	Buckland
Robert Hadley	Robert Hadley	Buckland
GRACE W. HADLEY	Grace W. Hadley	Buckland, AK
Lester Hadley	Lester Hadley	Buckland
Clarence Thomas	Clarence Thomas	Buckland
Beatrice Ballot	Beatrice Ballot	Buckland AK 99727
Nita E Thomas	Nita E Thomas	Buckland
STANLEY E. BILLOT	STANLEY E. BILLOT	BUCKLAND AK 99727
Anita Ballot	Anita Ballot	Buckland, AK 99727
Ramona Berger	Ramona Berger	Buckland, AK 99727
Ceneviva JANET GARY	Janet Gary	Buckland, AK 99727
Eunice P. B. Hadley	Eunice P. Hadley	Buckland, AK 99727
Louis Hadley SR	Louis Hadley SR	Buckland AK 99727
Helena Thomas	Helena Thomas	Buckland, AK 99727

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<u>Maria A. Thomas</u>	<u>Maria A. Thomas</u>	<u>Barrow AK 99707</u>
<u>Annie J. Ballot</u>	<u>Annie J. Ballot</u>	<u>Barrow AK 99707</u>
<u>CLARA W. PARRISH</u>	<u>CLARA W. PARRISH</u>	<u>Barrow AK 99707</u>
<u>Raymond E. LEE</u>	<u>Raymond E. LEE</u>	<u>Barrow AK 99707</u>
<u>Grace H. LEE</u>	<u>Grace H. LEE</u>	<u>Barrow AK 99707</u>

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Grace Washington	Grace Washington	Gen. Del. Buckland Alaska
EMMA M. THOMAS	Emma M. Thomas	Buckland Ak 99727
EVAN'S A THOMAS	Evans A Thomas	Buckland 99727
Rudolph Thomas	Rudolph Thomas	Buckland Ak 99727
Patricia Thomas	Patricia Thomas	Gen. Del. Buckland Ak 99727
Flora D. Swan	Flora D. Swan	Gen. Del. Buckland Ak 99727
Dora A. Hadley	Dora A. Hadley	Gen. Del. Buckland Ak 99727
MINNIE THOMAS	Minnie Thomas	Buckland Alaska 99727
Bessie Mitchell	Bessie Mitchell	Buckland Alaska 99727
Joe Carter	Joe Carter	Buckland Ak 99727
Ernest Thomas	Ernest Thomas	Buckland Ak 99727
DANIEL E. KIRK	Daniel E. Kirk	Buckland Ak 99727
JAMES FOXGLOVE	James Foxglove	Box 42 SELWICK AK 99720
Walter Thomas	Walter K. Thomas	Buckland Alaska 99727
John BANIA	John Bania	Buckland AK 99727
ERNEST T. ARGER	Ernest Thomas	Buckland ALASKA 99727
Lorraine Gary	Lorraine Henry	Buckland Ak 99727

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Deering

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<u>THERESA BRIDGES</u>	<u>Theresa Bridges</u>	<u>Deering, AK</u>
<u>PAULINE A. JONES</u>	<u>Pauline A. Jones</u>	<u>Deering AK 99736</u>
<u>Ruth Korman</u>	<u>Ruth Korman</u>	<u>Deering AK 99736</u>
<u>Edna M. Jantunen</u>	<u>Edna M. Jantunen</u>	<u>Deering, AK 99736</u>
<u>Joseph G. Muto</u>	<u>Joseph G. Muto</u>	<u>"</u>
<u>Chelisea Baird</u>	<u>Chelisea Baird</u>	<u>Deering AK 99736</u>
<u>Moto Gibson</u>	<u>Moto Gibson</u>	<u>Deering AK 99736</u>
<u>John A. ...</u>	<u>John A. ...</u>	<u>Deering AK 99736</u>
<u>Dickie Muto</u>	<u>Dickie Muto</u>	<u>Deering AK 99736</u>
<u>Bobby Jantunen</u>	<u>Bobby Jantunen</u>	<u>Deering AK 99736</u>
<u>GILBERT HAN</u>	<u>Gilbert Han</u>	<u>Deering AK 99736</u>

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<u>Brenda E Hall</u>	<u>Brenda E Hall</u>	<u>Deering AK 99736</u>
<u>Maxine Barr</u>	<u>Maxine Barr</u>	<u>Deering, AK, 99736</u>
<u>Sandra Karmen</u>	<u>Sandra Karmen</u>	<u>Deering, AK 99736</u>
<u>Debbie Scott</u>	<u>Debbie Scott</u>	<u>Deering, AK 99736</u>
<u>Marlene MOTO</u>	<u>Marlene MOTO</u>	<u>Deering, AK 99736</u>
<u>Bladys A. Luyck</u>	<u>Bladys A. Luyck</u>	<u>Deering, AK</u>
<u>Pauline BARR</u>	<u>Pauline Barr</u>	<u>Deering Alaska</u>
<u>Gilford BARR</u>	<u>Gilford Barr</u>	<u>Deering AK</u>

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<u>Flora Karmun</u>	<u>Flora Karmun</u>	<u>Deering Alaska</u>
<u>Mildred Kialook</u>	<u>Mildred Kialook</u>	<u>Deering Alaska</u>
<u>Mildred Sheldon</u>	<u>Mildred Sheldon</u>	<u>Deering Alaska</u>
<u>Sam Barr SR.</u>	<u>Samuel Barr</u>	<u>Deering, Ak.</u>
<u>ALICE G. KIRKMUW</u>	<u>Alice G. Kirkmuw</u>	<u>Deering Ak.</u>
<u>JERRY D. MOTO</u>	<u>Jerry D. Moto</u>	<u>Deering, Alaska</u>
<u>JOHN Thomas</u>	<u>John Thomas</u>	<u>Deering Alaska</u>
<u>Emmet Henry</u>	<u>Emmet Henry</u>	<u>Deering ak</u>

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Kiana

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<u>Mabel Barr</u>	<u>Mabel Barr</u>	<u>Kiana, Alaska</u>
<u>HAROLD Gooden Jr</u>	<u>Harold Gooden</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>Lorena Smith</u>	<u>Lorena Smith</u>	<u>Kiana</u>
<u>MARTHA DAWNEY</u>	<u>Martha DAWNEY</u>	<u>Kiana</u>
<u>Tommie Sheldon Jr</u>	<u>Tommie Sheldon Jr</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>NELLIE SCHUERCH</u>	<u>Nellie Schuerch</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>Blanche Cook</u>	<u>Blanche Cook</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>Elwood ATOROK</u>	<u>Elwood Atorok</u>	<u>Kiana, AK</u>
<u>Dolly Smith</u>	<u>Dolly Smith</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>Donald SMITH</u>	<u>Donald Smith</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>AGNES SMITH</u>	<u>Agnes Smith</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>Hilda Morena</u>	<u>Hilda Morena</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>Viola BARR</u>	<u>Viola Barr</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>Mary Barr</u>	<u>Mary Barr</u>	<u>Kiana, AK</u>
<u>Mary Atorok</u>	<u>Mary Atorok</u>	<u>Kiana, AK</u>
<u>FJ MARVIN ATOROK</u>	<u>FJ MARVIN ATOROK</u>	<u>Kiana</u>

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<u>Nellie E. Beecroft</u>	<u>Nellie E. Beecroft</u>	<u>Kiana, AK</u>
<u>Martha WELLS</u>	<u>Martha Wells</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>Murtle E. Jaycox</u>	<u>Murtle E. Jaycox</u>	<u>Kiana, AK</u>
<u>Angeline Hasway</u>	<u>Angeline Hasway</u>	<u>Kiana, AK</u>
<u>Florence Clark</u>	<u>Florence Clark</u>	<u>Kiana, Alaska</u>
<u>Effie Gooden</u>	<u>Effie Gooden</u>	<u>Kiana Alaska</u>
<u>Tuez Black</u>	<u>Tuez Black</u>	<u>Kiana Alaska</u>
<u>Annie Barr</u>	<u>Annie Barr</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>May Johnson</u>	<u>May Johnson</u>	<u>Kiana AK.</u>
<u>Cora Gooden</u>	<u>Cora Gooden</u>	<u>Kiana AK.</u>
<u>Winnona Simpson</u>	<u>Winnona Simpson</u>	<u>Kiana AK.</u>
<u>Henry Jackson</u>	<u>Henry Jackson</u>	<u>Kiana AK.</u>
<u>Roger ATORUK</u>	<u>Roger Atoruk</u>	<u>Kiana AK.</u>
<u>Ralph Stoney</u>	<u>Ralph Stoney</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
<u>Paul Wilson Sr</u>	<u>Paul Wilson Sr</u>	<u>Kiana AK</u>
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Thomas N. Smith	<i>Thomas N. Smith</i>	Kiana, AK 99749
David Henry	<i>David Henry</i>	Kiana AK 99749
Pages Jackson	<i>Pages Jackson</i>	" "
David <i>Fran Henry</i>	<i>Fran Henry</i>	Kiana AK 99749
JAMES W. Jackson	<i>James W. Jackson</i>	Kiana, AK 99749
Tom Johnson	<i>Tom Johnson</i>	Kiana, AK "
Clinton R. Sun	<i>Clinton R. Sun</i>	
GEORGE W. HANSEN	<i>George W. Hansen</i>	Kiana AK "
Percy Jackson Sr.	<i>Percy Jackson Sr.</i>	Kiana AK "
Irvin Merritt Sr.	<i>Irvin Merritt Sr.</i>	Kiana, AK "
BEN ATORUK	<i>Ben Atoruk</i>	Kiana
MARTIN L. SMITH	<i>Martin L. Smith</i>	Kiana, AK 99749
Arlene K. Richards	<i>Arlene K. Richards</i>	Kiana AK
Charlie A. Curtis	<i>Charlie A. Curtis</i>	Kiana 99749
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STANLEY HAWLEY	<i>Stanley Hawley</i>	KIVALINA
Millie Hawley	<i>Millie Hawley</i>	KIVALINA
Douglas Swan	<i>Douglas Swan</i>	KIVALINA
Enoch A. Adams Sr.	<i>Enoch A. Adams Sr.</i>	Kivalina
Dorothy Kania	<i>Dorothy Kania</i>	Kivalina
Isabelle K. Booth	<i>Isabelle K. Booth</i>	Kivalina
Therese Booth	<i>Therese Booth</i>	Kivalina
ERNEST S. HAWLEY	<i>Ernest S. Hawley</i>	KIVALINA
Charlie Sage	<i>Charlie Sage</i>	Kivalina
Jim Booth Sr.	<i>Jim Booth Sr.</i>	Kivalina
Lowell Sage Sr.	<i>Lowell Sage Sr.</i>	P.O. Box 5006 Kivalina, 99750
Alice A. Adams	<i>Alice A. Adams</i>	Box 5053 KIVALINA
Tommy Adams	<i>Tommy Adams</i>	Box 5072 KIVALINA 99750
Carol S. Adams	<i>Carol S. Adams</i>	Box 12 Kivalina 99750
Mura E. Adams	<i>Mura E. Adams</i>	Kivalina Ak. 99750
Wiana Hawley	<i>Wiana Hawley</i>	Kivalina, Ak. 99750
Raymond H. Hawley	<i>Raymond H. Hawley</i>	Kivalina Ak. 99750

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Louise L. Hawley	Louise L. Hawley	Kivalina
Sarah N. Hawley	Sarah N. Hawley	Kivalina
Ed T. Hawley	Ed T. Hawley	Kivalina
Lucille West Lucille West	Lucille West	Kivalina
Caleb P. West	Caleb P. West	Kivalina
Don Warner	Don Warner	Kivalina
Charlotte Swan	Charlotte Swan	Kivalina
Bertha Booth	Bertha Booth	Kivalina
Alice Adley Nussigait	Alice Adley Nussigait	Narvik
Becky Norton	Becky Norton	Kivalina

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Mildred Sage	Mildred Sage	Kivalina AK 99750
Lena Sage	Lena Sage	Kivalina AK 99750
Lena Baldwin	Lena Baldwin	Kivalina AK 99750
Elizabeth Hawley	Elizabeth Hawley	Kivalina AK 99750 Box 54
Eva Hawley	Eva Hawley	Kivalina AK 99750
Oscar Swan	Oscar Swan	Kivalina AK 99750
Nellie K. Swan	Nellie Swan	Kivalina Alaska 99750
LAWRENCE W. STOKES	Lawrence W. Stokes	Kivalina AK 99750
Martha K. Swan	Martha K. Swan	Kivalina 99750
Edith Kennedy	Edith Kennedy	Kivalina 99750
Kathleen Sage	Kathleen Sage	Kivalina 99750
Oscar K. Sage Sr	Oscar K. Sage Sr	Kivalina AK 99750
Jacob Swanick	Jacob Swanick	
Lawrence Adams	Lawrence Adams	Kivalina AK 99750
Solomon D. Sage	Solomon D. Sage	Kivalina AK 99750
Nellie Swan	Nellie Swan	Kivalina AK 99750
Robert Mitchell	Robert Mitchell	Kivalina AK 99750

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<u>Swineford A. Swan, Jr.</u>	<u>Swineford A. Swan, Jr.</u>	<u>Kivalina AK 99750</u>
<u>Richard T. Sage</u>	<u>Richard T. Sage</u>	<u>Kivalina AK 99750</u>
<u>Hilda P. Swan</u>	<u>Hilda P. Swan</u>	<u>" " "</u>
<u>Janet Mitchell</u>	<u>Janet Mitchell</u>	<u>" " "</u>
<u>Tillman Adams</u>	<u>Tillman Adams</u>	<u>" " "</u>

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<u>Jerry Burger</u>	<u>Jerry Burger</u>	<u>Box 12, Northak, AK. 99761</u>
<u>Charles H. Burger</u>	<u>Charles H. Burger</u>	<u>RD 12, Northak</u>
<u>Gerald Watten</u>	<u>Gerald Watten</u>	<u>Box 24, Northak</u>
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Isabelle Wesley	Isabelle Wesley	Natak Alaska
M. Arlene Mac	M. Arlene Mac	Natak Alaska
Ernestine	Ernestine	Natak
SCILLA ADAMS	SCILLA ADAMS	NATK AK
Grace L. Mitchell	Grace L. Mitchell	Natak AK
ELVA MONTGOMERY	Elva Montgomery	Natak AK
Mary A. Penn	Mary A. Penn	Natak AK
Francis Penn	Francis Penn	Natak AK
Albert Penn	Albert Penn	Natak AK
Carl Banner	Carl Banner	Natak Alaska
Gordon Wesley	Gordon Wesley	Natak AK 5774
Wayne Booth	Wayne Booth	Natak AK 99741
Wayne Houston	Wayne Houston	NATK AK 99741
Walter Wilson	Walter Wilson	Natak, ALASKA
BERT SHERMAN	Bert Sherman	Natak, Alaska
GLEN COPPER	GLEN COPPER	NATK AK
David Walter	David Walter	Natak AK

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Cesbe O Bonus	<i>Cesbe O Bonus</i>	NOATOK AK
Matthew Shy Jr.	<i>Matthew Shy Jr.</i>	Noatak Ak
Frank Onalike	<i>Frank Onalike</i>	Noatak Ak
Jerry Shy	<i>Jerry Shy</i>	Noatak AK
ROBERT SHELTON	<i>Robert Shelton</i>	Noatak Ak
VIOLA C. NORTON	<i>Viola C. Norton</i>	Box 36 Noatak, Ak.
Rose A Mills	<i>Rose A Mills</i>	Box 41 Noatak Ak
Richard Ashby	<i>Richard Ashby</i>	Box 99 Noatak Ak
Joseph J. GREY	<i>Joseph J. Grey</i>	Box 100 Noatak

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<u>Cloud Wesley Jr</u>	<u>Cloud Wesley Jr</u>	<u>P.O. Box 50, WTK AK-99761</u>
<u>Charles R. Snyder</u>	<u>Charles Snyder</u>	<u>P.O. Box 12 WTK 99761</u>
<u>Avel Mills</u>	<u>Avel Mills</u>	<u>P.O. Box 19 WTK 99761</u>
<u>TOM SAGE</u>	<u>Tom Sage</u>	<u>P.O. Box 7 WTK 99761</u>
<u>Carol Woods</u>	<u>Carol Woods</u>	<u>P.O. Box 50 WTK 99761</u>
<u>JOHN WILLIAMS</u>	<u>John Williams</u>	<u>P.O. Box 29 WTK 99761</u>
<u>Clyde Mills</u>	<u>Clyde Mills</u>	<u>P.O. Box 29 Noatak 99761</u>
<u>S. Wanda Wesley</u>	<u>S. Wanda Wesley</u>	<u>P.O. Box 46 Noatak, AK</u>
Edna		
<u>Ramona Walton</u>	<u>Ramona Walton</u>	<u>Box 24 Noatak, AK 99761</u>
<u>Charla Booth</u>	<u>Charla Booth</u>	<u>Box 27 Noatak, AK 99761</u>
<u>Philip Booth</u>	<u>Philip Booth</u>	<u>Box 27 Noatak</u>
<u>Walter W. Douray</u>	<u>Walter W. Douray</u>	<u>Box 55 Noatak, AK 99761</u>
<u>Frederica Schaeffer</u>	<u>Frederica Schaeffer</u>	<u>Box 1 Noatak, AK 99761</u>
<u>Murtle S. Adams</u>	<u>Murtle S. Adams</u>	<u>Box 23 Noatak, AK 99761</u>
<u>NORA N. BOOTH</u>	<u>Nora N. Booth</u>	<u>Box 18 Noatak, AK 99761</u>
<u>MARY H. MONROE</u>	<u>Mary H. Monroe</u>	<u>Box 2 Noatak AK 99761</u>

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<u>Connie Walton</u>	<u>Connie Walton</u>	<u>Box 28 Noatak AK 99761</u>
<u>Jonah A. Walton Jr</u>	<u>Jonah Walton Jr</u>	<u>Box 28 Noatak AK 99761</u>
<u>Hilda L. Luther</u>	<u>Hilda L. Luther</u>	<u>Box 64 Noatak AK 99761</u>
<u>Helen Ashby</u>	<u>Helen Ashby</u>	<u>Box 99 Noatak AK 99761</u>

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<u>VERNON ADAMS</u>	<u>Vernon Adams</u>	<u>Nootak Alaska</u>
<u>Grace Adams</u>	<u>Grace Adams</u>	<u>Nootak Alaska 99761</u>
<u>Ivan J. Booth</u>	<u>Ivan J. Booth</u>	<u>Nootak Alaska 99761</u>
<u>SUSIE LUTHER</u>	<u>Susie Luther</u>	<u>Nootak Alaska 99761</u>
<u>PEYER LUTHER</u>	<u>Peyer Luther</u>	<u>Nootak Ak 99761</u>
<u>Laura</u>	<u>Laura</u>	<u>Nootak 99761</u>
<u>Phyllis</u>		
<u>Hannah Inalik</u>	<u>Hannah Inalik</u>	<u>Nootak Ak</u>
<u>Kathy Arnold</u>	<u>Kathy Arnold</u>	<u>Nootak Ak 99761</u>
<u>Mrs. Barbara MINA BAEVY</u>	<u>Barbara Mina Baevy</u>	<u>Nootak Ak</u>
<u>EVA PENN</u>	<u>Eva Penn</u>	<u>Nootak</u>
<u>ROSELLA PENN</u>	<u>Rosella Penn</u>	<u>Box 10 NOOTAK AK 99761</u>
<u>CHARLES WESLEY</u>	<u>Charles Wesley</u>	<u>Nootak Alaska</u>
<u>DELLA R. LUTHER</u>	<u>Della R. Luther</u>	<u>Nootak, Ak. - 99761 -</u>
<u>FRED S. LUTHER</u>	<u>Fred S. Luther</u>	<u>Nootak, Ak. - 99761 -</u>
<u>Paul Inalik</u>		
<u>HARRY JOHNSON</u>	<u>Harry Johnson</u>	<u>Nootak Ak - 99761 -</u>

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Lester M. Vestal	Lester M. Vestal	Box 33 Noatak, AK
Pauline Vestal	Pauline Vestal	Box 33 Noatak, AK
Gertrude Sherman	Gertrude Sherman	Box 29 Noatak, AK
Ella Sheldon	Ella Sheldon	Kiana, AK
Grace Bailey	Grace Bailey	Box 3 Noatak, AK
Emma Foster	Emma Foster	Noatak, AK
JAMES ADAMS	James Adams	Box 23 Noatak
M H R V ANOLD	Mary Ann V. Arnold	Box 17, Noatak
Dwight E Arnold	Dwight E Arnold	Box 17 - Noatak
Alexander Onalika Victoria Onalika	Victoria Onalika	Box 21 - Noatak
Melford Booth	Melford Booth	Noatak, AK
Paul Norton se.	Paul Norton	Box 63 Noatak
Dussie Norton	Dussie Norton	Box 63 Noatak
Alfred Stalder	Alfred Stalder	Noatak
Manuel Booth	Manuel Booth	Box 34 Noatak
John P. Starbuck	John P. Starbuck	
Everett Starbuck Evelyn Starbuck	Evelyn Starbuck	Box 13 Noatak

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<u>RANDY MULLIK</u>	<u>Randy Mullik</u>	<u>Box 33 ORU</u>
<u>Veale Patterson</u>	<u>Veale Patterson</u>	<u>Box 122 ORU</u>
<u>COOP COFFIN</u>	<u>Coop Coffin</u>	<u>Box 57 ORU</u>
<u>David Miller</u>	<u>David Miller</u>	<u>Gen. Del. ORU</u>
<u>Donald G. Sheldon</u>	<u>Donald G. Sheldon</u>	<u>P.O. Box 27 ORU</u>
<u>WALLACE Snyder</u>	<u>Wallace Snyder</u>	<u>Box 22 " "</u>
<u>Patsy A Newlin</u>	<u>Patsy A. Newlin</u>	<u>Box 608 Kotzebue.</u>
<u>MURPHY R PATTERSON SR</u>	<u>Murphy R. Patterson Sr</u>	<u>Box 172 NOORVIK</u>
<u>Victoria Ballist</u>	<u>Victoria Ballist</u>	<u>Gen. Del Noorvik AK. 99763</u>
<u>Lennie Tebbits</u>	<u>Lennie Tebbits</u>	<u>Box 13 Noorvik ofc.</u>
<u>Aurora J. Sampson</u>	<u>Aurora J. Sampson</u>	<u>Box 77 Noorvik 99763</u>
<u>CHUCK MULLIK</u>	<u>Chuck Mullik</u>	<u>" 32 Noorvik AK. 1</u>
<u>Thomas A. Pangalik, II</u>	<u>Thomas A. Pangalik II</u>	<u>Box 67 ORU</u>
<u>Ernie E. Black</u>	<u>Ernie E. Black</u>	<u>Box 84 ORU</u>
<u>COFFIN GLENN</u>	<u>Glenn Coffin</u>	<u>Box 33 ORU</u>
<u>Viola Black</u>	<u>Viola Black</u>	<u>Box 34 ORU</u>
<u>JOHN I. GIRD</u>	<u>John I. Gird</u>	<u>Box 97 Noorvik</u>

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George T Ahlqvist	George T Ahlqvist	Gen Del Noorvik
HORACE FIELD	Horace Field	P.O. Box 144 Noorvik
Picky Wells	Picky Wells	Box 105 Orv.
Valeria Black	Valeria Black	Box 84 Orv
Matthew K. Mattson	Matthew K. Mattson	Box 23
Bert Smith	Bert Smith	P.O. Box 164
Geneve Tebbits	Geneve Tebbits	Box 32
Dorcas H Jackson	Dorcas H Jackson	Box 37
Elmer Pungoch	Elmer Pungoch	Box 45
Charlie N. Nazuruk	Charlie N. Nazuruk	Box 43
Cordeus Newlin	Cordeus Newlin	Noorvik, Box 44
ISAAC SMITH SR	Isaac Smith Sr	Box 164 Noorvik
Martha Smith	Martha Smith	Box 164 Noorvik
Tommie Tebbits	Tommie Tebbits	Box 32 Noorvik
Hazel Snyder	Hazel Snyder	Box 22 Noorvik
Robert Newlin	Robert Newlin	Box 85 Noorvik ak
Maggie K Newlin	Maggie K Newlin	Box 85 Noorvik AK

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Gene K Sampson	<i>Gene K Sampson</i>	Noorvik
Viola A. Black	<i>Viola Black</i>	" "
DONNA D GEORGE	<i>Donna D. George</i>	" "
Lulu A Jackson	<i>Lulu A. Jackson</i>	" "
LEUI COFFIN	<i>Leui Coffin</i>	" "
Ross Jackson Sr	<i>Ross Jackson Sr.</i>	" "
Carmen Tebbits	<i>Carmen Tebbits</i>	" "
Nita Tebbits	<i>Nita Tebbits</i>	" "
Raven Jackson	<i>Raven Jackson</i>	" "
Edna Garfield	<i>Edna Garfield</i>	" "
Mercy Foster	<i>Mercy Foster</i>	
Pauline S. Harvey	<i>Pauline S. Harvey</i>	" "
Violet Pungalik	<i>Violet Pungalik</i>	" "
Romona Field	<i>Romona Field</i>	" "
Helen N. Kagoma	<i>Helen N. Kagoma</i>	Noorvik
Louise Foster	<i>Louise Foster</i>	Noorvik, Ak
Martha Garfield	<i>Martha Garfield</i>	"

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Wilbur Ampson	Wilbur Ampson	Box 6 ORU
Thomas Pungvik	Thomas Pungvik	Box 91 ORU
Rick LANGFITT	Rick Langfitt	Box 35 Noorvik
William A. Grubbs	William A. Grubbs	Box 42 Noorvik
Diane Langfitt	Diane Langfitt	Box 35 Noorvik
Edith Pungvik	Edith Pungvik	Box 41 71
Molly Snyder	Molly Snyder	Box 26 Noorvik, Ak
Angelina Nowlin	Angelina Nowlin	Box 44 " "
Minnie Morris	Minnie Morris	Box 65 " "
Walter L Morris Sr	Walter L Morris Sr.	Box 65 Noorvik Ak
Robert C Patterson	Robert C Patterson	Box 143
Norma C Patterson	Norma C Patterson	Box 143
Minnie G. Sholla	Minnie G. Sholla	Box 31
Frances A. Ballot	Frances A. Ballot	Box 64
Vivian Zimmerman	Vivian Zimmerman	Box 161 Noorvik Ak.
Clarence Jackson	Clarence Jackson	Box 51 Noorvik Ak
Christie Jackson	Christie Jackson	Box 51 Noorvik Ak

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Kobuk

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Daniel J. Davis	<i>Daniel J. Davis</i>	Kobuk, AK.
Ida Ross	<i>Ida Ross</i>	Kobuk AK
FAITH MOYER	<i>Faith Moyer</i>	Kobuk AK
Rose Custer	<i>Rose Custer</i>	Kobuk AK
Amelia Gray	<i>Amelia Gray</i>	Kobuk AK
Mary Bravard	<i>Mary Bravard</i>	Kobuk AK
Wilson J. Ticket	<i>Wilson J. Ticket</i>	Kobuk AK.
NINA HARRIS	<i>Nina Harris</i>	Kobuk
RAY SNYDER	<i>Ray Snyder</i>	" "
Minnie Moyer	<i>Minnie Moyer</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Herbert Custer	<i>Herbert Custer</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Mary Lou Custer	<i>Mary Lou Custer</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Alex Wood	<i>Alex Wood</i>	" "
WALTER TICKET	<i>Walter Ticket</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Joseph Harvey	<i>Joseph Harvey</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Lena Ticket	<i>Lena Ticket</i>	Kobuk AK 99751
Rosie Ward	<i>Rosie Ward</i>	Kobuk AK

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Kotzebue

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JACOB A. STALKER ^{St.}	Jacob A. Stalker ^{St.}	Kotzebue A.K.
MARJORIE BAKER	Marjorie Baker	" "
Sophie Ferguson	Sophie Ferguson	" "
Rennie Smith	Rennie Smith	" "
Josephine Sullakorn	Josephine Sullakorn	" "
Elizabeth Adams	Elizabeth Adams	" "
Irene Mitchell	Irene Mitchell	" "
Elsie Gooden	Elsie Gooden	" "
Lee Stalker	Lee Stalker	" "
Patsy Stalker	Patsy Stalker	" "
WILLIAM L. HENSEL	William L. Hensel	" "

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Kotzebue

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Suzy Enlich	Suzy Enlich	Box 56, Kotzebue
Glenda McLuke	Glenda McLuke	Box 231 Kotzebue, Ak
Murna Mendenhall	Murna Mendenhall	Box 146 " " "
Theresa K Dahl	Theresa K Dahl	Box 763
Heather Booth	Heather Booth	Box 237
Elmer Armstrong	Elmer Armstrong	Box 119
Barrie Armstrong	Barrie Armstrong	Box 111
Mabel P. Schackel	Mabel P. Schackel	Box 6 Kotzebue, Ak
Edward Harnicutt	Edward Harnicutt	Box 123 OTZ AK
Robert Harnicutt	Robert Harnicutt	Box 123 OTZ AK
Dorothy Mendenhall	Dorothy Mendenhall	Box 112 OTZ

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Daniel Thomas Jr	<i>Daniel Thomas Jr</i>	1218 Lake St Oty
Ruthie J. Thomas	<i>Ruthie J. Thomas</i>	Box 64 - Kotzebue
Lorena Thomas	Lorena Thomas	
Lorena Thomas	<i>Lorena Thomas</i>	Box 229 Kotzebue
Riley Euat	<i>Riley Euat</i>	121 Del Kotzebue
Jessie Merton	Jessie Merton	
William W. Grease	<i>William W. Grease</i>	Box 302, Kotzebue, Alaska 991
Kyngie Fule	<i>Kyngie Fule</i>	Box 673 Kotzebue AK
June M. Kujala	<i>June M. Kujala</i>	Box 52 Kotzebue AK
Willie Gordon Jr	<i>Willie Gordon Jr</i>	Box 334 Kotzebue AK
Allen DeWitt	<i>Allen DeWitt</i>	Box 123 OTZ
Ida B. ESEMIEIER	<i>Ida B. Esemieier</i>	Box 149 OTZ
Wallace Williams	<i>Wallace Williams</i>	Box 215 Oty
Gene Foster	<i>Gene Foster</i>	" 35
James Hildreth	<i>James Hildreth</i>	PO Box 798 OTZ
Thomas A. Remett	<i>Thomas A. Remett</i>	POB 794 Oty
Sarah M. Tepelman	<i>Sarah M. Tepelman</i>	Box 516 Kotzebue

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<u>Elsie P. Adams</u>	<u>Elsie P. Adams</u>	<u>84 Kitzik Ak 99752</u>
<u>Tillie Henn</u>	<u>Tillie Henn</u>	<u>78 Kotzebue AK 99751</u>
<u>Russell D. White</u>	<u>Russell D. White</u>	<u>General Del. Kotzebue</u>
<u>Vernon E. Goodro</u>	<u>Vernon E. Goodro</u>	<u>Box 343 Kotzebue AK</u>
<u>Robert M. Snyder</u>	<u>Robert M. Snyder</u>	<u>Box 176 OTZ AK</u>
<u>Steve M. Marshall</u>	<u>Steve M. Marshall</u>	<u>Box 146 OTZ AK</u>
<u>Randolph Marshall</u>	<u>Randolph Marshall</u>	<u>Box 647 OTZ AK</u>
<u>Peter J. Wright</u>	<u>Peter J. Wright</u>	<u>Box 50 OTZ, AK</u>
<u>William H. Mathen</u>	<u>W. Mathen</u>	<u>P.O. Box 897 Kotz</u>
<u>Shirley</u>	<u>Shirley</u>	<u>R. 5005 AK</u>
<u>Sandra L. Russell</u>	<u>Sandra Russell</u>	<u>Box 160 Kotzebue, AK</u>
<u>EMMA SNYDER</u>	<u>Emma Snyder</u>	<u>Box 1160 Kotzebue</u>
<u>Robert Gal</u>	<u>Robert Gal</u>	<u>Box 1013 Kotz.</u>
<u>MARGARET B. RUSSELL</u>	<u>Margaret B. Russell</u>	<u>Box 274 OTZ</u>
<u>Nicholas E. Flanders</u>	<u>Nicholas E. Flanders</u>	<u>Box 831 OTZ</u>
<u>RJ ENKEBETH, SR</u>	<u>R. J. Enkebeth, Sr</u>	<u>P.O. Box 652 KOTZEBUE, AK 99752</u>
<u>ROBERT A. JEPSON</u>	<u>Robert A. Jepson</u>	<u>Box 685 KOTZEBUE 99752</u>

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<u>NAME (PRINT)</u>	<u>SIGNATURE</u>	<u>RESIDENT ADDRESS</u>
Charles T. Goodwin	Charles T. Goodwin	Box 1711 OTZ
Flora S. Tjerson	Flora S. Tjerson	Box 685 Kotzebue
BARBARA K. Curtis	Barbara K. Curtis	Box 282 Kotzebue
Ted Davicovics	Ted Davicovics	Box 683 OTZ
LINDA DAVICOVICS	Linda Davicovics	Box 683 Kotzebue
BRUCE KOVARIK	Bruce Kovarik	Box 855 Kotzebue
Herman Bergeson	Herman Bergeson	Box 682 "
ROY W. WILLOCK	Roy Willock	Box 922 "
KENNETH TIKIK	Kenneth Tikik	Box 107 "
Roy Mendenhall	Roy Mendenhall	" 146 "
Hannah Mendenhall	Hannah Mendenhall	" " "
LINDA C. SOULE Linda C. Soule	Linda C. Soule	Box 673 Kotzebue

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<u>Raymond Amundson</u>	<u>Raymond Amundson</u>	<u>KOTZEBUE</u>
<u>Patsy A. Stallworth</u>	<u>Patsy A. Stallworth</u>	<u>Box 589 Kotzebue Alaska 99752</u>
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<u>Easter L. Henry</u>	<u>Easter L. Henry</u>	<u>Box 169 Kotz 99752</u>
<u>Walter Stewart</u>	<u>Walter Stewart</u>	<u>Box 2225 Kotz B.C. UOX 12</u>
<u>REUBEN TOWKSSHEA JR</u>	<u>Reuben Towksshea Jr</u>	<u>Box 1136 Kotz</u>
<u>GLEN H. HUNN</u>	<u>Glen Hunn</u>	<u>Box 123 KOTZ. AK</u>
<u>WILBUR KARMUN SR</u>	<u>Wilbur Karmun Sr</u>	<u>Box 722 - ATZ</u>
<u>John R. Riley</u>	<u>John R. Riley</u>	<u>Box 1163 ATZ</u>
<u>WILBUR KARMUN JR.</u>	<u>Wilbur Karmun Jr.</u>	<u>P.O. Box 824 KOTZ.</u>
<u>Paul J. Hansen</u>	<u>Paul J. Hansen</u>	<u>Box 502 Kotz</u>
<u>Alice Moore</u>	<u>Alice Moore</u>	<u>Box 304; Kotz</u>
<u>Bernice Spalock</u>	<u>Bernice Spalock</u>	<u>Box 8 Kotz</u>
<u>David Weingartner</u>	<u>David Weingartner</u>	<u>PHS Hospital Kotzebue, AK</u>
<u>CHARLES J. GREENE</u>	<u>Charles J. Greene</u>	<u>Box 302 Kotzebue, AK 99752</u>
<u>Lena Coffee</u>	<u>Lena Coffee</u>	<u>657 Kotzebue 99752</u>
<u>Jane Adams</u>	<u>Jane Adams</u>	<u>712 Kotzebue, AK 99752</u>

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<u>DONNA LUMS</u>	<u>Donna Lums</u>	<u>Box 709 Kotzebue</u>
<u>Winnie Reeve</u>	<u>(Winnie) Reeve</u>	<u>Box 602 Kotzebue</u>
<u>Sue Morrill</u>	<u>Sue Morrill</u>	<u>Box 563 Kotzebue</u>
<u>ALLEN MARONETS</u>	<u>Allen W. Maronets</u>	<u>Box 661 Kotzebue</u>
<u>Thomas K. Balen</u>	<u>Thomas K. Balen</u>	<u>Box 778 Kotzebue</u>
<u>Kirk Berger</u>	<u>Kirk Berger</u>	<u>Box 901 Kotzebue</u>
<u>Robert L. Dawson</u>	<u>R. L. Dawson</u>	<u>Box 836 Kotzebue</u>
<u>MARTY JONES</u>	<u>Marty Jones</u>	<u>Box 100 SELAWIK</u>
<u>Erica J. Green</u>	<u>Erica F. Green</u>	<u>Box 306 Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>Brad Reeve</u>	<u>Brad Reeve</u>	<u>Box 602 Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>Augustine Hoffmann</u>	<u>Augustine Hoffmann</u>	<u>Box 734 Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>Theodore B. Kingack</u>	<u>Theo B. Kingack</u>	<u>P.O. Box 5 Kotzebue 99752</u>
<u>Clarence Allen</u>	<u>Clarence Allen</u>	<u>P.O. Box 254 Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>Charlie Kiana</u>	<u>Charlie Kiana</u>	<u>P.O. Box 251 Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>Boris M. Luke</u>	<u>Boris M. Luke</u>	<u>P.O. Box 231 Kotzebue</u>
<u>JAMES P. Norton</u>	<u>James P. Norton</u>	<u>Box 252 OTC</u>
<u>JOHN R. RILEY</u>	<u>John R. Riley</u>	

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<u>FRANK WRIGHT</u>	<u>Frank Wright</u>	<u>P.O. box 209-OTZ</u>
<u>Clyde Miller</u>	<u>Clyde Miller</u>	<u>Box 9</u>
<u>ELAINE SNYDER</u>	<u>Elaine Snyder</u>	<u>P.O. Box 226 Kotz.</u>
<u>CHARLES M. HUSS</u>	<u>Charles M. Huss</u>	<u>P.O. Box 277 Kotz.</u>
<u>Wita J. McQueen</u>	<u>Wita J. McQueen</u>	<u>P.O. Box 190 Kotzebue, AK</u>
<u>LARRY L. DAVIS</u>	<u>Larry L. Davis</u>	<u>P.O. Box 982 Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>Joshua Scores Jr.</u>	<u>Joshua Scores Jr.</u>	<u>Box 247 Kotz. Ak. 99752</u>
<u>Clement Lawrence</u>	<u>Clement Lawrence</u>	<u>Box 242 Kotz. AK 99752</u>
<u>Sophie M. Engelbrecht</u>	<u>Sophie M. Engelbrecht</u>	<u>Box 652 Kitzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>Ingram H. Willock</u>	<u>Ingram H. Willock</u>	<u>Box 170 Kotz. Ak. 99752</u>
<u>Roy H. Miller</u>	<u>Roy H. Miller</u>	<u>Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>MIKE B. SCORSE</u>	<u>Mike B. Scorse</u>	<u>Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>Benedicta D. ...</u>	<u>Benedicta D. ...</u>	<u>Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>Wayne E. Hawley</u>	<u>Wayne E. Hawley</u>	<u>Kotzebue AK 99752</u>
<u>MARIE ...</u>	<u>Marie ...</u>	<u>Kotzebue AK 99752</u>

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<u>Gene Kullback</u>	<u>Gene Kullback</u>	<u>Box 937 Kotz</u>
<u>Helena Kullback</u>	<u>Helena Kullback</u>	<u>Box 744 Kotz</u>
<u>Linda Henry</u>	<u>Linda Henry</u>	<u>Box 153 Kotz</u>
<u>Walter Hill</u>	<u>Walter Hill</u>	<u>Box 576 Kotz</u>
<u>Walter Hill</u>	<u>Walter Hill</u>	<u>Box 576 Kotz</u>
<u>Walter Hill</u>	<u>Walter Hill</u>	<u>Box 576 Kotz</u>
<u>FRANK DIAS</u>	<u>Frank Dias</u>	<u>Box 111 - Box 1000 7965</u>
<u>Albert L. Jones</u>	<u>Albert L. Jones</u>	<u>Box 220 CT2 AK</u>
<u>Jim Jones</u>	<u>Jim Jones</u>	<u>Box 159 CT2</u>
<u>Walter Hill</u>	<u>Walter Hill</u>	<u>Box 4 - Kotz</u>
<u>Don Hill</u>	<u>Don Hill</u>	<u>Box 176</u>
<u>Wallace Field</u>	<u>Wallace Field</u>	<u>Box 141 AK 99713</u>
<u>David K. Jones</u>	<u>David K. Jones</u>	<u>Box 56 AK 11</u>
<u>David K. Jones</u>	<u>David K. Jones</u>	<u>Box 56 CT2</u>
<u>LOUIS F. JONES</u>	<u>Louis F. Jones</u>	<u>Box 145 Kotz 99752</u>
<u>Tucker M Hill</u>	<u>Tucker M Hill</u>	<u>P.O. Box 671 Kotz 99752</u>

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<u>Charles N. Smith</u>	<u>Charles N. Smith</u>	<u>Selawik Ak. 99770</u>
<u>Ludia Ramoth</u>	<u>Ludia Ramoth</u>	<u>Selawik Alaska 99770</u>
<u>Nita Commack</u>	<u>Nita Commack</u>	<u>Box 11 Sel. Ak. 99770</u>
<u>DORIS DAVIS</u>	<u>Doris Davis</u>	<u>20156 Selawik Ak 99770</u>
<u>Pauline Harrison Kemm</u>	<u>Pauline Harrison Kemm</u>	<u>Box 54 Selawik Ak 99770</u>
<u>WYNITA HENRY</u> <u>Wynita Henry</u>	<u>Wynita Henry</u>	<u>Box 46 Selawik</u>
<u>Eileen Foxlove</u>	<u>Eileen Foxlove</u>	<u>Box 68 Selawik</u>
<u>MERLE M SNYDER</u>	<u>Merle M Snyder</u>	<u>Box 44 Selawik Ak 99770</u>
<u>DOROTHY FOXLOVE</u> <u>Dorothy Foxlove</u>	<u>Dorothy Foxlove</u>	<u>Box 39 Selawik Ak " "</u>
<u>PAULINE RAMOTH</u> <u>WARREN RAMOTH</u>	<u>Pauline Ramoth</u>	<u>Box 39 Selawik Ak</u>
<u>WARREN RAMOTH</u>	<u>Warren Ramoth</u>	<u>Box 39 Sel. Ak. 99770</u>
<u>Ellen A. Cleveland</u>	<u>Ellen A. Cleveland</u>	<u>Box 62 Sel. Ak. 99770</u>
<u>MARNA TICKET</u>	<u>Marna Ticket</u>	<u>Box 130 Selawik Ak 99770</u>
<u>Sarah Goodie</u>	<u>Sarah Goodie</u>	<u>Box 6 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>Marie M. Greist</u>	<u>Marie M Greist</u>	<u>Box 81 Selawik, Ak. 99770</u>
<u>Annie Smith</u> <u>LUCY SMITH</u>	<u>Annie Smith</u>	<u>Box 18 Selawik ak 99770</u>
	<u>Lucy Smith</u>	<u>Box 36 Selawik AK 99770</u>

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Lucille Kolhok	Lucille Kolhok	Box 40 Selkirk 99770
SARAH CLARK	Sarah Clark	Box 28 Selawik
Lottie Ballot	Lottie Ballot	Box 27 Selawik Alaska 99770
MELLIE RUSSELL	Mellie Russell	Box 27 Selawik Alaska 99770

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Wynona Harris	<i>Wynona Harris</i>	Selawik
Harold P. Blum	<i>Harold P. Blum</i>	Selawik
Paul Caxon	<i>Paul Caxon</i>	Selawik
Donald O. Knox	<i>Donald O. Knox</i>	Selawik
Elmer Ballot	<i>Elmer Ballot</i>	Selawik
Ronald R. Smith Sr.	<i>Ronald R. Smith Sr.</i>	Selawik
BRENDA SMITH	<i>Brenda Smith</i>	Selawik
Edward Leon Sr.	<i>Edward Leon Sr.</i>	Selawik
Delbert Harrison	<i>Delbert Harrison</i>	Selawik
WALTER LIGHT	<i>Walter Light</i>	Selawik
Urban Cleveland	<i>Urban Cleveland</i>	Selawik
BARNEY PATE	<i>Barney Pate</i>	" "
Lloyd Ballot	<i>Lloyd Ballot</i>	" "
George Benny	<i>George Benny</i>	Selawik, AK
William Sheldon	<i>William Sheldon</i>	Selawik AK
Jackie Commack	<i>Jackie Commack</i>	Selawik AK
Jackie C. Snyder	<i>Jackie C. Snyder</i>	" "

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<u>Edith Snuder</u>	<u>Edith Snuder</u>	<u>Selawik AK</u>
<u>ROGER CLARK</u>	<u>Roger Clark</u>	<u>Box 108 Selawik, Ak.</u>
<u>Roland Roth Sr</u>	<u>Roland Roth</u>	<u>Box 130 Selawik</u>
<u>Gretchen Roth</u>	<u>Gretchen Roth</u>	<u>Box 130 Selawik</u>
<u>Michael Wood</u>	<u>Michael Wood</u>	<u>Box 47 Selawik</u>
<u>Ruby Foster</u>	<u>Ruby Foster</u>	<u>Box 5 Selawik</u>
<u>Lorena Merrill</u>	<u>Lorena Merrill</u>	<u>Box 53 Selawik AK</u>
<u>Hannah Davis</u>	<u>Hannah Davis</u>	<u>P.O. 58 Selawik</u>
<u>LLOYD S. DAVIS</u>	<u>Lloyd S. Davis</u>	<u>Box 98 Selawik</u>

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<u>Hilda Mendenhall</u>	<u>Hilda Mendenhall</u>	<u>P.O. Box 32 Selawik - AK 9977</u>
<u>CLYDE RAMOTH</u>	<u>Clyde Ramoth</u>	<u>P.O. BOX 12 SELAWIK AK 9977</u>
<u>ARLENE BILLOT</u>	<u>Arlene Billet</u>	<u>P.O. BOX 128 SELAWIK AK 9977</u>
<u>HARVEY SMITH</u>	<u>Harvey Smith</u>	<u>P.O. BOX 5 SELAWIK AK 9977</u>
<u>Judy M. Clark</u>	<u>Judy M. Clark</u>	<u>P.O. Box 28 Selawik AK 9977</u>
<u>Harold E. Smith</u>	<u>Harold E. Smith</u>	<u>P.O. Box 5 Selawik AK 9977</u>
<u>VIRGINIA O. CLARK</u>	<u>Virginia O. Clark</u>	<u>P.O. Box 137 Selawik, AK 9977</u>
<u>Florence Greist</u>	<u>Florence Greist</u>	<u>P.O. Box 135 Selawik, AK 9977</u>
<u>Willie Mitchell</u>	<u>Willie Mitchell</u>	<u>P.O. Box 135 Selawik, AK 9977</u>
<u>Ada Snyder</u>	<u>Ada Snyder</u>	<u>P.O. Box 43 Selawik, AK 9977</u>
<u>Lorenz Smith</u>	<u>Lorenz Smith</u>	<u>P.O. Box #43 Selawik, AK 9977</u>
<u>Daniel Davis</u>	<u>Daniel Davis</u>	<u>Box 141 Selawik, AK 9977</u>
<u>Hazel Billet</u>	<u>Hazel Billet</u>	<u>Box 71 Selawik, AK 9977</u>
<u>Harriet Wood</u>	<u>Harriet Wood</u>	<u>Box 15 Selawik AK 9977</u>
<u>Carrie Kolhok</u>	<u>Carrie Kolhok</u>	<u>Box 48 Selawik, AK 9977</u>
<u>Laura Clark</u>	<u>Laura Clark</u>	<u>Box 89 Selawik AK 9977</u>
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<u>RODNEY BROWN</u>	<u>RODNEY BROWN</u>	<u>P.O. Box 1111 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>Ethel Simpson</u>	<u>Ethel Simpson</u>	<u>Box 7 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>Tomer Lavin</u>	<u>Tomer Lavin</u>	<u>Box 151 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>Lowell Ramoth</u>	<u>Lowell Ramoth</u>	<u>Box 39 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>Paul Cleveland</u>	<u>Paul Cleveland</u>	<u>Box 95 " " 99770</u>
<u>Marvin Ramoth</u>	<u>Marvin Ramoth</u>	<u>Box 39 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>Violet Cleveland</u>	<u>Violet Cleveland</u>	<u>Box 95 Selawik</u>
<u>Joseph Cleveland Sr</u>	<u>Joseph Cleveland Sr</u>	<u>Box 95 Selawik 99770</u>
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<u>Collins Mendenhall</u>	<u>Collins Mendenhall</u>	<u>Selawik Ak. Box 33 99770</u>
<u>Wettie Foxlove</u>	<u>Wettie Foxlove</u>	<u>Selawik Box 42</u>
<u>David M. Wright</u>	<u>David M. Wright</u>	<u>Selawik Alaska</u>
<u>Charles Wright</u>	<u>Charles Wright</u>	<u>" "</u>
<u>James F. Wright</u>	<u>James F. Wright</u>	<u>" "</u>
<u>Mary Pettila</u>	<u>Mary Pettila</u>	<u>" "</u>
<u>Ben Ingvaldsen</u>	<u>Ben Ingvaldsen</u>	<u>Selawik Alaska</u>
<u>Jane Cleveland</u>	<u>Jane Cleveland</u>	<u>Selawik Alaska</u>
<u>Daniel S. Ferguson Sr.</u>	<u>Daniel S. Ferguson</u>	<u>Selawik Alaska</u>
<u>Alec Pete</u>	<u>Alec Pete</u>	<u>Selawik Alaska</u>
<u>Talbert E. Davis</u>	<u>Talbert E. Davis</u>	<u>Box 19 - Selawik, Ak. 99770</u>
<u>Kenneth Harris</u>	<u>Kenneth Harris</u>	<u>Box 10 - Selawik Ak. 99770</u>
<u>Alma Grace Goodie</u>	<u>Alma Grace Goodie</u>	<u>Box 94 - Selawik, Ak. 99770</u>
<u>EMMA RAMOTH</u>	<u>Emma Ramoth</u>	<u>Box 12 Selawik, Ak. 99770</u>
<u>Mary Sauck</u>	<u>Mary Sauck</u>	<u>Box 116 Selawik,</u>
<u>Doreen Clark</u>	<u>Doreen Clark</u>	<u>Box 108 Selawik, Ak. 99770</u>

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<u>Margelaine Tikik</u>	<u>Margelaine Tikik</u>	<u>P.O. Box 111 Selawik Ak.</u>
<u>Mary Pete</u>	<u>Mary Pete</u>	<u>P.O. Box 63 Selawik Ak.</u>
<u>Mary + m. Tikik</u>	<u>Mary + m. Tikik</u>	<u>P.O. Box 42 Selawik Ak.</u>
<u>Wilbur Howarth</u>	<u>Wilbur Howarth</u>	<u>P.O. Box 12 Selawik AK</u>
<u>Jeffrey Punnett</u>	<u>Jeffrey Punnett</u>	<u>P.O. Box 12 Selawik Ak.</u>
<u>ALFRED H. FURBER</u>	<u>Alfred H. Furber</u>	<u>Box 42 Selawik Ak 99720</u>
<u>Linda Mitchell</u>	<u>Linda Mitchell</u>	<u>P.O. Box 1 Selawik, AK 99720</u>
<u>Hannah B. Leon</u>	<u>Hannah B. Leon</u>	<u>P.O. Box 11 Selawik, AK</u>
<u>Anna G. Gray</u>	<u>Anna G. Gray</u>	<u>P.O. Box 154 Selawik Ak.</u>
<u>Ronald E. Skin</u>	<u>Ronald E. Skin</u>	<u>P.O. Box 16 Selawik, A.K.</u>
<u>BEN HARRIS</u>	<u>Ben Harris</u>	<u>P.O. Box 122 Selawik</u>
<u>Thomas Ticker</u>	<u>Thomas Ticker</u>	<u>P.O. Box 53 Selawik AK 99720</u>
<u>12210 BULL</u>	<u>King Bull</u>	<u>Box 74 Selawik 99720</u>
<u>CHARLES BROWN</u>	<u>Charles Brown</u>	<u>Box 115 Selawik 99720</u>
<u>DANNY TSKIN</u>	<u>Danny T. Skin</u>	<u>Box 55 Selawik AK 99720</u>
<u>CARL M FOXGLOVE</u>	<u>Carl M Foxglove</u>	<u>Box 45 WIK,</u>
<u>ELWOOD GIBBLE</u>	<u>Elwood Gibble</u>	<u>Box 6 WIK 99720</u>

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<u>BEN FOX-LOVE JR</u>	<u>Ben Foxlove Jr</u>	<u>Box 42 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>HERMAN K. HENRI</u>	<u>Herman K. Henri</u>	<u>114 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>ELSA E. FOSTER</u>	<u>Elsa Foster</u>	<u>Box 45 Sel AK 99770</u>
<u>THEODORE MITCHELL</u>	<u>Theodore Mitchell</u>	<u>Box 153 Selawik, AK 99770</u>
<u>ALICE SKIN</u>	<u>Alice Skin</u>	<u>Box 152 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>Tommy Ballet</u>	<u>Tommy Ballet</u>	<u>Box 34</u>
<u>BERTHA GREIST</u>	<u>Bertha Greist</u>	<u>Box 11 Selawik AK 99770</u>
<u>PATRIK HINGBERGEN</u>	<u>Patrik Hingbergen</u>	<u>Box 64 Selawik AK 99770</u>

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Buelah N	Buelah Comstock	Shungnak
Elizabeth Jackson	Elizabeth Jackson	Shungnak
Mona N Custer	Mona N Custer	Shungnak
Dolly Custer	Dolly Custer	Shungnak
SARAH WEISNER	Sarah Weisner	Shungnak, AK
Josephine Woods	Josephine Woods	Shungnak, AK
Donna Comstock	Donna Comstock	Shungnak AK 99773
LORENA COMSTOCK	Lorena Comstock	Shungnak AK 99773
Sam Woods	Samuel Woods	Shungnak AK 99773
RAYMOND WOODS	Raymond Woods	Shungnak AK 99773
Eugene Douglas	Eugene Douglas	Shungnak AK 99773
James Comstock	James Comstock	Shungnak AK
Calvin Jackson	Calvin Jackson	Shungnak, AK 99773
IRVIN DOUGLAS	Irvin Douglas	

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<u>RODMAN CLEVELAND</u>	<u>Rodman Cleveland</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>EDWARD LEE</u>	<u>Edward Lee</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>MARTIN A. LEE</u>	<u>Martin A. Lee</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>DARYN TICHITT</u>	<u>Daryn Tichitt</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>WILSON TICHITT</u>	<u>Wilson Tichitt</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>LORNE TICHITT</u>	<u>Lorne Tichitt</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>EDNA COMMACK</u>	<u>Edna Commack</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>Laura Swan</u>	<u>Laura Swan</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>Ann Swan</u>	<u>Ann Swan</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>John Lund</u>	<u>John Lund</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>Harold Commack</u>	<u>Harold Commack</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>EDWARD COMMACK</u>	<u>Edward Commack</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>WALLACE GRAY</u>	<u>Wallace Gray</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>Verne Cleveland</u>	<u>Verne Cleveland</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>GREGORY COMMACK</u>	<u>Gregory Commack</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>
<u>ELIZABETH A. CLEVELAND</u>	<u>Elizabeth Cleveland</u>	<u>Shungnak AK 99773</u>

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<u>Homer ...</u>	<u>Homer ...</u>	<u>Sturgesville AK</u>
<u>HELEN H. MITCHELL</u>	<u>Helen H. Mitchell</u>	<u>✓</u>
<u>Michael J. Tickert</u>	<u>Michael J. Tickert</u>	<u>Sturgesville, Alaska</u>
<u>ELLA TICKERT</u>	<u>Ella Tickert</u>	<u>Sturgesville, Alaska</u>

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<u>Polly Commack</u>	<u>Polly Commack</u>	<u>Shungnak, AK.</u>
<u>Mildred Black</u>	<u>Mildred Black</u>	<u>Shungnak, AK.</u>
<u>Napoleon Black</u>	<u>Napoleon Black</u>	<u>Shungnak, A.K.</u>
<u>Wyneta Lee</u>	<u>Wyneta Lee</u>	<u>Shungnak A.K.</u>
<u>Irma Sheldon</u>	<u>Irma Sheldon</u>	<u>Shungnak, AK</u>
<u>Roy Sun</u>	<u>Roy Sun</u>	<u>Shungnak Ak.</u>
<u>Wesley Woods</u>	<u>Wesley Woods</u>	<u>Shungnak AK</u>
<u>FELTON COMMACK</u>	<u>Felton Commack</u>	<u>Shungnak A.K.</u>
<u>HOMER CLEVELAND</u>	<u>Homer Cleveland Sr.</u>	<u>Shungnak ak.</u>
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<u>Florence Douglas</u>	<u>Florence Douglas</u>	<u>Shungnak AK.</u>
<u>Melvin Morena</u>	<u>Melvin Morena</u>	<u>Shungnak AK</u>
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<u>Hannah Cleveland</u>	<u>Hannah Clene.</u>	<u>Shungnak AK</u>
<u>Maggie Davis</u>	<u>Maggie Davis</u>	<u>Shungnak AK</u>
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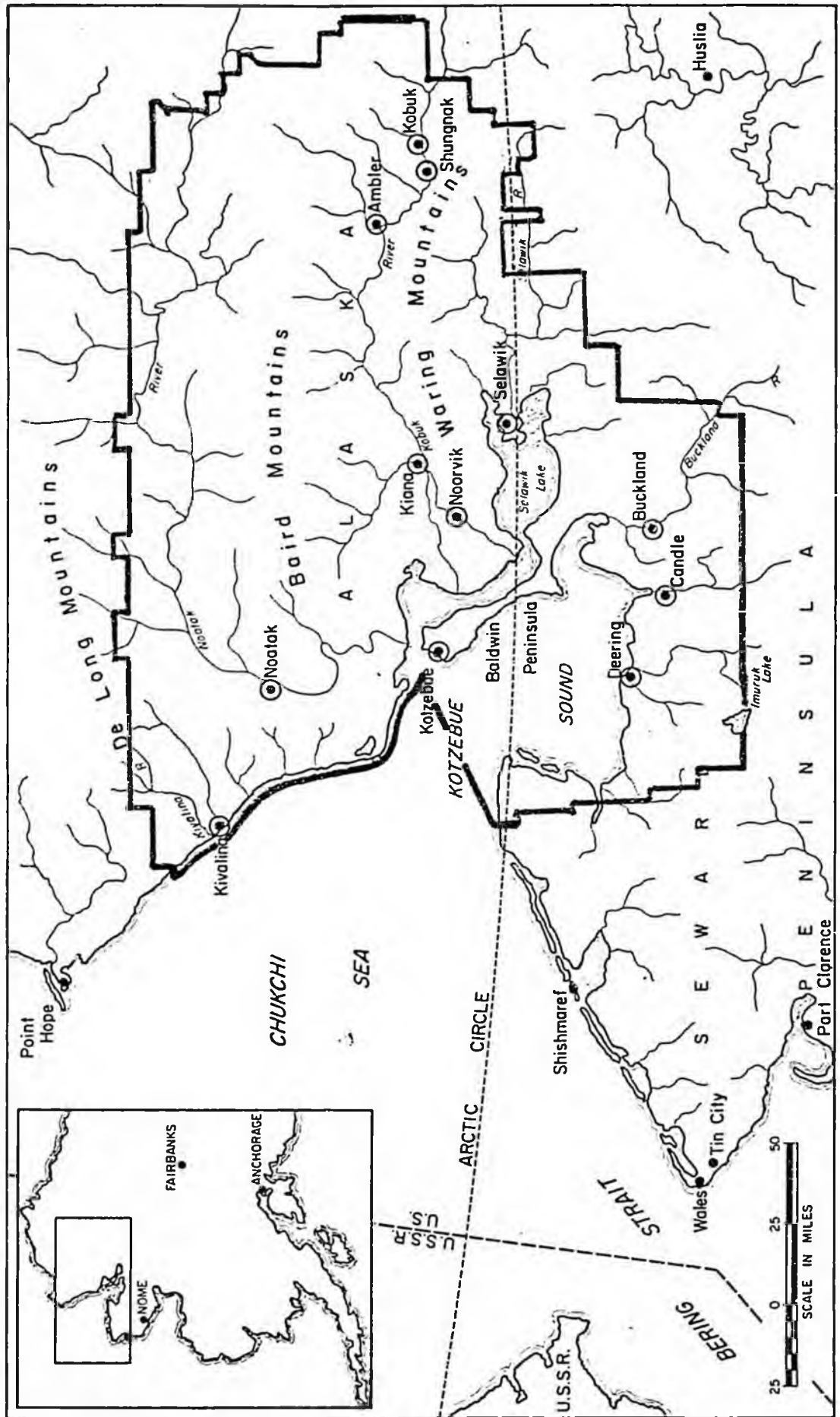
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<u>Donald Lee</u>	<u>Donald Lee</u>	<u>Shumonaq A.K.</u>
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<u>Stanley Custer sr</u>	<u>Stanley Custer sr</u>	<u>Shumonaq A.K.</u>

APPENDIX 2

PROPOSED BOROUGH BOUNDARY



APPENDIX B

PROPOSED BOROUGH LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Beginning at the point where the mean high tide line of the Chukchi Sea intersects with the northern boundary of Section 5 of Township 30 North; Range 29 West; Kateel River Meridian; thence easterly to the northeast corner of Township 30 North; Range 26 West; thence northerly to the northwest corner of Township 32 North; Range 25 West; thence easterly to the Southeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 18 West; thence northerly to the northwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 17 West; thence easterly to the northeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 15 West; thence southerly to the southwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 14 West; thence easterly to the Southeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 13 West; thence northerly to the Northwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 12 West; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 11 West; thence southerly to the Southwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 10 West; thence easterly to the Southeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 7 West; thence northerly to the Northwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 6 West; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 5 West; thence southerly to the Southwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 4 West; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 32 North; Range 7 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 32 North; Range 7 East; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 31 North; Range 11 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner

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APPENDIX C
BOROUGH POWERS

AREAWIDE POWERS TO BE ASSUMED

1. EDUCATION
2. ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF TAXES
3. PLANNING, PLATTING AND LAND USE REGULATION

NONAREAWIDE POWERS TO BE ASSUMED

NONE

SCHEDULE FOR ASSUMPTION OF POWERS

The three powers enumerated above will be exercised upon incorporation of the Northwest Arctic Borough.

Powers to be transferred from cities to the borough will be exercised upon completion of that transfer, or within six (6) months of incorporation, whichever occurs first.

LEVEL OF SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED

1. EDUCATION - Education services at a minimum will be provided in a manner commensurate with existing levels of education services.
2. ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF TAXES - The power to assess and collect property taxes will be exercised fully upon establishment of property tax rolls through the assistance of the Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs as provided in AS 29.05.210(6)(2) (Revised).
3. PLANNING, PLATTING AND LAND USE REGULATION - This power will be exercised initially at the same level of service as that provided currently by Maniilaq Association and the City of Kotzebue.

APPENDIX D
OPERATING BUDGET

OPERATING BUDGET

MAYOR AND ASSEMBLY	\$ 329,570
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE	243,675
DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS	200,255
DEPARTMENT OF LAW	40,000
ASSESSING DEPARTMENT	111,000
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	<u>20,713,072</u>
TOTAL	\$21,637,572

REVENUES

STATE ORGANIZATIONAL GRANT	\$ 300,000
STATE MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE	35,000
STATE REVENUE SHARING	65,000
STATE COASTAL MANAGEMENT GRANT	142,500
STATE FISHERIES TAX SHARED REVENUES	5,000
BOROUGH PROPERTY TAX (3 Mils)	377,000
EDUCATION FUNDS	<u>20,713,072</u>
TOTAL	\$21,637,572

Property tax revenues are based upon the following:

1. Only real property will be taxed.
2. Personal property will be exempt from taxation.
3. Real property will be taxed at a rate of 3 mils (0.003%) of assessed value.
4. The estimated full and true value of real and personal property based upon 1985 State Assessor estimates plus local estimates are:

Real property: \$199,480,680
Personal property: \$22,163,945

5. The estimated full and true value of taxable real property is \$139,636,114, deducting non-taxable real property (e.g., allotments, restricted deed townsite lots, etc.).
6. The estimated value of taxable personal property is \$22,163,945.
7. The estimated assessed value of taxable property will be 90% of full and true value; or \$125,672,500.
8. A 3 mil tax on \$125,672,500 is \$377,000.
9. No property tax is presently levied in the region.

Sales tax:

1. The proposed borough will not levy a sales or use tax.
2. Sales taxes currently levied in the region are:

Ambler - 2%	Kobuk - 0%
Buckland - 2%	Kotzebue - 3%
Deering - 3%	Noorvik - 2%
Kiana - 2%	Selawik - 2%
Kivalina - 2%	Shungnak - 2%

APPENDIX E

NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH

BOROUGH ASSEMBLY COMPOSITION AND APPORTIONMENT

COMPOSITION: 11 SEATS

APPORTIONMENT: 4 DISTRICTS

DISTRICT 1: 3 SEATS (A,B,C)

KIVALINA	241	
NOATAK	273	
KIANA	345	
NOORVIK	492	
BAIRD MOUNTAINS	55	
	<u>1,406</u>	(468.6/SEAT)

DISTRICT 2: 1 SEAT (D)

AMBLER	192	
SHUNGNAK	202	
KOBUK	62	
KOBUK AREA	1	
	<u>457</u>	(457/SEAT)

DISTRICT 3: 2 SEATS (E,F)

SELAWIK	361	
DEERING	150	
BUCKLAND	177	
CANDLE	8	
FINK CREEK	6	
SELAWIK AREA	175	
BALDWIN PENINSULA	<u>37</u>	
	914	(457/SEAT)

DISTRICT 4: 5 SEATS (G, H, I, J, K)

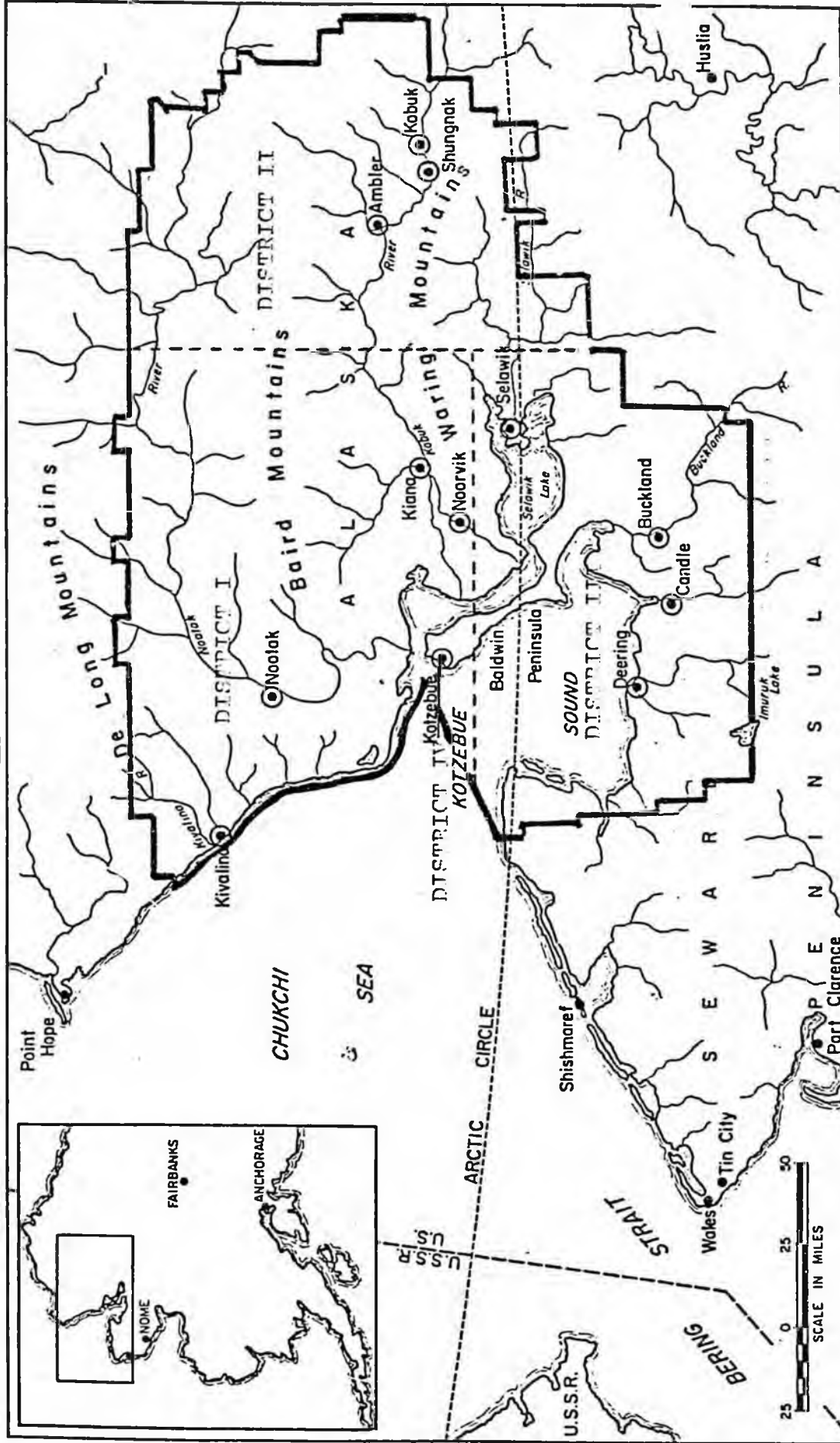
KOTZEBUE	<u>2,054</u>	
	2,054	(410.8/SEAT)

ELECTION OF ASSEMBLY MEMBERS WILL BE BY DISTRICT;
CANDIDATES MUST BE RESIDENT WITHIN THE DISTRICT THEY
SEEK TO REPRESENT AND THE ELECTION WILL BE AT LARGE BY
VOTERS THROUGHOUT THE BOROUGH.

POPULATION FIGURES ARE FROM THE 1980 U.S. CENSUS

APPENDIX E

POLITICAL ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATION



- DISTRICT I: SEATS A, B, C
- DISTRICT II: SEAT D
- DISTRICT III: SEATS E, F
- DISTRICT IV: SEATS G, H, I, J, K

APPENDIX F

BOROUGH ADMINISTRATION

MAYOR & ASSEMBLY

Mayor
Administrative Assistant
Borough Clerk
Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

Director/Controller
Accountant
Accountant (part-time)

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

Planning Director
Planner
Secretary (part-time)

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Contract Services

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT

State
Contract Services

APPENDIX G

RESOLUTIONS

NANA REGIONAL CORPORATION, INC.

POST OFFICE BOX 49 / KOTZEBUE, ALASKA 99752 / TELEPHONE (907) 442-3301



Dear Shareholder:

The Board of Directors approved these goals for NANA on January 27, 1983. These goals are meant to reflect the Identity, Values and Needs of our People. They will be used by NANA to guide our conduct as well as determine our path as we work to develop a better future for our Shareholders. I hope they will be of use to you personally as well.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert Newlin".

Robert Newlin
Chairman

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John W. Schaeffer".

John W. Schaeffer
President



Member Villages: Ambler, Buckland, Candle, Deering, Kiana, Kivalina, Kobuk, Kotzebue, Noatak, Noorvik, Selawik, Shungnak

NANA REGION GOALS

EXCERPTED FROM THE NANA REGIONAL CORPORATION, INC. GOALS
ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON JANUARY 27, 1983.

GOAL VII. Assist in the formation of a borough to increase local control of decisions which affect our shareholders.

Women's Shelter
P.O. Box 38
Kotzebue, Alaska 99752
(907) 442-3969

Maniilaq Association

Senior Citizens' Center
P.O. Box 260
Kotzebue, Alaska 99752
(907) 442-3590 or 3591

Public Health Nursing
P.O. Box 170
Kotzebue, Alaska 99752
(907) 442-3313

P.O. Box 256
Kotzebue, Alaska 99752
(907) 442-3311

Health & Human Services
F.R. Ferguson Building
(907) 442-3313 or 3914

RESOLUTION #85- 3

A resolution of the Board of Directors, Maniilaq Association requesting certain modifications of boundaries with the North Slope Borough and the establishment of a borough for the NANA Region to ensure maximum self-government for the people of the NANA Region.

WHEREAS: Maniilaq Association represents the eleven (11) villages in the NANA Region; and

WHEREAS: The Maniilaq Board of Directors is the policy making body for the Maniilaq Association; and

WHEREAS: In 1990 the State of Alaska will base apportionment of legislative districts based upon the one man one vote principle; and

WHEREAS: This action will result in the redistribution of political authority to south central Alaska, having approximately 60 percent of the state's population; and

WHEREAS: This redistribution of authority severely affects the ability of people from the NANA region to participate in the control of its own political processes; and

WHEREAS: Those persons residing within an unorganized borough will have no recourse than to submit to State of Alaska authority;

WHEREAS: People of the NANA Region wish to adhere to democratic principles of local authority; and

WHEREAS: The people of the NANA Region assures the North Slope Borough that all lands made available by the North Slope redefining of its boundaries will be included in an effort to establish a NANA Regional Borough to avoid imposition of state control; and

WHEREAS: The North Slope Borough, with oil revenues providing approximately 325 million dollars a year is richly endowed with natural resources; and

MEMBER VILLAGES

Ivisaappaat, Nunatchiaq, Ipnatchiaq, Karyaaq, Kivaliniq, Laugviik, Qikiqtaruk, Nautaaq, Nuurvik, Akuligaq, Isinnaq

WHEREAS: Revenues available to people from the NANA Region from the Red Dog Mine resource, estimated at 5 million dollars per year will not contribute significantly to the self determination of the people of the North Slope Borough; and

WHEREAS: This amount represents the minimum amount necessary to assist in the self determination of the people of the NANA Region; and

WHEREAS: Exploitation of this resource will result in the distribution of approximately 425 jobs to people of the NANA Region; and

WHEREAS: Exploitation of this resource has, to this time, been primarily the responsibility of the NANA Corporation together with certain private industries; and

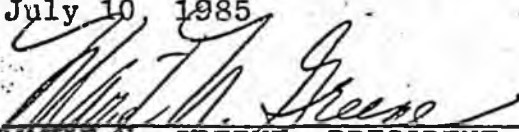
WHEREAS: Since state and federal revenue sharing to communities within the NANA Region have declined, and, by all reasonable estimates, will further decline.

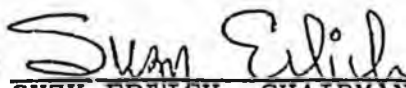
BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED BY THE MANIILAQ BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

That the North Slope Borough be respectfully requested to amend its boundaries to exclude certain lands to include some 433,000 acres, the jurisdiction over which will be retained by the people of the NANA Region to provide maximum opportunities to exercise self government and the rights to self determination; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Board of Directors, Maniilaq Association will cooperate fully with the NANA Corporation and other agencies and local entities in the establishment of a NANA Borough consistent with the laws of the State of Alaska and in the interests of self government for the people of the NANA Region.

Adopted by the Maniilaq Board of Directors at its regular meeting
July 10, 1985


MARIE N. GREENE, PRESIDENT
MANIILAQ ASSOCIATION


SUZY ERLICH, CHAIRMAN
MANIILAQ BOARD OF DIRECTORS

ATTEST: 
LINDA R. DAVIDOVICS
CORPORATE SECRETARY

DATE: July 10, 1985

**NORTHWEST ARCTIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
RESOLUTION 086-001**

Whereas, the Northwest Arctic School District Board represents the eleven (11) villages of the NANA Region; and

Whereas, the Northwest Arctic School District Board is the governing body for the Northwest Arctic School District; and

Whereas, the formation of a borough government would provide distinct financial advantages to the school district; and

Whereas, the formation of a borough government would alter the present governance structure of the school district providing more opportunity for interagency cooperation;

Now therefore be it resolved, that the Northwest Arctic School Board supports the present effort to form a borough government in the NANA region, and


Be it further resolved, that the Northwest Arctic School District Board requests that the Department of Education and the Alaska State Legislature amend AS 14.12.030 (a) to allow the continuance of an eleven (11) member school board for the Northwest Arctic School District to ensure adequate representation of the local communities in the NANA region.

Adopted this 31 day of October, 1985 at a duly convened regular meeting at which a quorum was present and voting.

ATTESTED:



President



Secretary

APPENDIX H

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. NUMBER OF RESIDENTS WITHIN THE REGION

4,831 (1980 U.S. CENSUS)

6,077 (1983 STATE REVENUE SHARING FIGURES
PLUS LOCAL ESTIMATE FOR NOATAK)

2. AMOUNT OF OUTSTANDING BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

NONE

3. QUANTITY OF LAND IN REGION

36,000 Square Miles (Approximate)

23,040,000 Acres (Approximate)

4. CENSUS

CENSUS FIGURES WERE TAKEN FROM THE 1980 U.S. CENSUS, WHICH IS HEREBY INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE. WHERE AVAILABLE, STATE REVENUE SHARING POPULATION FIGURES FOR INCORPORATED COMMUNITIES AND LOCAL ESTIMATES FOR NOATAK WERE USED FOR ESTIMATES OF FULL AND TRUE VALUE OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

BEFORE THE LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

IN RE:)
THE INCORPORATION OF THE)
NANA REGION AS A BOROUGH)
OF THE FIRST CLASS TO BE)
KNOWN AS THE NORTHWEST)
ARCTIC BOROUGH)

BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF PETITION FOR INCORPORATION

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BRIEF
FILED IN SUPPORT OF THE PROPOSED INCORPORATION
OF THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH AS A
BOROUGH OF THE FIRST CLASS

I. INTRODUCTION

The NANA region in Northwest Alaska, which is the same as the area proposed herein for incorporation of a first class borough, comprises an area of approximately 36,000 square miles, or approximately 23,040,000 acres, including the area proposed for detachment from the North Slope Borough. This area is coterminous with the boundaries of the NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. as established by the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA) of 1971. 1980 U.S. Census enumerations indicated a total population of 4,831, of which 4075 residents (or 84%) were Inupiat Eskimo. Population figures provided by the State of Alaska for purposes of the State Revenue Sharing program, plus local estimates for Noatak, indicate a population of 6,077 in 1983 and a population of 6,110 in 1984. No figures for racial composition are provided in the State's tabulation.

The NANA region historically has been culturally homogeneous and geographically well-defined. This is evidenced by the similarity in the boundaries of

regional institutions and organizations. The region is relatively compact, facilitating service delivery and commercial interchange. Of the eleven communities in the NANA region, ten are incorporated as second class cities, and have been for a minimum of eight years. Kotzebue serves as the regional center, through which virtually all goods and services pass prior to distribution throughout the region.

The NANA region has had regional government under consideration since the passage of ANCSA. Until recently, however, the prospects for locally financing borough government were not favorable. In addition, the region has had extensive experience in formulating and implementing programs on a regional scale. The most notable example is the NANA Regional Strategy, now in its sixth year. Combined with the region's participation in the Alaska Coastal Management Program, regional social services delivery programs administered by Maniilaq Association, the regional non-profit corporation, and education programs of the Northwest Arctic School District, the region has had ample opportunity to develop and refine mechanisms for regional delivery of services. However, these mechanisms lack the statutory authority and approbation afforded under Alaska statutes for organized local governments.

There are numerous reasons for the NANA region to seek incorporation as a borough at this time. The overriding impetus is to ensure a maximum level of local self-determination. The constituency of the borough's governing body, and administration, is the residents of the region. Decisions are made by locally-elected residents conducting their deliberations in the region. The borough assembly and staff are solely responsible to residents of the region; accountability is focussed and localized. Opportunities for residents to have direct input into the governmental process are enhanced.

A borough government provides the region a powerful mechanism for managing development. Planning is carried out locally and appropriate implementation techniques are developed and applied. Local goals and needs can be properly incorporated into the planning process so that development is managed for the maximum benefit of the region impacted by that development. Planning programs formulated locally guarantee that special or unique characteristics of the region are appropriately reflected in the process.

Reapportionment of the Alaska Legislature following the 1990 Census will undoubtedly restructure existing

Statewide representation patterns. An increase in the urban populations of the State may reduce the relative representation of rural areas in the Legislature. A local government will ensure that many key decisions will still be made locally and will afford the region a stronger, unified voice in statewide affairs.

An important function of local government is to provide services to its residents. A borough in the NANA region means that many services now provided from without the region will be provided locally, or at least the authority to provide those services locally now rests with the borough. Borough residents would also be empowered to identify and prioritize needed services and how they are to be delivered.

A borough government functions as the representative for the entire region, unifying the region's dealings with outside interests. Conversely, outside interests would generally need to deal with only 1 entity in the region, rather than 11 or more.

A borough is also an employer and has the capability to develop and enforce local hire provisions, within legal guidelines. A borough school district is eligible for increased financial aid and a borough can issue instruments of indebtedness to acquire additional

funds.

Formation of a borough has also been supported by all 3 regional institutions. It is an adopted goal of NANA Regional Corporation and is supported in formally adopted resolutions of Maniilaq Association and Northwest Arctic School District.

The prospect of a world class mining operation at Red Dog portends a significant increase in the region's tax base as well as in population, demand for services and related development impacts. Absent a borough, the NANA region has no locally controlled mechanism for managing such impacts.

Formation of a borough is therefore a fundamental cornerstone in the region's efforts to ensure the welfare of its residents. The timing of this incorporation petition is also critical. Construction activities on the road and port serving Red Dog are slated to begin in the summer of 1986; construction activities at the mine site will commence the following year. (17) Creation of a fully operational, smoothly functioning borough requires a period of time during which staff are hired, ordinances prepared and adopted and basic operational policies and procedures developed and implemented. Initiating incorporation proceedings

at this juncture will afford the new borough that period of time to adequately prepare for full-scale mine operation and the consequent impacts.

This anticipated addition to the tax base will generate additional property tax revenues sufficient to adequately support a borough government that will shortly need to expand its responsibilities in response to increased service demands generated by Red Dog. As discussed later in this brief, the existing tax base is not adequate to support a borough government. This analysis is further supported by the Brief in Support of Petition for Detachment (10) submitted to the Local Boundary Commission by the State of Alaska.

Accordingly, Maniilaq Association, the petitioner's representative, submits this brief in support of the petition for incorporation of the NANA region as a borough of the first class, to be known as the Northwest Arctic Borough.

II. DESCRIPTION OF THE NANA REGION

The NANA region has been inhabited since the earliest times of Alaska's settlement by its indigenous peoples. Onion Portage, on the Kobuk River 125 miles east of Kotzebue, has been occupied by a succession of peoples for the past 12,500 years. (35) Records of settlements dating back 5,000 years have been uncovered in the beach ridges at Cape Krusenstern, 35 miles northwest of Kotzebue. (1, 36)

Eventually, 11 permanent communities were established in the NANA region, with the largest, Kotzebue serving as the regional center. Virtually all goods and services distributed throughout the region either originate in or pass through Kotzebue. The economic linkages between the 11 communities in the NANA region are predominantly internal to the region, with Kotzebue serving as the focal point.

Furthermore, the NANA region has been characterized as unique among the 12 Native regions in Alaska due to the existence of four significant conditions not typically found in combination elsewhere. (2) The first is the cultural homogeneity of the NANA region, based upon a historical network of social alliances and trading relationships among the region's communities. This

network, further strengthened by a common linguistic tradition, has produced a regional cultural identity and common political interests.

Secondly, the relatively compact configuration of the NANA region has reduced to manageable proportions the logistics of communication and transportation. Thirdly, the Native population remains firmly rooted in the traditional village-based subsistence lifestyle. The majority of NANA Regional Corporation's shareholders reside in the region. This stability and continuity of lifestyle has resulted in a reduced level of the urban versus rural or village versus region dichotomy found elsewhere in the State. This observation gains further credence by virtue of the merger of 10 of the 11 ANCSA village corporations with the regional corporation.

The fourth condition is the virtually identical boundaries of the 3 key regional institutions. This geographic commonality minimizes overlapping or conflicting jurisdictions and reinforces the notion that the constituency of all 3 institutions is the same.

The passage of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, and the subsequent creation of twelve regional

corporations each "composed as far as practicable of Natives having a common heritage and sharing common interests" (3), solidified the region's geographic boundaries. The NANA region now had a delineated boundary, that of NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. That boundary is essentially the same boundary proposed for the Northwest Arctic Borough.

The population of the region according to the 1980 U.S. Census was 4,831, 84% of whom were Inupiat Eskimo. It is a young population - 42% were under the ages of 18 years. The median age for Natives in 1980 was 20.1 years. Employment in the region is heavily dependent upon all 3 levels of government - federal, state and local. Of the 1,206 persons over 16 that were employed, fully 67% worked for government in 1980. One-half of the labor force was female, 71% of whom were employed in the public sector. Median family income was \$17,756. Median Native family income was \$13,889; median white family income was \$34,882. 44% of all households earned less than \$15,000. Per capita income was \$5,171, less than half that for the North Slope Borough (the only comparable rural borough in Alaska). 24.5% of all NANA region families were below the 1979 poverty level, a rate twice that of the North Slope Borough. Of the total Native civilian labor force, 28.6% were unemployed in 1980; of the total

white civilian labor force, 3.6% were unemployed. (4)

The economic base of the NANA region is predominantly government. Federal, state and local government spending accounted for nearly 90% of the total regional income in 1980. (24) Primary private sector development opportunities are in mining, owing to substantial mineralization of the NANA region. Large-scale mining operations provide wage paying jobs to large numbers of workers and support personnel. Secondary income and employment spinoffs typically occur. Tourism and related transportation, retail and services activities also are potential growth industries in the region.

Beyond limited participation in the cash economy, traditional subsistence activities maintain a significant role in the day-to-day lives of NANA residents. In excess of 70% of the region's residents rely upon subsistence for over half of their diet. (5) Preservation of subsistence resources, and hence traditional lifestyles, has been a long-standing goal of the region. Nonetheless, the region also recognizes the benefits to be obtained through a thoughtfully managed development economy. If and when development, such as Red Dog, occurs, the region views regional government as the most effective and locally responsive

means to effect that management in order to maximize positive local benefits and ensure the continuation of traditional subsistence lifestyles.

In the absence of any form of organized regional government, as is the case throughout the Unorganized Borough, the delivery of services is accomplished by a variety of governmental agencies and quasi-public institutions. As such, service delivery often tends to be fragmented, duplicative and remotely accountable. Public agencies, generally located outside of the region, must deal with a variety of independent jurisdictions and authorities. Without an overall regional prioritization of needs, these agencies are often faced with independently making allocation decisions regarding their programs and services. The prospect of dwindling public resources will intensify the degree of competition for those resources, which in turn may prove to be detrimental to the best interests of the region as a whole. The formation of a borough government is essential to ensuring that the region's needs are met in a reasoned and responsive fashion.

III. STATUTORY STANDARDS FOR INCORPORATION OF A BOROUGH
(AS 29.05.030)

Title 29 of Alaska Statutes specifies the standards for incorporation of a borough. There are four such standards, each of which is presented below, with a discussion of how this proposed incorporation satisfies each individual standard.

1. Population

As 29.05.030(a)(1) states: the population of the area is interrelated and integrated as to its social, cultural and economic activities, and is large and stable enough to support borough government.

As previously mentioned, the standard stipulated by ANCSA for establishing regional corporations addressed the common heritage and interest of the Native population within each region. This sociocultural standard was the only standard specified in ANCSA. Unless otherwise defensible, the corporation boundaries were to be the same as those of the Northwest Alaska Native Association, organized by Natives in the region to represent them and promote their best interests. Such

associations existed throughout Alaska, predating the passage of ANCSA by half a decade. They were formed voluntarily by the people in the regions themselves, reflecting cultural and linguistic ties (2), and geographically encompassing areas traditionally used by the people in each region.

At the time ANCSA was passed, the boundaries between the NANA and Arctic Slope regions had not been mutually agreed upon. Complicating the boundary resolution issue was the simultaneous incorporation proceedings of the North Slope Borough. The Northwest Alaska Native Association claimed that traditional NANA lands extended beyond the proposed North Slope Borough boundary at the 68th degree north latitude. (11) Subsequent negotiations settled on a corporate boundary to the north of the North Slope Borough boundary, as it remains today. The area ultimately included in the NANA region was somewhat less than that area identified by the Association in 1971. Originally, Point Hope was a member of the Northwest Alaska Native Association, but eventually elected to affiliate with the Arctic Slope Regional Corporation.

Regional Education Attendance Areas (REAs) were

created to provide education services in the Unorganized Borough. The enabling legislation for REAAs specifically required the delineation of educational service areas in the Unorganized Borough using the same boundaries as those established by ANCSA for regional corporations. The statutes further required that each REAA contain "an integrated socio-economic, linguistically and culturally homogeneous area" (AS14.08.031). Consideration was to be given to the area's transportation and communication network; whenever possible, REAA boundaries were to be based upon municipalities, other governmental or regional corporate entities, drainage basins and other identifiable geographic features. (12) Furthermore, the boundaries of each REAA were established only after an extensive period of hearings in communities throughout Alaska for the express purpose of confirming individual REAA boundaries in light of these statutory standards. The boundaries of the Northwest Arctic School District, the NANA region REAA, are identical to those of the NANA Regional Corporation, Inc., with the sole exception of the artificial jurisdictional demarcation of the North Slope Borough.

Maniilaq Association, the Native regional non-profit corporation in the NANA region, provides publicly funded social and health programs throughout the region. Maniilaq serves the 11 communities in the NANA region; its Board is composed of representatives from each of the 11 communities. Under federal law, Maniilaq Association is recognized as a regional tribal organization(6), reflecting not only Maniilaq's representative governing structure but also the close cultural and tribal ties of the region's 11 communities.

The economic interrelationships of the region's population are typified by the role of Kotzebue as the regional center. All three of the area's regional organizations (NANA, Maniilaq and the school district) are headquartered in Kotzebue. Kotzebue is the location of those governmental agencies with offices in the NANA region. Kotzebue's airport is the largest in the region, serving as the hub airport for air transport services throughout the region. Kotzebue is also the region's port facility, from which goods are transshipped to the outlying communities. No other community in Northwest Alaska functions in this capacity; virtually all goods and services

destined for the NANA region pass through or originate in Kotzebue.

Trade historically has followed river systems or the coast. All of the region's communities are located on either a river system or the coast. All of the rivers in the region on which communities are located flow to Kotzebue Sound. Thus, trade patterns, as well as cultural interchanges, have been defined by these natural systems, which in turn have shaped a natural focal point for the NANA region - Kotzebue.

The region's major local employers are all located in Kotzebue. NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. and Maniilaq Association are perhaps the most significant and important of these. Significant in that both of these organizations are dedicated to serving the people of the region and important in that both emphasize local hire and job skills development. NANA in particular places a great deal of emphasis on shareholder employment. (7)

Other major employers are Northwest Arctic School District, governmental agencies and local utilities and retail stores. Summer activities offer expanded employment opportunities,

attracting members of the labor force from throughout the region to Kotzebue to work in the tourism, fishing, shipping and construction industries. Very few of the region's residents leave the region seeking employment. To do so would severely restrict their important participation in subsistence activities.

The population of the region has historically been stable; the major components of change have been natural increase and in-migration of non-Natives. Of the 4,120 Natives resident in the region in 1980, fully 98% were born in Alaska; it is reasonable to assume that the majority of these people were born in the NANA region. In contrast, 84% of the white population of the region was born outside of Alaska. 58% of all Native persons were living in the same house in 1980 that they were living in in 1975. Of the 3,053 Natives over 16 years of age, only 131 were living outside of the region in 1975. (4)

In 1970, the population of the NANA region was 4,048, of which 3,497 (86%) were Native. Kotzebue's 1970 population was 1,696, of which 1,326 were Native. Thus, of the total non-Native population of 551, fully two-thirds (370) resided

in Kotzebue. Although Kotzebue had 45% of the region's population (including the Air Force Station), it only had 38% of the region's Native population. (13)

By comparison, in 1980 the region's total population of 4,831 was 85% Native (4,110 total) (Exhibit II). Of the total non-Native population of 721, 67% (480) resided in Kotzebue. Kotzebue's percentage of the total Native population in the region remained at 38% (1,574 people out of 4,110). Thus, it can be seen that overall growth patterns in the region have been fairly consistent over the past two censuses, and that Kotzebue's growth has been the same relative to the rest of the region.

Between 1950 and 1980, Kotzebue accounted for 57% of the region's population increase, as its population more than tripled. In contrast, the population changes in the other communities have been erratic and far less dramatic. While Kotzebue grew by 1,431 people between 1950 and 1980, the rest of the communities combined grew by 1,066. Between 1950 and 1960, Kotzebue alone grew by 667 people, more than doubling in size. The remainder of the region increased by only 235

people. (13) Exhibits I & II summarizes population figures for the region from 1950 to 1980.

Analyzing the components of population change between 1970 and 1980 reveals the following. The population net change was 783. During the decade, total births were 1,234 and total deaths were 286. (14) Since the population change due to natural increase was 948, while the total population increase was only 783, the region experienced a net out-migration of 165 people. (Exhibit III) It therefore appears that over the past thirty years the dynamics of the region's population growth has stabilized, with natural increase becoming the predominant component of change rather than in-migration.

The region's population in 1984 was 6,110 according to State revenue sharing figures and local estimates for Noatak. This represents an increase of 1,279 people over the 1980 U.S. Census population. On the average, the region's population has been changing by approximately 320 people per year.

The population base of the region is more than adequate to support a borough government. The

NANA region's population exceeds that of the Bristol Bay Borough, Haines Borough, and that of the North Slope Borough. In qualitative terms, the region has a solid foundation of experienced leaders in both the public and private sector. Ten of the region's communities are second-class cities; the first to incorporate was Kotzebue in 1958, the last was Selawik in 1977. Service in these local governments and on the Boards of the three regional organizations has provided extensive and valuable training in decision-making and the tenets of representative governance. Moreover, the NANA region has a statewide reputation for the quantity and quality of its leaders.

2. Boundaries

AS 29.05.030(a)(2) states: the boundaries of the proposed borough conform generally to natural geography and include all areas necessary for full development of municipal services.

Historically, regions were settled partly on the basis of geographic constraints and partly on the basis of the availability of subsistence resources, which in turn is dependent to varying

degrees on geographic conditions. Mountain ranges often formed barriers to the movement and interchange of peoples, while rivers and the oceans provided transportation routes and facilitated subsistence activities and cultural contact.

The NANA region encompasses a series of river drainages, all of which emanate in the various mountain ranges ringing the region and all of which terminate in Kotzebue Sound or coastal areas around Kivalina. The boundaries of NANA Regional Corporation were drawn specifically to include most of these drainages in their entirety, thus maintaining the integrity of whole watersheds and the valuable subsistence resources they nourish. Accordingly, the corporation's boundaries run from the coast along the crest of the Brooks Range in the north, then along the crest of the foothills of the Brooks Range in the east and likewise the Purcell Mountains and Selawik Hills to the south. The southwestern portion of the corporation's boundaries extends through the upper reaches of the river systems draining the northern flanks of the higher elevations of the Seward Peninsula.

An examination of the geographic distribution of

subsistence activities within the NANA region reveals the reliance upon and extensive use of entire river drainages and associated uplands. For example, residents of the region identified the Kivalina, Wulik and Noatak Rivers as intensive resource use areas. (38) In fact, virtually all of the river systems within the region support subsistence activities, ranging from their origins in the surrounding mountains to their coastal deltas.

Further support for the geographic integrity of the NANA region is evidenced by the number, locations and extent of conservation units in the region created by the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act (ANILCA, PL 96-487). The stated Congressional purpose for establishing these conservation units was to preserve outstanding natural areas and the wildlife dependent upon them. (8) Gates of the Arctic National Park and Preserve, for example, was established to, among other goals, maintain the natural environmental integrity of mountains, rivers, lakes and other natural features. (8,9) Noatak National Preserve was created to maintain the environmental integrity of the Noatak River and adjacent uplands, to protect wildlife habitat

and archaeological resources and to promote scientific research. (8,37) An effective way to accomplish these goals is to include entire watersheds within the boundaries of the various conservation units, and to designate appropriate portions of river systems as wild and scenic rivers. Both the Salmon River, a tributary of the Kobuk River, and the Noatak River are designated wild and scenic rivers. (35, 37)

It is noteworthy that virtually the entire northern and eastern boundaries of the NANA region are located within conservation units, as are virtually the entire length of the Noatak River and the headwaters of both the Noatak and Kobuk Rivers. Congress therefore underscored in both ANCSA and ANILCA the logic and recognition of natural geographic systems employed by NANA when its boundaries were established.

The proposed borough boundaries include all areas necessary for full development of municipal services. Within the proposed borough is Kotzebue, the regional center, with its port and airport facilities and the infrastructure necessary for the distribution of goods and services throughout the region. The proposed

borough also includes, of course, the other 10 communities of the NANA region, which themselves will be both recipients and providers of services in varying degrees. As noted previously, the boundaries of the 2 major regional service delivery organizations (Maniilaq and the school district) are identical to those of the borough, with the exception of the school district's northern boundary.

A number of sizeable mineralized areas are located within the proposed borough which, if fully developed, will provide both revenues and employment opportunities. These include the Red Dog, Lik, Ambler/Bornite and Deering/Candle mining districts. Mining activities of a limited nature already occur in the Ambler and Candle districts. The proposed port and road for the Red Dog mining project are also within the proposed borough's boundaries. The Red dog port may eventually serve as the port of entry for bulk goods, such as fuel, for the region. If so, this may potentially reduce shipping costs, which are high at Kotzebue due to the extensive lightering necessitated by the shallow waters of Kotzebue Sound.

There are no other areas or communities in the

proximity of the proposed borough that could reasonably be expected to receive services from the proposed borough. A minor exception to this is the community of Point Hope, in the North Slope Borough. Point Hope participates in the health programs administered by Maniilaq Association and has a representative on the Maniilaq Health Board. However, Point Hope is already situated within an organized borough and is not considered to be a part of the proposed borough.

3. Economy

AS 29.05.030(a)(3) states: the economy of the area includes the human and financial resources capable of providing municipal services; evaluation of an area's economy includes land use, property values, total economic base, total personal income, resource and commercial development, anticipated functions, expenses and income of the proposed borough.

The economy of the NANA region is typical of those in remote, rural areas of the Unorganized Borough. Lacking a developed resource base, or a large commercial fishing industry, the region's economy

is characterized by a heavy dependence on public sector spending. Private sector development is primarily in the wholesale, warehousing, retail sales, and service sectors. (Exhibit IV) Construction is an important seasonal industry, but it is largely publicly financed.

As the above statutory standard attests, the key consideration is whether the proposed borough possesses sufficient human and financial resources to properly discharge the responsibilities of municipal government. Previous discussions in this brief attested to the leadership abilities and extensive governmental experience available in the NANA region. Unquestionably, the region includes the human resources required to successfully operate a borough.

Of greater concern is the extent to which adequate financial resources exist to satisfy this standard. It is readily apparent that the region's economy, as presently constituted, more than likely is not strong or diversified enough to support a borough government. The Red Dog project therefore assumes greater importance, for it not only increases the region's tax base and employment, it also serves to diversify an economy

dangerously limited in scope.

Section II of this brief presented 1980 U.S. Census data corroborating the region's economic dependence on the public sector, and its high unemployment and low income levels, particularly for the Native population. A key element of the NANA Regional Strategy is economic development; as part of the region's effort to assess its economic future forecasts of population and employment for the current decade were prepared. These forecasts highlighted a disturbing trend: without significant private sector expansion in the economy, population will increase approximately 34% while employment will increase only 6% through 1990. (5) Since the State of Alaska properly expects local governments to be as self-sufficient as possible, continued reliance on public sector economic activity is not prudent.

Without question, the greatest potential for regional, private sector economic development is in the extraction and export of mineral resources. Red Dog is the most promising and the most imminent of the region's prospective mining operations. A great deal of analysis has been performed on the income and employment

opportunities likely to be generated by the Red Dog Project. However, before exploring this aspect of the region's economy, it is necessary to first develop a profile of the region's economy as it is presently constructed.

As already mentioned, the single most significant component of the NANA region's economy is government. In 1970, of the 650 people 16 years of age and older who were employed, approximately 369 (57%) were employed by the government. 329 were employed by the federal and state governments and 40 by local governments. The second largest group was in retail trade, where approximately 69 people (11%) were employed. 55 people were employed in transportation and 42 in utilities and sanitary services. 19 people reported employment in the mining industry, 26 in construction and 18 in manufacturing. (23)

It should be noted that direct comparisons between the 1970 U.S. Census and 1980 U.S. Census are difficult. In 1970, the Kobuk Census Area included Point Hope; the Kobuk Census Area used in 1980 more nearly approximates the NANA region. The 1970 Census did not tabulate detailed statistics on the Native population as in 1980.

the region.

As can be expected, the vast majority of employers, and hence employment opportunities, are located in Kotzebue. The major employers in the outlying communities are the school district and the municipal governments. In Selawik, one of the largest of these communities, for example, Maniilaq Manpower's Career Survey lists a total of 45 jobs. The City of Selawik provides 12 of these and Northwest Arctic School District 21. The I.R.A. Council lists 5 positions and the Selawik Farm Project lists 3 positions. The remainder are two airline agents and two store managers. (15)

Kobuk, the smallest community, has a total of 15 jobs. The school district provides 6, the City also 6, Maniilaq 2 and an airline 1. (15)

In Kotzebue, on the other hand, Maniilaq Manpower's Career Survey tabulated a total of approximately 38 employers in both the public and private sectors offering in excess of 900 jobs. The largest employers were the Northwest Arctic School District (116), Maniilaq Association (197), the City of Kotzebue (99), the federal government (102), and the State of Alaska (101). (15) The

Categories of data presented in the 1970 Census were different than, and not as detailed as, those used in 1980. The 1980 Census, for example, tabulated government workers by all 3 levels of government (local, state and federal), while the 1970 Census aggregated federal and state government workers.

Despite these differences, general comparisons of 1970 and 1980 Census data are illustrative of the socioeconomic characteristics of the NANA region and how they have changed over the intervening years.

In 1980, 67% of the labor force was employed by either the federal, state or local governments. Of the 803 people employed by government as reported in the 1980 Census, 442 (55%) worked for the State and 219 (27%) worked for the various local governments. A total of 401 persons, or 33% of those employed, worked in the private sector, either as wage and salaried workers or self-employed. (4)

By industry, the next largest group of workers were employed in the transportation, communications and public utilities sector (144,

or 12% of total employed). Following closely behind was the 137 (11%) employed in the retail trade sector. 50 people were reported as employed in construction, a figure which seriously understates the seasonal fluctuations in this particular industry. Sixteen people reported employment in mining and only 5 in manufacturing. 60 people reported employment in various services, such as business, repair and entertainment/recreation. (4)

Non-Natives represent one-third of the total employed persons over 16 years of age. Not surprisingly, this segment of the employed dominates the professional, managerial and educational occupational specialities. This fact accounts for the considerably higher income levels of non-Natives, as these occupations typically are found in the government sector. The employed Natives tend to concentrate in services, administrative support and education occupations. The Native component also has a fair representation in the managerial and professional specialty occupational category (approximately 26% of total employed Natives). This undoubtedly reflects the prominent roles of NANA, Maniilaq and the school district in the overall employment of

larger private employers were NANA (24, plus up to 40 more in the Nul-Luk-Vik hotel (34)), Alaska Commercial Company (36), Hanson's K.D.C. (33), KOTZ Broadcasting (13), OTZ Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (11) and Kotzebue Electric Association (16 minimum). (15)

The above data offers further verification that publicly-funded employment accounts for two-thirds of the jobs in Kotzebue, and the bulk of jobs available in the smaller communities. The largest of the private sector employers are, for the most part, entirely concentrated in the services and retail trade sectors. NANA, as owner of the Nul-Luk-Vik Hotel in Kotzebue, partially falls within this category.

An assessment of the overall economic base of the NANA region reveals the magnitude of government's contribution to the region's economy (Exhibit V). An economic analysis performed as part of the NANA coastal management program valued the total 1980 economic base at approximately \$63,340,000. (24) This figure represents the total income, or revenues, generated directly and indirectly in the NANA region by the various sectors of the region's economy. Of that \$63,340,000, state government

provides approximately \$31.5 million and the federal government \$24.0 million. Thus, the combined contributions of the state and federal governments (\$55.5 million) constitute fully 88% of the total regional economy. State expenditures alone account for nearly one-half of the total. The private sector provides the balance of the economic base, approximately \$7.8 million (12%). (Exhibit IV) Income from private sector activities is primarily concentrated in wholesale and retail trade activities and mining.

In 1980, mining and related exploration activities contributed only \$1.9 million to the region's economy. This represents 24% of the total private sector economy but only 3% of the total regional economy. However, mining and exploration activities are significant contributors to the economic base of the outlying communities and are, in fact, the largest private sector component of these communities' economic base. (24)

If this relationship holds, then the development of the Red Dog mine will produce positive economic benefits not only in Kotzebue but also in the smaller communities, where such opportunities are severely restricted. The projected levels of

employment for the major stages of mine development are 500 for construction and 400 for mine production. (17, 40) Additionally, it is estimated that indirect and secondary employment generated by Red Dog will range from 200-300 jobs. (17, 39)

A substantial portion of the mine workforce is to be local residents, as specified in the joint agreement between Cominco Alaska and NANA Regional Corporation. (25) According to the terms of that agreement, the project is to employ increasing numbers of local residents as they acquire the requisite skills through Cominco-sponsored training programs. In fact, during the period 1982-1985, Cominco Alaska employed 108 local residents out of the total 159 people employed on the project. (40) In comparison, State projections for the levels of direct employment to be captured by residents of the region range from 40% of construction jobs to 50-75% of full production jobs. Of these jobs held by residents, slightly less than half will be filled by Kotzebue residents and the remainder by residents from the other 10 communities. (39) Residents will also participate in the indirect and secondary employment generated by the mine project. The

State's report to the Governor (39) estimated that 25% of indirect and secondary employment during the construction phase would be in the NANA region, and during full production approximately 47% of indirect and secondary employment would be in the NANA region. The same report estimated that these jobs would be equally divided between Kotzebue and all the other communities during both phases.

Since it is reasonable to expect that some portion of the resident workforce will vacate existing jobs to work at the mine, or to fill the secondary or indirect jobs, then additional job opportunities will be made available for other unemployed or underemployed residents. Thus, opportunities for upward mobility in the labor force will be afforded to residents and possibly in-migrants. (26)

Projected levels of personal income for residents resulting from mine payrolls range from \$3.5 to \$7.0 million annually during construction to \$7.5 to \$8.4 million during operation. (26, 39) The distribution of income within the region will be proportional to the distribution of jobs, i.e., Kotzebue residents will account for slightly less

than half (46%) and residents in the other 10 communities will receive the balance (54%). (39) Cominco Alaska estimates total annual expenditures of \$100 million (in 1985 dollars) during the 50-year life of the project. This includes wages and benefits, transportation costs, supplies and materials, state taxes and royalty payments to NANA Regional Corporation.

Thus, the nature of the impacts to the NANA region due to Red Dog is indeed dramatic and significant. The changes it will produce in the region's economy will be profound and long-term. The mine is scheduled to operate for 50 years. (17) The prospect of mining operations at the nearby Lik and Su deposits will generate even more employment, population and economic impacts. (41) Beyond these potential mining operations, the prospects for private sector economic development are less certain.

The land ownership patterns in the NANA region significantly limit other opportunities for economic development, particularly additional large-scale resource-based development. This is primarily due to the extent of public ownership of land within the region. Of the approximately

23,000,000 acres of land encompassed by the proposed borough, fully 63% or over 14,000,000 acres, are federal lands, mostly within the 6 different conservation units established by ANILCA (Bering Land Bridge National Preserve, Cape Krusenstern National Monument, Noatak National Preserve, Kobuk Valley National Park, Selawik National Wildlife Refuge and Gates of the Arctic National Park and Preserve). An additional 25% (5.7 million acres) are State selected, tentatively approved or patented lands. (16)

The balance is privately owned; NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. and Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corporation (Kotzebue's village corporation) own a combined total of 2.4 million acres, or approximately 10%. (16) Other privately owned lands are Native allotments and patented townsite lots throughout various communities.

The large number of conservation units in the NANA region does provide a potential source of economic activity-tourism. The NANA region already has a limited tourism industry, consisting primarily of summer tours in Kotzebue. However, this industry is highly cyclical; 1983 was a poor year compared to previous years, contributing to increased

losses at NANA's Kotzebue hotel. (7) The region's spectacular natural scenery has always drawn outdoor recreation enthusiasts; the creation of the conservation units should in all likelihood increase that attraction. Kotzebue will be the focal point for most, if not all, of these tourist-related activities. The National Park Service regional headquarters is in Kotzebue. Tourists most likely will visit the headquarters facility and NANA's Museum of the Arctic prior to embarking on tours of the various conservation units.

There are potential, renewable resource-based economic development activities that could take place on public lands. The two most promising are reindeer herding and agriculture. (5) Both activities already occur to a limited extent-farming at Selawik and reindeer herding at Buckland, Deering and Candle. The NANA Regional Strategy has identified additional sites in the region that could support agriculture and reindeer grazing. (5) This is in keeping with the region's goals to offer local employment while at the same time promoting regional self-sufficiency through expanded import substitution. (5)

Development on privately owned land that has the greatest economic potential is mining. Besides Red Dog, sizeable mineral deposits are known to exist at Lik, Su, Ambler/Bornite and Deering/Candle. The economic feasibility of the Lik deposit located near Red Dog should be considerably enhanced once the Red Dog mine, road and port become operational. (17)

Returning to the fundamental issue raised by the economy standard-i.e., is the region's economy sufficient to support a borough - the following points are germane. A municipal government has 3 mechanisms available to it under State law to generate revenues locally - a property tax, a sales and use tax, and the issuance of bonds. Without a substantial expansion of the region's private sector economy, and a commensurate increase in the region's tax base, it is unlikely that sufficient revenues from either means of taxation would be generated to support borough government, especially in light of the uncertainty of continued or consistent sources of public funding. It is equally unlikely that the region could issue bonds and incur indebtedness without a demonstrable means of guaranteeing repayment. (42, 43) Section V.7 of this brief discusses the

proposed borough's budget and estimated property tax revenues. The State's detachment brief also discussed the issue of borough revenues and costs. (10) Clearly, the Red Dog project, and other potential mining projects, are the principle economic foundation of a Northwest Arctic Borough.

4. Transportation

AS 29.05.030(a)(4) states: land, water and air transportation facilities allow the communication and exchange necessary for the development of integrated borough government.

The communities in the NANA region are interconnected by an air transportation network that operates year round and by barge service in the summer. Land transportation facilities are restricted to winter snowmachine trails and ice roads connecting nearby villages. The proposed Red Dog road would be the only permanent, year-round road in the NANA region.

Kotzebue has the only airport large enough to handle jets and larger cargo aircraft. Daily passenger service to and from Nome and Anchorage is offered by Alaska Airlines, with three

scheduled jet flights each weekday and two daily flights on weekends. Regularly scheduled cargo service to Kotzebue is provided 7 times a week by Mark Air. Flights to the outlying communities are provided on a regularly scheduled basis by Ryan Air, Bering Air, Baker Aviation, Cape Smythe Air Service and Shellabarger Flying Service. Every community in the region receives at least three regularly scheduled flights on weekdays; most have daily service. (Exhibit VI) In Addition, 3 charter air services operate out of Kotzebue and 2 village-based charter air taxi operators (Ambler Air in Ambler and Lee's Sea Air in Kiana) provide additional air transportation services.

All of the outlying communities have airports capable of handling small passenger planes at a minimum. In addition, 4 of the outlying communities have runways 3000 feet in length and longer (Buckland, Kiana, Noorvik and Shungnak). Shungnak's runway is currently being lengthened to 4000 feet. The State's FY86 Transportation Capital Improvements Program has earmarked approximately \$11.5 million for airport improvements at Ambler, Kivalina, Noatak and Selawik. Kivalina, Noatak and Selawik runways are to be lengthened, and Ambler and Selawik re to

have crosswind runways constructed. (44)

Kotzebue is served during the ice-free summer months by 3 Seattle-based mainline barge companies - Alaska Marine Lines, Northland and Pacific Alaska Line. As the need arises, Kivalina and Deering occasionally receive direct barge service also. Barge service to the outlying communities typically is provided as sufficient goods destined for the communities are stockpiled in Kotzebue. Frequency of service is variable, depending chiefly on the duration of ice-free water and the depth of the water in the rivers. Most communities receive two to three barge shipments a summer.

Additionally, every community in the region has telephone service. All telephone service is provided by OTZ Telephone Corporative, Inc. in Kotzebue. No other telephone utilities operate in the NANA region. Both the school district and Maniilaq Association have extensive media facilities, such as video, slide and newsletter, which are routinely used to communicate and exchange ideas, educational materials and services. Maniilaq Association's newsletter, the Northwest Arctic NUNA, conveys information and

news of importance to people in the region.

The NANA region's relatively compact size and the distribution of its communities greatly facilitates the provision of transportation and communication services. No community is more than one hour's flying time by small plane from either Kotzebue or the closest other community.

IV. REGULATORY STANDARDS FOR INCORPORATION OF A BOROUGH (19 AAC 10.160)

In addition to the statutory standards addressed above, the Alaska Administrative Code, in Title 19, contains 5 additional standards which must be satisfied by a proposed borough incorporation. Each of these regulatory standards is presented and discussed below.

1. Number of Communities

19 AAC 10.160.(1) states: the area includes at least two separate communities.

The NANA region has eleven separate, permanently inhabited communities - Ambler, Buckland, Deering, Kiana, Kivalina, Kobuk, Kotzebue, Noatak, Noorvik, Selawik and Shungnak. The mining community of

Candle historically had a sizeable population as reported in previous U.S. Censuses through 1960. Candle's population is now only seasonal and quite small.

2. Transportation Services

19 AAC 10.160(2) states: transportation services are available at least once a week between communities located within the area on a regularly scheduled or charter basis, or communities located within the area which do not have regularly scheduled transportation services are connected by a highway system.

As discussed in Section III.4., transportation services are available by air on a regularly scheduled daily basis. Ryan Air, for example, offers daily flights from Kotzebue to seven of the region's outlying communities. Ambler, Kobuk and Shungnak are served every day but Sunday. (18) Similarly, Bering Air, Cape Smythe Air Service and Baker Aviation, Inc. offer regularly scheduled air service to the region's communities. (Exhibit VI)

3. Revenues

19 AAC 10.160 (3) states: there are sufficient anticipated revenues to maintain and operate, at a minimum, the mandatory powers of the proposed borough government.

Section V.7 of this brief presents a detailed discussion of the proposed borough's budget for its first full fiscal year of operation. As described therein, the Northwest Arctic Borough intends to initially exercise only the mandatory powers required by Alaska statutes. The proposed budget is accordingly structured to generate revenues sufficient to deliver that level of service. Also, as previously stated, the development and operation of the Red Dog mine is critical to the financial viability of the proposed Northwest Arctic Borough.

Initially, a significant portion of the borough's budget is to be derived from public sources. The necessity for adequately funding the startup costs of a borough government was recognized by the Alaska Legislature in its enactment of SCS CSHB 72 in 1985 (Chap 74 SLA 1985). In Section 29.05.190 of that bill, organizational grants of \$300,000

were authorized for the first full or partial fiscal year of a newly organized borough's existence. The amount of this organizational grant is reduced to \$200,000 in the second year of the borough's existence and to \$100,000 in its third year. (19)

The State also provides funding to local governments through the State Revenue Sharing and Municipal Aid programs. The federal government has also provided funding to local governments through the federal revenue sharing program, although the future of that program is currently uncertain. (20) Accordingly, it was assumed that no funding would be made available under that program, as advised by the Office of Federal Revenue Sharing.

Education funds are provided by the State. As can be seen from the proposed borough budget presented in Section V.7, the magnitude of the education component is far and away the greatest of any of the budgetary line items. For purposes of determining the first full fiscal year budget, it was assumed that the level of funding provided by the State would be sufficient to at a minimum maintain the level of education services currently

being provided by the Northwest Arctic School District.

The NANA region is a participant in the Alaska Coastal Management Program and, as such, receives grant funds from the State of Alaska to develop and implement the region's coastal management program. The amount of funding reflected in the proposed borough budget is based upon the estimated level of funding to be provided by the State of Alaska plus a pro-rated estimate of funds remaining in the region's existing grant. (21)

The region is also eligible to receive funds under the State's Shared Revenue-Fisheries Taxes program. The amounts received by the region over the past three years has been highly variable. (22) However, a reasonable estimate of anticipated fisheries taxes shared revenues was made for purposes of budget preparation. The proposed borough is not eligible for any other shared revenue programs of a significant nature administered by the State.

The balance of the proposed borough budget is derived from locally generated property tax revenues. The level of such revenues is a

function of the assessed value of taxable real and personal property within the borough and the mill rate levied by the borough assembly. The proposed budget reflects an estimate of the region's assessed value; the genesis of this estimate is more fully described in Section V.7. The proposed mill rate to be initially levied by the borough is 3 mills, a rate sufficient to generate the necessary balance of funds required to exercise the mandatory borough powers. As the demand for services increases, property tax revenues will also increase in concert with an increase in the borough's tax base. This increased tax base will primarily be due to the Red Dog mine.

The estimated assessed value of taxable real property in the NANA region used in preparing the borough's budget is \$125,672,500. (See Section V.7) It is estimated that the Red Dog mine will add approximately \$250,000,000 in taxable improvements to the region's tax base. (10,17) As mine development proceeds and the capital facilities are constructed, the region's tax base will incrementally increase, generating additional revenues. This will allow the borough to gradually expand its service delivery capabilities in anticipation of projected mine startup by the

end of the decade.

4. Population

19 AAC 10.160(4) states: there are at least 1000 people located within the area.

The 1980 U.S. Census tabulated a total population of 4,831 persons. State Revenue Sharing figures for the ten incorporated communities, plus local estimates for the unincorporated community of Noatak, indicated a 1983 population of 6,077 and a 1984 population of 6,110.

5. Area

19 AAC 10.160(5) states: the area includes, at a minimum, one entire regional education attendance area unless the commission determines that a smaller area can otherwise meet borough government standards for incorporation.

The NANA region at the present time in fact contains one entire REAA, the Northwest Arctic School District, and a small portion of the North Slope Borough School District. Assuming the detachment effort is successful, the detached area

would become part of the Northwest Arctic School District upon incorporation of the NANA region. Regardless, there are no communities or permanent residents within the area proposed for detachment (10), and neither the North Slope Borough nor the Northwest Arctic School District currently provide educational services therein.

V. DETAILS OF PROPOSED INCORPORATION

1. Class

The NANA region proposes to incorporate as a borough of the first class. A first class borough affords residents the desired degree of flexibility and local self-determination within the statutory requirements of Title 29 of Alaska Statutes.

2. Name

The name of the proposed borough is the Northwest Arctic Borough.

3. Boundaries

The boundaries of the proposed borough are identical to those of NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. as established under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, and as adjusted to conform to the boundaries of the State of Alaska across the waters of Kotzebue Sound and along the coastline. Appendix A of the Petition for Incorporation as a First Class Borough contains a map of the proposed borough; Appendix B presents the proposed borough's legal description.

4. Borough Assembly

The proposed borough assembly is to be composed of 11 members, each representing districts and elected at large. The districts of representation are identical to those established for the Northwest Arctic School District Board. This scheme provides a degree of continuity in regional representation and acknowledges the existence of a functioning and established mechanism for electing local representatives.

5. Borough Powers

Initially, the borough will exercise only the mandatory powers specified in AS 29.35.150-.180: education, assessment and collection of taxes, and land use regulation. Additional powers will be exercised when the need arises and when sufficient locally generated revenues are available to support the exercise of those powers.

Education powers will be assumed immediately upon incorporation. The existing REAA administration, staff and facilities will be retained and will be transferred to the borough as the borough school district. In the interests of continuity and ease of transition, the existing REAA school board will also be retained. Elections for school board members will be held at the next appropriate general election.

The borough will also assume the taxation power immediately upon incorporation. AS 29.05.210 requires the Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs to assist the borough in determining the initial property tax assessment role, including contracting for property appraisals. This assistance will be sought

immediately, as the borough will need to generate property tax revenues as expeditiously as possible.

The powers of planning, platting and land use regulation will also be assumed by the borough immediately following incorporation. This will be chiefly accomplished by the transfer of the existing coastal management and regional strategy planning functions from their current sponsor, Maniilaq Association, to the borough. The City of Kotzebue also currently exercises the planning power, and negotiations regarding the exercise of those powers will begin immediately, with the intent to complete said negotiations within 6 months of incorporation. Since AS 29.40.010 (b) authorizes a borough to delegate these powers to a city within a borough, if that city consents by ordinance, the option exists for the City of Kotzebue to retain its planning powers.

There are no other cities within the NANA region exercising powers to be assumed by the borough.

6. Borough Administration

The administration of the proposed borough will be the absolute minimum required to properly and efficiently carry out the borough's duties. Wherever possible and appropriate, contract services will be utilized rather than borough staff. Such is the case with legal services; the borough should not require the services of a full-time staff attorney during its first year. The Department of Administration and Finance will also function as the borough assessor, in concert with the mandated assistance of the State. The Department of Education is entirely composed of the existing REAA, and far and away comprises the bulk of the borough's budget and staffing.

7. Borough Budget

The proposed borough budget is structured to accommodate the provision of services mandated by State law and the desired size of the borough administration. The budget is composed of state funds provided through a variety of sources and locally generated property tax revenues. (Exhibit VII)

It should be noted that all of the identified sources of revenue and their respective funding amounts are estimates. For example, State Revenue Sharing entitlements are in part a direct function of the amount of locally generated revenue. An increase in property tax revenues, for example, results in a proportionate increase in State Revenue Sharing funds. Final Revenue Sharing entitlements, however, are determined by the total legislative appropriations each fiscal year and the number of recipients among whom the funds are distributed. (27,28) Based upon the borough's estimated 1983 population of 6,079 and projected property tax revenues of \$377,000, the estimated State Revenue Sharing entitlement for the Northwest Arctic Borough is \$65,000.

Municipal Assistance funds are provided to boroughs on a per capita basis for that portion of the borough population residing outside of incorporated cities. The estimated allocation of Municipal Assistance funds is \$35,000, as determined by the Department of Community and Regional Affairs. (29)

The projected State coastal management grant funding of \$142,500 is a combination of the

pro-rated grant currently awarded the region and a pro-rated share of the anticipated grant for the next federal fiscal year. The borough budget was developed for a full fiscal year, commencing July 1, 1986, while coastal management grants are awarded by the federal fiscal year (October 1 - September 30). The region's current grant is being expended at an average rate of \$10,000/month, providing a balance of \$30,000 for the period July 1 - September 30, 1986. According to the Department of Community and Regional Affairs, the region is slated to receive an additional \$150,000 in federal fiscal year 87. (21) Pro-rated over the nine month period from October 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987, this grant will provide \$112,500 to the borough. The total coastal management grant funds available therefore to the borough are \$142,500.

The estimated funding for education is based upon the current REAA budget plus the REAA's estimates for additional funding available only to borough school districts. This additional funding derives from PL 81-874 funds (federal impact aid) and from State cigarette tax shared revenues, and totals approximately \$2,860,000. (30)

Newly incorporated boroughs are entitled to receive organization grants from the State, as authorized in AS29.05.190, in the amount of \$300,000 for the first full or partial fiscal year of operation. The borough would also be entitled to receive a portion of fisheries tax revenues collected by the State in the region. As authorized in AS 43.75.130, taxes collected within an incorporated city within an organized borough are shared equally by the city and borough. Both receive a 25% share of the total taxes collected. (31) Projected revenues are based upon previous tax revenues reported by the State Department of Revenue, (22) coupled with planned improvements to local processing facilities. (7)

Property tax revenues are extremely difficult to project given the absence of an assessed full and true value of all taxable property in the region. Therefore, estimates provided by the State of Alaska were employed. These estimates were verbally provided by the State Assessor as determined for FY85 (32) and derived from the 1984 Alaska Taxable. (33) The 1985 Alaska Taxable was not available at the time these estimates were prepared.

The total estimated full and true value for real and personal property in the NANA region as determined by the State Assessor, is \$209,314,325. This figure excluded the unincorporated community of Noatak, since it does not have taxing authority under State law. The State's procedure for estimating the full and true value of real and personal property in such a situation is to multiply the population of the community by a figure derived by the State that represents the average statewide per capita full and true value of real and personal property. (32) This figure, \$41,101, multiplied by the estimated Noatak population of 300, generates an estimated full and true value of real and personal property in Noatak of \$12,330,300. Therefore, the total estimated full and true value of real and personal property in the NANA region is \$221,644,625.

Several adjustments to this figure were then necessary. First, the borough intends to exempt personal property from taxation. Since the State's figures do not provide a distinction between real and personal property, an estimate of the value of personal property had to be derived. Table XI-A of the 1984 Alaska Taxable presents separate values for real and personal property in

those municipalities that levy a property tax. On the average, personal property accounts for approximately 10% of the total full and true value of real and personal property. Accordingly, the total figure for the NANA region was reduced by 10%, to a value of \$199,480,680.

Secondly, the estimates for full and true value of real property generated by the State do not take into full account the presence and extent of non-taxable real property (e.g., Native allotments, restricted deed townsite lots, Native corporation land and land owned by non-profit organizations), nor do they make any allowance for the various exemptions to property taxation authorized under State law (residential property exemptions, Senior Citizens property tax exemption and so on). (32) An estimate of the taxable full and true value of real property was required, since only an actual, on-site property assessment could accurately determine the taxable status and value of any given piece of property. The taxable full and true value of real property was conservatively estimated to be 70% of the estimated full and true value, or a total value of \$139,636,114 for all taxable real property.

It was further assumed that the assessed value of real property, as determined by the borough, would be 90% of full and true value, or \$125,672,500. The borough proposes to levy a 3 mill property tax. Therefore, total estimated property taxes are 0.3% of \$125,672,500, or \$377,000.

The borough does not propose to levy a sales or use tax. Presently, 9 of the 10 municipalities in the region levy sales taxes. Kobuk does not levy a sales tax, Kotzebue and Deering levy 3% sales taxes and the remainder levy 2% sales taxes.

A detailed operating budget for the first full fiscal year of borough operation is attached as Exhibit VII.

LIST OF EXHIBITS

- I. POPULATION OF THE KOBUK CENSUS AREA
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- II. NATIVE POPULATION OF NANA REGION COMMUNITIES - 1980
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- IX. AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE
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EXHIBIT I
POPULATION OF THE KOBUK CENSUS AREA
1950, 1960, 1970, 1980

<u>COMMUNITY</u>	<u>1950</u>	<u>POPULATION</u>		<u>1980</u>
		<u>1960</u>	<u>1970</u>	
Ambler	0	70	176	192
Buckland	108	87	104	177
Deering	174	95	85	150
Kiana	181	253	278	345
Kivalina	117	143	188	241
Kobuk	38	54	165	62
Kotzebue	623	1,290	1,696	2,054
Noatak	326	275	293	273
Noorvik	248	384	462	492
Selawik	273	348	429	535
Shungnak	141	135	165	202
Candle	105	102	-	-
Other	-	-	7	108
TOTAL	2,334	3,236	4,048	4,831

SOURCE: Alaska Department of Labor. Alaska Population Overview-1983, 1984 and U.S. Census, 1950, 1960, 1970 and 1980.

EXHIBIT II

NATIVE POPULATION OF NANA REGION COMMUNITIES

1980

	All Races	American Indian, Eskimo & Aleut					Non-Native
		Total		Amer- ican Indian	Eskimo	Aleut	
		Number	Per- cent				
Region.....	4831	4113	85.1	35	4075	3	718
Total in Alaska Native villages.....	4724	4058	85.9	32	4023	3	666
Ambler.....	192	155	80.7	-	155	-	37
Buckland.....	177	161	91.0	-	161	-	16
Deering.....	150	138	92.0	1	137	-	12
Kiana.....	345	325	94.2	-	325	-	20
Kivalina.....	241	237	98.3	-	237	-	4
Kobuk.....	62	59	95.2	-	59	-	3
Kotzebue.....	2054	1574	76.6	22	1549	3	480
Noatak.....	273	259	94.9	2	257	-	14
Noorvik.....	492	467	94.9	4	463	-	25
Selawik.....	536	504	94.0	2	502	-	32
Shungnak.....	202	179	88.6	1	178	-	23
Total outside Alaska Native villages.....	107	55	51.4	3	52	-	52

SOURCE: 1980 U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT. American Indian Areas and Alaska Native Villages: 1980.

EXHIBIT III

ALASKA POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS BY CENSUS AREA

COMPONENTS OF CHANGE 1970-1980

Census Areas	April 1, 1980 Pop.	April 1, 1970 Pop.	Chg. 1970-80	% Chg. 1970-80	Average Annual Rate of Change	Births 1970-80	Deaths 1970-80	Net Mig.	Average Annual Birth Rate (%)	Average Annual Death Rate (%)	Annual Net Mig. Rate (%)
Aleutian Islands	7758	7834	-66	-0.84	-0.08	1266	204	-1128	1.62	0.26	-1.45
Anchorage Borough	174431	126385	48046	38.02	3.19	34834	5340	18552	2.32	0.36	1.23
Bethel C.A.	10999	8917	2082	23.35	2.09	2506	561	138	2.52	0.56	0.14
Bristol Bay C.A.	1094	1147	53	4.62	-0.47	308	46	-315	2.74	0.41	-2.81
Dillingham C.A.	4616	3872	744	19.21	1.75	916	262	90	2.16	0.62	0.21
Fairbanks North Star Borough	53983	45864	8119	17.70	1.63	12746	1850	-2777	2.55	0.37	-0.56
Haines Borough	1680	1401	279	19.91	1.81	283	100	96	1.84	0.65	0.62
Juneau Borough	19528	13556	5972	44.05	3.61	3033	812	3751	1.83	0.49	2.27
Kenai Borough	25282	16586	8696	52.43	4.15	4258	965	5404	2.03	0.46	2.58
Ketchikan Borough	11316	11041	1275	12.70	1.19	2214	761	-177	2.07	0.71	-0.17
Kobuk C.A.	4831	4048	783	19.34	1.76	1234	286	-165	2.78	0.64	-0.37
Kodiak Island Borough	9939	9409	530	5.63	0.55	2411	481	-1400	2.49	0.50	-1.45
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	17816	6509	11307	173.71	9.30	2306	526	9628	1.90	0.51	7.92
Nome C.A.	6537	5749	788	13.71	1.28	1606	537	-280	2.61	0.87	-0.46
North Slope Borough	4199	3451	748	21.67	1.96	842	250	157	2.20	0.65	0.41
Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan C.A.	3822	3782	40	1.06	0.11	700	236	-424	1.84	0.62	-1.12
Sitka C.A.	7803	6073	1730	28.49	2.49	1397	391	724	2.01	0.56	1.04
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon C.A.	3476	2792	686	24.57	2.19	679	270	277	2.17	0.86	0.88
Southeast Fairbanks C.A.	5676	4308	1368	31.75	2.74	1231	176	313	2.47	0.35	0.63
Valdez-Cordova C.A.	8348	4977	3371	67.73	5.06	1325	389	2435	1.99	0.85	3.65
Wrangell-Petersburg	6167	4920	1247	25.35	2.25	1163	409	494	2.10	0.74	0.89
Yukon-Flourish	7873	7045	828	11.75	1.11	1610	544	-238	2.16	0.73	-0.32

SOURCE: Alaska Department of Labor. Alaska Planning Information, 1985

EXHIBIT IV

COMPONENTS OF THE NANA REGION ECONOMIC BASE

1980

Industry	Private		State		Federal		Total
	Amount	(%)	Amount	(%)	Amount	(%)	
Renewable Resource Harvesting	\$ 944,669	100	\$ -0-	-0-	\$ -0-	-0-	\$ 944,669
Mining and Exploration	1,937,141	100	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,937,141
Construction	-0-	-0-	8,722,387	61	5,495,010	39	14,217,397
Household Manufacturing	183,830	100	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	183,830
Transportation	10,868	20	3,804	7	39,667	73	54,339
Wholesale and Distribution	2,502,036	100	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,502,036
Communications & Pvt. Utilities	8,601	1	799,900	93	51,606	6	860,107
Trade and Private Services	1,290,883	88	178,591	12	-0-	-0-	1,469,474
Finance and Real Estate	270,630	100	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	270,630
Quasi-Public and Non-Profit	-0-	-0-	1,992,320	40	2,988,480	60	4,980,800
Local and Regional Government	-0-	-0-	13,583,629	79	3,621,621	21	17,205,250
State Agencies and Services	-0-	-0-	1,825,194	66	959,430	34	2,784,624
Federal Agencies and Services	-0-	-0-	173,381	4	4,600,783	96	4,774,164
Transfer Payments/ Households	679,500	6	4,203,609	38	6,274,254	56	11,157,363
	\$7,828,158	12	\$31,482,815	50	\$24,030,851	38	\$53,341,825

SOURCE: Maniilaq Association: NANA Coastal Resource Service Area Coastal Management Program, 1982

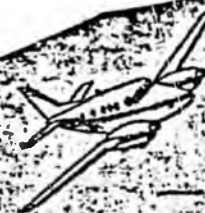
EXHIBIT V
NANA REGION ECONOMIC BASE
RANK BY INDUSTRY
1980

<u>RANK</u>	<u>INDUSTRY</u>	<u>TOTAL CONTRIBUTION</u>	<u>PERCENT</u>
(1)	Local and Regional Government	\$17,205,250	27.1%
(2)	Construction	14,217,397	22.4%
(3)	Transfer Payments, Households	11,157,364	17.6%
(4)	Quasi-Public and Non-Profits	4,980,800	7.9%
(5)	Federal Agencies and Services	4,774,164	7.5%
(6)	State Agencies and Services	2,784,624	4.4%
(7)	Wholesale, Warehousing and Distributing	2,502,036	4.0%
(8)	Mining and Exploration	1,937,141	3.1%
(9)	Trade and Private Services	1,469,474	2.3%
(10)	Renewable Resource Harvesting	944,699	1.5%
(11)	Communications and Private Utilities	860,107	1.4%
(12)	Finance and Real Estate	270,630	.4%
(13)	Household Manufacturing	183,830	.3%
(14)	Transportation	<u>54,339</u>	<u>.1%</u>
		\$63,341,825	100.0%

SOURCE: Maniilaq Association. NANA CRSA Coastal Management Program, 1982

EXHIBIT VI
AIRLINE SCHEDULE

BAKER AVIATION, INC.
P.O. BOX 116
KOTZERBUE, AK 99752
(907) 442-3108



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
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EXHIBIT VII
DETAILED OPERATING
BUDGET

OPERATING BUDGET

MAYOR AND ASSEMBLY	\$ 329,570
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE	243,675
DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS	200,255
DEPARTMENT OF LAW	40,000
ASSESSING DEPARTMENT	111,000
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	<u>20,713,072</u>
TOTAL	\$21,637,572

REVENUES

STATE ORGANIZATIONAL GRANT	\$ 300,000
STATE MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE	35,000
STATE REVENUE SHARING	65,000
STATE COASTAL MANAGEMENT GRANT	142,500
STATE FISHERIES TAX SHARED REVENUES	5,000
BOROUGH PROPERTY TAX (3 mils)	377,000
EDUCATION FUNDS	<u>20,713,072</u>
TOTAL	\$21,637,572

OPERATING BUDGET

Borough Assembly And Mayor's Office

PERSONAL SERVICES	\$185,420
Assembly Meeting Fees	13,200
Mayor	60,000
Administrative Assistant	36,000 11/mo
Borough Clerk	25,000 11/mo
Secretary	19,250 11/mo
Benefits (21%)	31,970
TRAVEL AND PERDIEM	\$ 60,350
CONTRACTUAL	\$ 50,000
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	\$ 26,300
OTHER DIRECT COSTS	
Elections	\$ 7,500
TOTAL	\$329,570

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

PERSONAL SERVICES	\$ 81,675
Director/Controller	36,000 11/mo
Accountant II	21,000 10/mo
Accountant I (Part-time)	10,500 10/mo
Benefits (21%)	14,175
CONTRACTUAL	
Audit	\$ 10,000
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	\$ 11,000
OTHER DIRECT COSTS	\$141,000
Contingency	78,000
Rent and Utilities	35,000
Insurance	28,000
TOTAL	\$243,675

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

PERSONAL SERVICES	\$102,720
Director	41,250 11/mo
Planner	27,500 11/mo
Secretary (Part-Time)	9,200 11/mo
Benefits (21%)	16,370
Planning Commission Meeting Fees	8,400
TRAVEL AND PERDIEM	\$ 39,935
Staff	14,935
Planning Commission	25,000
CONTRACTUAL	\$ 33,600
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	\$ 24,000
TOTAL	\$200,255

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

CONTRACTUAL

\$ 40,000

TOTAL

\$ 40,000

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT

TRAVEL AND PERDIEM	\$ 30,000
CONTRACTUAL	\$ 73,000
Assessing	30,000
Mapping	43,000
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	\$ 5,000
OTHER DIRECT COSTS	
Posting and Hearings	\$ 3,000
TOTAL	\$111,000

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

PERSONAL SERVICES	\$12,631,600
Salaries	\$10,583,289
Benefits	2,048,311
CONTRACTUAL	\$ 3,912,452
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	\$ 785,498
Supplies	\$ 637,078
Equipment	148,420
OTHER	\$ 523,522
ADDITIONAL STATE AID (UNBUDGETED)	\$ 2,860,000
TOTAL	\$20,713,072

BEFORE THE LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

IN RE:)
)
THE INCORPORATION OF THE)
NANA REGION AS A BOROUGH)
OF THE FIRST CLASS TO BE)
KNOWN AS THE NORTHWEST)
ARCTIC BOROUGH)

EXHIBIT VIII

AFFIDAVIT OF INFORMATION SOURCES

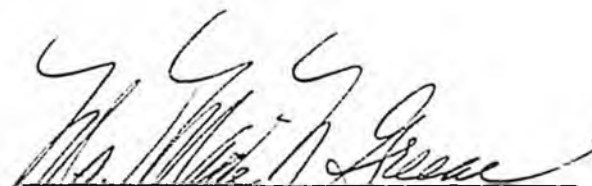
STATE OF ALASKA)
 : ss.
SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT)

MARIE GREENE, being first sworn, deposes and says:

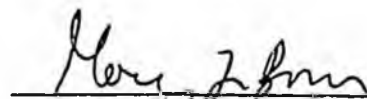
1. I am the representative of the Petitioner, Maniilaq Association, P.O. Box 256, Kotzebue, Alaska 99752, for the incorporation of the NANA region in Northwest Alaska as a borough of the first class.
2. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the information contained in the petition, exhibits and brief pertaining to the proposal incorporation of the NANA region is accurate and complete.
3. The sources of information contained in the incorporation petition are listed below:
 - (a) The name, mailing address and telephone number of the petitioner, and petitioner's representative, are from my personal knowledge,
 - (b) The legal description of the proposed Northwest Arctic Borough, appended to the

incorporation petition, was prepared by NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. and by Mr. Ed Busch, Maniilaq Association consultant.

- (c) The stated estimated full and true value of real and personal property within the proposed Northwest Arctic Borough is based upon information provided by Mr. Mike Worley, State Assessor, Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs, in a telephone conversation with Mr. Ed Busch, Maniilaq Association consultant on October 24, 1985.
- (d) Population figures for the proposed Northwest Arctic Borough were provided by the United States Census of Population for 1980, and by the State of Alaska State Revenue Sharing Program for State FY84 and FY85, and by petitioner for the unincorporated community of Noatak, based upon petitioner's knowledge.
- (e) Other factual sources of information referenced in this petition for incorporation are listed in Exhibit XI SOURCES OF INFORMATION of this brief.


Ms. Marie Greene
President
Maniilaq Association

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 2nd day of
January, 1986


Notary Public, State of Alaska
My commission expires: 9/20/87

BEFORE THE LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

IN RE:)
)
THE INCORPORATION OF THE)
NANA REGION AS A BOROUGH)
OF THE FIRST CLASS TO BE)
KNOWN AS THE NORTHWEST)
ARCTIC BOROUGH)
_____)

EXHIBIT IX

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

STATE OF ALASKA)
 : ss.
SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT)

MARIE GREENE, being first sworn, deposes and says:

1. I am the representative of the Petitioner, Maniilaq Association, P.O. Box 256, Kotzebue, Alaska 99752, for the incorporation of the NANA Region in Northwest Alaska as a borough of the first class.
2. In compliance with the provisions of 19 AAC 10.370(a) one copy of the petition, appendices, brief and exhibits has been served by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the following at the same time that the petition was filed with the Commissioner of the Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs:
 - a. North Slope borough
 - b. City of Ambler
 - c. City of Buckland
 - d. City of Deering
 - e. City of Kiana
 - f. City of Kivalina
 - g. City of Kobuk
 - h. City of Kotzebue
 - i. Village of Noatak
 - j. City of Noorvik
 - k. City of Selawik
 - l. City of Shungnak

3. Pursuant to the provisions of 19 AAC 10.370 (b), a copy of the petition, appendices, brief and exhibits has been made available for inspection by the general public at the following location between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays, except for holidays observed by Maniilaq Association:

Maniilaq Association
Eskimo Building
P.O. Box 256
Kotzebue, Alaska 99752
Telephone: (907) 442-3311

4. A copy of the petition, appendices, brief and exhibits has been mailed to each of the individuals listed below at the same time as the petition was delivered to the Commissioner:

The Honorable Edna DeVries
State Senator
P.O. Box 321
Palmer, Alaska 99645

The Honorable Vic Fischer
State Senator
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Anchorage, Alaska 99501

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Special Assistant to the Mayor
North Slope borough
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Frank Ferguson
Senator
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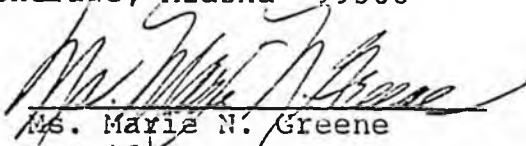
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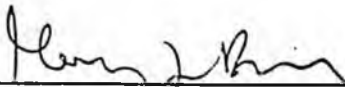

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EXHIBIT X

OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL POPULATION FOR BOROUGH AND CITIES

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December 28, 1984

Certification of Population

Under the authority vested in me by AS 29.88.015 and AS 43.20.016(c), I, Emil Notti, Commissioner of the Department of Community and Regional Affairs, do hereby certify the population of each municipality as of July 1, 1984 as shown on the "Official Municipal Population for Boroughs and Cities".

December 28, 1984
Date

Emil Notti
Emil Notti, Commissioner

OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL POPULATIONS
FOR BOROUGHS AND CITIES

	<u>FY 1985</u>
Anchorage, Municipality of	244,030*
Bristol Bay Borough	1,271
Fairbanks North Star Borough	69,633*
Fairbanks	27,103
North Pole	1,005**
Haines Borough	1,847
Haines	1,079
Juneau, City & Borough	28,941*
Kenai Peninsula Borough	38,919*
Homer	3,432*
Kachemak	325*
Kenai	6,176*
Seldovia	678*
Seward	2,072*
Soldotna	3,597*
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	14,314
Ketchikan	8,414
Saxman	343
Kodiak Island Borough	13,389*
Akhiok	103
Kodiak	6,072
Larsen Bay	215**
Old Harbor	375
Ouzinkie	233
Port Lions	291
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	34,030*
Houston	739*
Palmer	2,792*
Wasilla	3,548*

*estimate

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OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL POPULATIONS
FOR BOROUGHS AND CITIES

	<u>FY 1985</u>
North Slope Borough	7,978**
Anaktuvuk Pass	232**
Atkasuk	214**
Barrow	2,930**
Kaktovik	208**
Nuiqsut	309**
Point Hope	580**
Wainwright	514**
 Sitka, City & Borough of	 8,221
 HOME RULE/FIRST CLASS CITIES	
Cordova	2,520*
Craig	907
Dillingham	2,026**
Galena	902**
Hoonah	865
Hydaburg	429
Kake	631
King Cove	521**
Klawock	542**
Nenana	547**
Nome	3,732*
Pelican	213
Petersburg	3,137*
Saint Mary's	563
Sand Point	870**
Skagway	790
Tanana	417**
Unalaska	1,922
Valdez	3,687
Wrangell	2,376
Yakutat	462
 SECOND CLASS CITIES	
Akiachak	451
Akiak	250
Akutan	189
Alakanuk	564
Aleknagik	232
Allakaket	175
Ambler	275
Anderson	521

*estimate

**local census

OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL POPULATIONS
FOR BOROUGHS AND CITIES

FY 1985

SECOND CLASS CITIES (Cont'd)

Angoon	562
Aniak	483**
Anvik	114
Atmautluak	239
Bethel	3,681
Brevig Mission	159
Buckland	248**
Chefornak	270**
Chevak	532**
Chignik	124
Chuathbaluk	124
Clark's Point	80
Cold Bay	250
Deering	148
Delta Junction	1,172*
Diomede	153**
Eagle	142
Eek	259**
Ekwok	79
Elim	248**
Emmonak	641
Fort Yukon	641
Fortuna Ledge	272
Gambell	500**
Golovin	122**
Goodnews Bay	234**
Grayling	217
Holy Cross	266
Hooper Bay	680**
Hughes	98**
Huslia	283**
Kaltag	257
Kasaan	70
Kasigluk	394
Kiana	404**
Kivalina	272
Kobuk	86
Kotlik	413**
Kotzebue	2,981
Koyuk	213**
Koyukuk	98
Kupreanof	51**
Kwethluk	507
Lower Kalskag	271**

*estimate

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OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL POPULATIONS
FOR BOROUGHS AND CITIES

FY 1985

SECOND CLASS CITIES (continued)

Manokotak	299
McGrath	510**
Mekoryuk	182**
Mountain Village	666
Napakiak	323**
Napaskiak	291**
New Stuyahok	337
Newhalen	133
Newtok	187**
Nightmute	145
Nikolai	110**
Nondalton	237**
Noorvik	517**
Nulato	382
Nunapitchuk	353
Pilot Station	404
Platinum	59
Port Alexander	96
Port Heiden	94
Quinhagak	424**
Ruby	233
Russian Mission	175
Saint George	172**
Saint Michael	283**
Saint Paul	595
Savoonga	477
Scammon Bay	297**
Selawik	637**
Shageluk	149**
Shaktoolik	171
Sheldon Point	138**
Shishmaref	412
Shungnak	238**
Stebbins	339
Teller	247
Tenakee Springs	156**
Thorne Bay	393**
Togiak	554**
Toksook Bay	368**
Tuluksak	272
Tununak	335**
Unalakleet	787
Upper Kalskag	133
Wales	136**
White Mountain	158
Whittier	273**

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