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KENAI - MANDATORILY BECAME 2ND CLASS BOROUGH

NOTHING HAPPENED UNTIL 1968 WHEN HAINES - AFTER THE PASSAGE OF SPECIAL LEGISLATION CREATING A NEW CLASS OF BOROUGH (3RD CLASS) ESSENTIALLY SCHOOL DISTRICTS - INCORPORATED.

AGAIN, NOTHING HAPPENED UNTIL 1972 WHEN FOLLOWING THE DISCOVERY OF OIL AT PRUDHOE BAY - THE NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH INCORPORATED.

SINCE 1972, LITTLE HAS HAPPENED IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF BOROUGH GOVERNMENT - ALTHOUGH IN 1975, THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH WAS DIVIDED INTO REAAs FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

URBAN AREAS ARE SERVED BY BOROUGH AND RURAL AREAS - JUST AS IN 1959 ARE SERVED BY THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH.

GIVEN THIS BACKGROUND, LET ME EXPLAIN WHY - AT LEAST IN OUR OPINION - THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH IS NOT WORKING AS A SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM.

II. PROBLEM STATEMENT

- NO LOCALLY ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES RESPONSIBLE FOR MUNICIPAL SERVICES (OTHER THAN THE SINGLE PURPOSE SCHOOL BOARD - REAA)
- TO A CERTAIN EXTENT MUNICIPAL SERVICES (E.G. EDUCATION, POLICE PROTECTION, HEALTH) ARE CURRENTLY BEING PROVIDED
- RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT ENCOURAGES NEED FOR MUNICIPAL SERVICES
- DUPLICATION OF SERVICES AND WASTE DUE TO NO EFFECTIVE GOVERNING BODY REVIEWING ACTIONS OF STATE AND FEDERAL AGENCIES
- NON-MUNICIPAL ENTITIES ENTERING VOID DUE TO LACK OF MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENTS (E.G. NON-PROFIT HEALTH CORPORATIONS)

II. ALTERNATIVES

A. STATUS QUO

(MOST SERVICES PROVIDED BY STATE (E.G. POLICE PROTECTION))

GOOD ASPECTS

- SERVICES ARE BEING PROVIDED

BAD ASPECTS

LITTLE COORDINATION BETWEEN AGENCIES PROVIDING

- INEQUITABLE (NON-BOROUGH RESIDENTS DON'T PARTICIPATE TO THE SAME EXTENT AS BOROUGH RESIDENTS IN FINANCING MUNICIPAL SERVICES)
- CITIES ALONE LACK, IN MANY CASES, HUMAN AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES
- INHIBITS THE FORMATION OF BOROUGHES

B. MORE REAAs

(REGIONAL SERVICE WITH STATE \$ WITH REGIONAL DECISION MAKING)

GOOD ASPECTS

- DECISION MAKING ON REGIONAL LEVEL

BAD ASPECTS

- INEQUITABLE IN THAT RESIDENTS OF THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH RECEIVE 100% SUPPORT FOR MAINTENANCE, OPERATION AND CONSTRUCTION OF PROGRAMS WHILE RESIDENTS OF BOROUGHES AND FIRST CLASS CITIES DO NOT.
- INHIBITS THE FORMATION OF BOROUGHES
- EXCLUSIVELY SINGLE PURPOSE WHICH TENDS TO LESSEN THE LEVEL OF SERVICE IF SEVERAL BOARDS ARE FORMED

BE GIVEN

- HAS NOT BEEN TESTED IN COURT

C. SERVICE AREAS

GOOD ASPECTS

- EXISTING, RECOGNIZED MECHANISM FOR DELIVERY OF MUNICIPAL SERVICES
- PROVIDES FLEXIBILITY (ADDITIONAL SERVICES MAY BE PROVIDED)
- RESPONSIVE (ONE BOARD COULD ACT ON PROVIDING ALL SERVICES)
- LOCAL TAXES COULD BE COLLECTED TO PROVIDE A HIGHER LEVEL OF SERVICE

BAD ASPECTS

- SERVICES DEPENDENT ON LEGISLATURE (THEY CAN ADD OR DELETE SERVICES, TAXES, FUNDING, ETC.)
- BOARDS WOULD BE ADVISORY ONLY

D. UNORGANIZED BOROUGHES (SIMILAR TO SERVICE AREAS)

GOOD ASPECTS

- COORDINATES STATE AND FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

BAD ASPECTS

- ADVISORY POWERS ONLY
- TEMPORARY FORM OF GOVERNMENT

E. ORGANIZED BOROUGHES

GOOD ASPECTS

- RECOGNIZED FORM OF GOVERNMENT
- PROVIDES REGIONAL DECISION MAKING
- COORDINATES STATE AND FEDERAL GOVERNMENT
- MUNICIPAL POWERS CLEARLY ESTABLISHED

BAD ASPECTS

- ACQUIRED "DIRTY" CONNOTATION AS A PRODUCT OF THE MANDATORY BOROUGH ACT
- SOME AREAS OF THE STATE LACK TAXABLE RESOURCES
- RIGID FORM OF GOVERNMENT
- SEPARATE ASSEMBLIES, BOARDS, ETC. ARE ESTABLISHED -
DRAWS ON HUMAN RESOURCES

*Work sheet from C2101
grant submitted by
CRAH*

Structures or mechanisms for local planning in the unorganized borough raise questions and have implications for the ACMP as well as every other state program in the unorganized borough. The state needs to carefully identify and analyze alternative approaches and structures for planning in the unorganized borough. The Legislature is sufficiently concerned about the problems of local government and the discrepancies between the organized and unorganized areas, that a special legislative committee has been organized to study alternatives for the provision of all services to all local areas (both organized and unorganized) during the next interim. The appropriate state agencies including DPDP, DCRA and DNR, Dept. of Education, and Dept. of Health & Social Services will be involved in making recommendations to this committee and assisting them in their study. In addition, the Coastal Policy Council has directed the OCM and DCRA to study the alternatives for coastal planning and in the unorganized borough. The DCRA has submitted a request to do the following study which will be used to assist both the legislative interim committee and the Coastal Policy Council in making recommendations to the legislature next fall.

The issues which cause this item to be a priority for special study by the coastal management program are several. The new lease sale schedule, proposed bottomfish expansion, and suggested new port development all affect the unorganized borough which at the present time has no satisfactory regulatory management mechanisms by state or local governments.

If funded at the requested level, DCRA will fund one person for this project to study alternatives for planning in the unorganized borough. They will begin their effort by researching the issue thoroughly. Their research will include studying other states which have portions with sparse population and little local government, determining the legal parameters of local government versus state control; and completing necessary background work. After this work is completed, DCRA will work up summation of the alternatives which will be presented to various rural communities throughout the state for community input.

Workshops will be held in the regional centers (i.e. Kotzebue, Nome, Bethel, Dillingham, Unalaska, Sand Point, Valdez, Cordova, Sitka, Ketchikan) or other locations which would afford good representation of residents in the unorganized borough. The workshops would be held in conjunction with other meetings as much as possible to reduce expenses. They would be designed to explore with residents of the unorganized borough alternative ways of managing coastal areas in the unorganized borough.

Each regional workshop would culminate in endorsement of a "position paper" by workshop participants and designation of one participant to attend a statewide meeting. Each position paper would summarize key coastal management issues, and recommendations to be considered by the

Administration, the Coastal Policy Council, and the Legislature. After all regional workshops have been conducted, a statewide meeting will be held, probably in Anchorage, and attended by delegates designated at the regional workshops. At the Statewide meeting, delegates would discuss position papers prepared at each regional workshop and prepare a consolidated set of recommendations to the Administration, the Coastal Policy Council, and the Legislature.

Products and Schedule

A transcript of workshop proceedings would be printed as part of this task. Recommendations would be available in January, if legislative action is required. A final report would be prepared in June, after the Legislature adjourns and would reflect legislative deliberations.

Contracts and Costs of Task E2: Unorganized Borough Management Alternatives

		<u>Federal Share</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
DCRA	16 person months	\$ 77,200	\$ 19,300	\$96,500

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Nov. 12, 1979

I've been working as staff for the Local Government Study Committee and thought you might be interested in our recent Report. (enclosed) You might want to pass it along to the chairman of a local government program item if your League has adopted one this year. We would welcome any comments on the Action Program portion of the Report in particular.

On a personal note, I continue to find the skills developed by LWV experience to be of invaluable assistance in many new arenas of activity.

Yours truly,

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At our meeting in Juneau you noted that a letter had been sent requesting the names and addresses of those people who belong to the Task Force. I have not received your letter, but I have enclosed the names and the addresses of the current Task Force members. I hope this will be useful.

We are looking forward to meeting with you on August 15.

If there are any other questions, please feel free to call.

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Dear Ms. Lare'

Thank you very much for your letter of May 18 regarding the Task Force for Rural Development. I will be very happy to meet with the Task Force on August 15 at 8:15 a.m. in the large Conference Room in the Department of Community and Regional Affairs.

We are just now in the process of defining the scope of our study. This will be a joint effort of the House and Senate Community and Regional Affairs Committees.

We are going to make a real effort to keep affected persons advised of the course of the study. It would be most helpful if you would send to me the addresses of the members of your Task Force for Rural Development. It is going to take the effort of a great number of people, including yourself, to make this a successful and productive study.

Sincerely,

Arliss Sturgulewski, Senator
Co-Chairman, Local Government Committee

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May 18, 1979

The Honorable Arliss Sturgulewski
Alaska State Senator
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Dear Arliss,

RE: Task Force for Rural Development

About 18 months ago, a group of people representing federal and state agencies and rural economic planners, began meeting on an informal basis, and adopted for themselves the title of "Task Force for Rural Development".

The objectives of these meetings have been: 1) to develop a stronger coordination between funding agencies in rural Alaska and to avoid duplication; and 2) to assist rural planners in meeting with federal and state agency representatives to voice their concerns regarding rural development.

The Task Force members requested at their meeting on May 16, 1979, that I contact you and ask you to meet with us on Wednesday, August 15, 1979 at 8:15 a.m. in the large conference room, Department of Community and Regional Affairs in Anchorage. We are hopeful that you can address some of the concerns your Interim Committee will be seeking regarding local government structure in rural Alaska.

I have enclosed a list of the members of the Task Force that regularly attend the bi-monthly meetings, so that you can see the scope of membership.

We do hope your time will permit your being with us on August 15, 1979. Please do call should you wish additional information.

Cordially,

Lare'

Community Development Coordinator

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TO: Local Government Symposium Participants

FROM: Senator Arliss Sturgulewski, Co-Chairman
Representative Bill Parker, Co-Chairman

DATE: August 4, 1979

We are pleased that you can take part in this meeting, which we believe will be significant in the development of rural policy for the State of Alaska.

First, a little background on the Local Government Study. This effort was initiated by us in response to recognized problems related to local government in Alaska. The Department of Community and Regional Affairs, as well as the Municipal League, have supported such a study to clarify and resolve questions dealing with municipal relationships and the broader questions related to municipal/State relationships.

The need for the study became evident to the members of our Committees during the First Session of the Eleventh State Legislature with consideration of legislation dealing with revenue sharing, "instant unification," annexation, taxation of the unorganized borough and implementation of coastal zone management in rural Alaska. Additionally, a proposal by the Tanana Chiefs' Conference to create regional and subregional planning commissions raised the question of the adequacy of the State's service delivery mechanisms in the unorganized borough.

The Symposium is the first of a two-step process which is solution oriented. After the work product of the Symposium is refined, the Joint Committee will travel to rural Alaska to broaden public involvement and to solicit comment on the proposals to be considered by the Legislature.

An auxiliary component of the Study will be an identification of municipal concerns by the Alaska Municipal League. Organized municipalities are currently being surveyed with the results of the questionnaire to be reviewed at the League's August meeting in Valdez. Legislative proposals developed in response to the survey will also be reviewed by the Joint Committee.

As participants of the Symposium, you are being asked to provide us with direction in identifying current issues and proposing legislative solutions.

Your packet contains material developed to provide an overview of the unorganized borough as it exists today. This material is seen as a starting point for our inquiry into what can be done to improve the quality of the interaction between government and the people it serves in rural Alaska.

PROPOSED AGENDA
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SYMPOSIUM
AUGUST 4/5, 1979

Pioneer School House
Third and Eagle
Anchorage, Alaska

SATURDAY, August 4

8:30 A.M. Sign In/Coffee

9:00 A.M. Welcome and Introductions of Committee Members
Senator Arliss Sturgulewski
Representative Bill Parker

Introduction of Participants
Representative Bill Parker

Background of Study and Overview of Study Components
Senator Arliss Sturgulewski

History of Local Government in Alaska
Mr. Vic Fiscner

9:45 A.M. Problem and Issue Identification
Participants

Possible Topics:

1. Rural capacity for self governance
2. Equitable distribution of revenue from Alaska's resources
3. Role of non-profit corporations in rural Alaska
4. Equity in service delivery
5. Incentives and disincentives to the formation of local and regional government

NOON Recess. An informal buffet lunch will be served in the Pioneer School House.

Afternoon Alternative strategies and solutions for addressing problems and issues
Participants

SUNDAY, August 5

9:30 A.M. Continue discussion of legislative and non-legislative
solutions
Identify issues in need of further policy study, evaluation
and research
Identify legislative priorities
Participants

NOON ch

1:15 P.M. Co. inue morning discussion
Discuss plan for public hearings
Participants

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SYMPOSIUM - August 4/5, 1979

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Acknowledgements

I

CHRONOLOGY

MAJOR EVENTS AFFECTING REGIONAL GOVERNMENT

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- 1912 ORGANIC ACT (CREATION OF THE TERRITORIAL LEGISLATURE)
- 1934 INDIAN REORGANIZATION ACT
- 1935 CREATION OF PUBLIC UTILITY AND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICTS
- 1955-1956 STATE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION
- 1958 ALASKA STATEHOOD ACT
 - BOROUGH/UNORGANIZED BOROUGH CONCEPT
 - LOCAL GOVERNMENT AGENCY
 - LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION
 - HOME RULE
- 1961 BOROUGH ACT OF 1961
- 1963 MANDATORY BOROUGH ACT (EIGHT BOROUGHs ORGANIZED BY 1/68)
- 1967 UNIFICATION AUTHORIZED
- 1967 CREATION OF HAINES 3RD CLASS BOROUGH (EDUCATIONAL DUTIES ONLY)
- 1970 JUNEAU-DOUGLAS UNIFICATION
- 1971 SITKA UNIFICATION
- 1972 ALASKA NATIVE CLAIMS SETTLEMENT ACT (PL 92-203)
 CREATION OF THE NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH
 COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT ACT PASSED
 STATE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY & REGIONAL AFFAIRS CREATED
- 1975 ANCHORAGE MUNICIPALITY ESTABLISHED (UNIFIED HOME RULE)
 INDIAN SELF-DETERMINATION AND EDUCATION ACT (PL 93-638)
- 1976 CREATION OF THE RURAL EDUCATION ATTENDANCE AREAS (REAAs)
- 1979 TANANA CHIEFS' PLANNING PROPOSAL
 NANA REGIONAL STRATEGY EVOLVES
 YUKON FLATS BOROUGH STUDY
- 1980 U.S. DECENNIAL CENSUS
- 1982 REAPPORTIONMENT OF ELECTION DISTRICT REPRESENTATION GOES INTO EFFECT

II

STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM

STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM

The following problem areas have been identified with the existing unorganized borough structure of rural Alaska:

1. Sufficiency of available local government structures to meet the need for local government entities at the community and regional level.
2. Sufficiency of the economic base in the unorganized borough in financing the basic local government functions.
3. An equitable statewide distribution of revenue from Alaska's resources.
4. Continually creating overlapping jurisdictional boundaries within the unorganized borough used for both administrative and service delivery purposes and the inefficiencies resulting from same.
5. The role of the quasi-governmental organizations as service deliverers and the functioning of such organizations as substitutes for local government when often such groups are limited to serving only Alaska Natives.
6. The inequities in a system in which residents are not, generally, afforded the opportunity to participate directly in the decision-making process nor to participate on an equal basis in terms of financing local services.
7. Dissatisfaction in the unorganized borough with existing municipal and state services, or the lack of them, as evidenced through extensive field contact by the Department of Community and Regional Affairs and through legislative proposals advanced in recent years.
8. The question of state vs. municipal responsibility for funding and delivery of public services and the construction, maintenance and operation of public facilities.

III

SERVICE DELIVERY TO THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGHS

SERVICE DELIVERY
TO THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH

The Alaska State Constitution states:

"The legislature shall provide for the performance of services it deems necessary or advisable in unorganized boroughs, allowing for maximum local participation and responsibility. It may exercise any power or function in an unorganized borough which the assembly may exercise in an organized borough."

Article X, Section 6

There are presently three legislatively-mandated service areas:

1. Aquaculture Service Areas
2. Coastal Resource Service Areas
3. Regional Educational Attendance Areas (REAAs)

AQUACULTURE SERVICE AREAS

In 1979, the Legislature amended AS 16, the Aquaculture Program, with FCCS HB 359 (Ch. 59, SLA 1979) granting the Commissioner of Commerce and Economic Development the authority to declare qualified regional associations, incorporated as non-profit corporations, as "service areas" within the unorganized borough for the purpose of providing salmon enhancement services.

Under this provision, a regional aquaculture association, comprised of associations representative of commercial fishermen and other representatives within the region, whose board of directors includes no less than one representative of each member user group, which has incorporated as a nonprofit corporation, becomes a service area within the unorganized borough with the authority to tax designated species of salmon caught commercially within the region and apply the proceeds to salmon enhancement programs.

On July 13, 1979, Judge Allen Compton, Superior Court, declared that the state may not dedicate a tax on the harvest of a natural resource of the state to a specific purpose by the device of declaring the tax for the purpose of providing a service within a so-called service area in the unorganized borough. Further, it was the Court's view that an incorporated nonprofit association may not become a "service area," either by inference or express legislative declaration. (No. 100-78-191 Civil Memorandum of Decision and Order - Judge Allen Compton, Superior Court.)

The Southern Southeast Regional Aquaculture Association will appeal Judge Compton's ruling.

SERVICE DELIVERY TO THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH (Cont'd)

COASTAL RESOURCE SERVICE AREAS

Coastal Resource Service Areas are authorized by the Alaska Coastal Management Act of 1977 to plan for the coastal areas. Each regional educational attendance area containing a part of the coastal area may be organized for this purpose or two or more REAAs may be consolidated as a single coastal resource service area. Implementation of the plans which are developed is the responsibility of the state.

At the present time, residents of two areas in the unorganized borough have voted to create coastal resource service areas. The Northwest Coastal Resource Service Area, comprising the area covered by REAA 1, has elected its seven-member board and will develop a coastal management plan.

On May 15, 1979, residents of REAA 3 and 4 voted to create the Yukon/Kuskokwim Delta Coastal Resource Service Area and will elect its board members on September 11, 1979. The City of Bethel opted to be excluded from this service area. In the Yukon/Kuskokwim area, the Department of Community and Regional Affairs entered into an agreement with Nunam Kitlutsisti, Inc. (Protectors of the Land,) the environmental planning area of Association of Village Council Presidents (AVCP) to provide a public outreach program presenting organizational options and procedures for coastal management in the area.

There have been expressed concerns related to how the state, through the appropriate state agencies, will actually implement an approved district coastal management program in the unorganized borough. Under AS 38.05.037, the Division of Lands has a general grant of authority to exercise zoning powers within the unorganized borough. Until recently, this has not been a problem because the zoning power was never used. However, where land-use controls are involved in coastal resource service areas, zoning will have to be established and administered by the Division of Lands.

On this subject, Mr. Vic Fischer in a memorandum to Mr. Steve Reeve, DNR, (February 2, 1979) recommends:

"If the state is deemed to have an overriding interest that requires it to exercise zoning authority in the unorganized borough, or at least within its coastal areas, neither ADL (Alaska Division of Lands) or DNR (Department of Natural Resources) appear to be the appropriate agency to manage the zoning program, with its strictly localized zoning, adjustment, appeals, and other aspects of continuing zoning administration. If the state is to engage in zoning, by far the most appropriate agency for the exercise of the function is the Department of Community and Regional Affairs (DCRA did not exist at the time ADL was granted zoning authority many years ago.)

In general, states have played only a minor role in the exercise of zoning authority beyond authorizing its use by local governments. The only exception is Hawaii, where general zoning classification is handled by the state, supplemented by local government; i.e., county, regulations in urban and other development areas. Elsewhere, zoning has been applied as a local government police power.

SERVICE DELIVERY TO THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH (Cont'd)

COASTAL RESOURCE SERVICE AREAS (Cont'd)

Except for the special authority given ADL, zoning in Alaska has traditionally been a power of cities and, more recently, of boroughs. Zoning would not have to be exercised by the state at all if provisions were made for (1) reorganization of the unorganized borough into a series of organized boroughs with planning and zoning authority (and this could be done without forcing them to tax or even manage schools) or (2) delegating the planning and zoning power to service areas within the unorganized borough, much as was done by the legislature in the case of coastal management planning."

REGIONAL EDUCATION ATTENDANCE AREAS (REAA's)

REAA's were created in 1975 as the mechanism through which the Legislature delegates to regional school boards the authority to operate the public schools using the boundaries or sub-boundaries of the regional corporations established under the Alaska Native Settlement Act or a combination of such boundaries.

Because the REAA's represent a major effort in regionalization, local control and decentralization of service delivery in the unorganized borough, the boundaries of which are also to be used for coastal zone management purposes, an in-depth history and analysis of the REAA's is included for your review.

During the early 1970's, the Center for Northern Educational Research was requested by the Department of Education to initiate a study of the delivery of educational services in the unorganized borough and the Interim Legislative Committee on Pre-Higher Education of the Eighth Legislature identified decentralization of the Alaska State-Operated Schools as the subject it wanted to study. The final report published in 1974, entitled "Pre-Higher Education in the Unorganized Borough: Analysis and Recommendations," included a wide range of recommendations. A primary point was the recognition of the need for local control of education and the relationship of that local control with local government creation.

"In order that any plan be more than temporary, the authority for controlling education should be aligned with the development of local governmental units as envisioned by Alaska's Constitution. If local control can be defined as that measure of control which a state delegates to local units of government, then the issues of local control of education cannot be treated separately from the broad issue of the creation of local units of government. And local government units formed around the delivery of education can provide the vanguard for local control over delivery of other governmental services. Therefore, the structure created to serve educational needs must be formed in anticipation of increases in appetites for control of other governmental functions. To ignore the need for legislative support to move toward creating local government units will only blunt the emerging desire of local citizens to assume the reigns and responsibility for their own destiny." p. 34

SERVICE DELIVERY TO THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH (Cont'd)

REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL ATTENDANCE AREAS (REAA's) (Cont'd)

The Center approached this subject with a note of caution; however,

"Local control of education in many regions is the main reason for creating local government units. All such creations, however, must await the readiness and desire of local people to assume control over them...the main sources of constituent resistance to local government stem from 1) lack of self-confidence, understandable, in the light of past history 2) groundless fear that the local tax base must be the primary source of local government, especially school funding, and 3) an acute shortage of trained personnel to handle what must seem like the endless march of administrative details.." p. 35

BOUNDARIES OF THE REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL ATTENDANCE AREAS

AS 14.08.031 (a) provides that REAA boundaries follow regional boundaries set under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act unless by referendum a community votes to merge with another community contiguous to it but within the boundaries or sub-boundaries of another regional corporation. The use of regional lines was not intended to be exclusive as shown by AS 14.08.031 (b) prescribing certain characteristics for REAAs.

"As far as practicable, each regional educational attendance area shall contain an integrated socio-economic, linguistically and culturally homogeneous area. In the formation of the REAAs, consideration shall be given to the transportation and communication between communities that comprise the area. Wherever possible, municipalities, other governmental or regional corporate entities, drainage basins and other identifiable geographic features shall be used in describing the boundaries.."

Taken together, these two sections suggest that REAA boundaries are to follow, rather than cross, regional corporation boundaries where they contact them and conform to natural or other predetermined boundaries. This is how the State Department of Community and Regional Affairs, which was charged with administering the act in consultation with the State Department of Education, interpreted it in a series of informational meetings in rural areas around the state in July and August, 1975. Later they began implementing it similarly when hearings were held in numerous bush locations regarding proposed boundaries. The result of the hearings was a division of the state into some 21 REAAs. Originally 20 REAAs were created by C&RA, but after a meeting of residents of REAA 17 and the Governor, REAA 21 (including Whittier and Tatitlek) was created on September 24, 1975, dividing REAA 14 along the boundary between the Chugach and Ahtna Regional Corporations.

Frequent mention has been made of the fact that the statutory characteristics for boundary selections of the REAAs are similar to the standards for borough incorporation.

SERVICE DELIVERY TO THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH (Cont'd)

ADMINISTRATION OF THE REAAs

REAA voters elect a board of from 5-11 members who are voted on "at large." In addition to the elected board for each REAA, every community (or military reservation) with a school has a community school committee. The Statute merely charges them to "review and make recommendations to the board" of the REAA "concerning the curriculum, program and general operation of the local school. They may, however, be delegated other functions by the school board.

Matters of employment, salaries, purchasing, and disbursement of funds are lodged with the REAA boards. Although the power to "adopt regulations governing organization, policies and procedures for the operation of the schools" and to "develop a philosophy of education, principles and goals for the schools" is a board responsibility, the Commissioner of Education is given overriding control of school operations.

FINANCING REAAs

All funds for REAAs are furnished by the State Legislature. They receive "basic need," as used in computing foundation aid to districts, plus an amount equal to the average per pupil local tax contributions in city and borough districts. Thus, they are relieved of local effort requirements, but the amount they can receive from the state over and above basic need is indirectly determined by city and borough decisions regarding their local tax effort. (AS 14.08.12)

Among the local financial concerns of the REAAs, even as they began their first year of operation with full state support, were the following: (See Summary of Findings Alaska School Finance Study Workshops October-November 1976, published February 1977)

1. Public School Foundation Program. While few wished to change the basic funding method, concern was expressed about the ability of the formula to provide sufficient funds to meet operating costs, especially those of small attendance centers. The validity, accuracy and amounts of instructional unit allotments (regional cost differentials) were questioned. The ability of "basic need" dollars to meet the REAAs' "basic program need" was of great concern. (Two important legislative changes made in the Public School Foundation Program in 1977 responded to the financial concern of the REAAs. One recognized the plight of the very small attendance centers and provided for an increased minimum of instructional units. The second change modified the instructional unit allotments (regional cost differentials) to be more in line with the cost of doing business in rural and isolated areas of the state.)

2. School Construction. The amount of funds available for new construction, as well as the manner in which it is provided, received extensive criticism. Even as the FY 1978 building program got underway, REAAs expressed additional concern about the proportion of bond issue building funds being retained by the supervising state agencies for administrative purposes.

SERVICE DELIVERY TO THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH (Cont'd)

FINANCING REAAs (Cont'd)

3. Equity. REAAs, with no local source of revenue, have limited ability to operate discretionary programs beyond what is possible with the amount in lieu of local taxes available to each. The possibility that legislation might be enacted to tax property in REAAs was of concern.

4. Operation and Maintenance of School Facilities. Extreme operational costs often result from inheriting substandard or poorly designed facilities. Costs of operating facilities are unpredictable, and in some cases were expected to consume as much as one-third of the operating budget. Inherited utility contracts was singled out as an item of great concern.

5. Other Financial Concerns. State and federal categorical programs were items of much concern, partly because obtaining some of these funds depends upon the grant writing ability of the REAA. High costs of travel and meeting expenses for school boards and superintendents were expected to cause problems. Inadequate funding for school food service programs was also identified as a major concern. The acceptance and operation of former BIA schools was of concern because of the possibility that current funding methods might not be adequate to provide funds necessary to operate the schools. Costs of teacher housing was a problem in some REAAs.