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Alaskans offer more than \$1.3 million in state land auction bids

(Anchorage, AK) – The year’s second online offering of state land today drew winning bids on 38 parcels totaling 265 acres, generating \$1.3 million in revenue for the state and making the dream of land ownership a reality for 32 Alaskans.

The Division of Mining, Land and Water’s Land Conveyance Section conducts regular offerings of state land for sale. Offering No. 491 is the second such sale of parcels by sealed-bid auction this year, open to Alaskans only. It offered 110 parcels located in areas extending from road-accessible areas near Anchorage and Fairbanks, to coastal regions of Southeast Alaska, to remote lots on wilderness lakes in several regions.

Full results from today’s auction, including apparent winners, are available at the land sales section’s website, at: <https://dnr.alaska.gov/mlw/landsales/>

Parcels of land unsold in today’s auction will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis to all, through the division’s Over-the-Counter (OTC) program, starting Dec. 30 at 10 a.m. They will join the existing inventory of land unsold in previous auctions.

To learn more about OTC sales, see pages 23, 24, and 105 of Brochure #491, which can be found on the section’s website, which also contains information about DNR’s programs offering competitive, in-house financing for purchases of state land.

In addition to regular auctions, state land is also sold through the division’s Remote Recreational Cabin Sites staking program and its agricultural land sales program.

Those interested in Alaska land sales programs can subscribe to receive email notifications at the above link, and may follow it on social media through Facebook at <http://facebook.com/AlaskaLand/>, Twitter at @alaskaland4sale, and Instagram at @Alaska_land4sale. For direct assistance, email landsales@alaska.gov or call (907) 269-8400 (TTY: 711 or 800-770-8973; 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through Friday).

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