STATE OF ALASKA

GENERAL LAND STATUS
WITH GUIDE USE AREAS AND CONCESSION BOUNDARIES
NORTHERN ALASKA
May 2009

Map projection: Albers Equal Area
Map scale: 1:1,000,000

0 5 10 20 30 40 50 Miles
0 10 20 40 60 80 100 Kilometers

LOCATION MAP

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Alaska State Lands
- State Marine Parks
- State Wildlife, Park, Forest, and Other Multiple Use Areas
- State Selected (ANILCA Topfilings included) (Land Administration System, April 2008)
- State Patented, Tentatively Approved or Other State Acquired Lands (Land Administration System, April 2008)

Alaska Native Claims
- ANCSA Selected (Bureau of Land Management, April 2008)
- Both State and ANCSA Lands are Located Within a Section
- ANCSA Patented or Interim Conveyed (Bureau of Land Management, April 2008)

Other Municipal and Private Lands
- Native Allotments (Bureau of Land Management, March 2003)
- Municipal or Other Private Parcels (Bureau of Land Management, April 2008) (Land Administration System April 2008)

Federal Lands
- Major Military
- National Forests, Monuments, Recreation, and Conservation Areas
- National Park System
- National Wildlife Refuges
- National Wild and Scenic Rivers Outside National Park System and Outside National Wildlife Refuges
- National Petroleum Reserve - Alaska (NPRA)
- Bureau of Land Management Public Lands

Guide Use Areas
- Guide Use Areas (Updated April 2009)
- GUA Identification Number (First two numbers indicate Game Management Unit (GMU))
- Concession Area Boundaries
- (2) Number of Concessions

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State Land Ownership - Alaska Department of Natural Resources (ADNR), Land Administration System (custom-level resolution), April 2008).

State Legislatively Designated Areas - ADNR, Land Administration System (custom-level resolution), February 2005).

ANILCA - Alaska National Interest Lands Settlement Act, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Alaska Publication, April 2008).

Other Municipal and Private Lands: Patented Dropped Federal Lands (Circular Parcels) - Bureau of Land Management (custom-level resolution), April 2008) and Municipal Entitlements - ADNR, Land Administration System, April 2008).

Native Allotments: Patented/Conveyed: Spatial data, Bureau of Land Management (GIMS' Spatial Data Management System - shp / lyrs cut this.gen, March 26, 2007). Tabular data: Bureau of Land Management (ALIS - Alaska Land Information System, March 2003).

Conservation System Units - Bureau of Land Management (1991) and ADNR (data (February 1998).

Military Lands - Bureau of Land Management (section-level resolution, April 2008).

Geographic Place Names - Dictionary of Alaska Place Names (1967) and GNIS (Geological Survey Publication, 1981), maintained by U.S. Geological Survey (USGS), and annotated by ADNR, June 1998).

Borough Boundaries - ADNR (approximately 1:1 million scale, annotated from U.S. Census Bureau digital files, verified and updated by ADCCRA and ADNR, December 1997).

Roads for Table Boundaries and Identification Numbers: Alaska Department of Civil and Census, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) for subunit to department with changes incoming from the Caliente Creek Unit boundaries.

The Alaska Maritime National Wildlife Refuge (AMNWR) is an evolving resource. Areas where it is declared are shaded, however, they are not outlined. The Alaska Maritime NWR is described as follows:

The Alaska Maritime NWR consists of all public lands, including submerged waters and interests, therein on islands, islets, rocks, reefs, spires, and designated capes and headlands in the coastal waters of Alaska, including the Aleutian Islands, Bering Sea Islands, Chukchi Sea Islands, Arctic Islands, Alaska Peninsula, and Gulf of Alaska Units, and includes all undetermined quantity of submerged lands and waters within three miles seaward from the mean high tide line of these islands and lands. The refuge is generally depicted on the USGS maps entitled, "Alaska Maritime National Wildlife Refuge" dated October 1976.

Note: This map shows general land ownership information. When reviewing this map, please remember that federal, ANCSA, and state lands intermingle in a dispersed manner/basically, no entire sections. For example, any portion of a section (640 acres) falling within the boundary of a National Park could be federal, Native, or state land. Because the Federal Government owns the Submerged Lands under Navigable Waters, Approved land is only a fraction of the section, and federal land and/or ANCSA land also occurs in the section.

The land ownership hierarchy is as follows:

1. State Municipal Entitlements or Land Exchanges or Other Land Disposals.
2. Patented Disposal Federal Lands (Native Allotments or Private Parcels).
3. State Patented or Tentatively Approved or Other State Acquired Lands (includes municipal TA's, 906 (k), 17(b), 17(d), 1429e).
4. Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA) Patented or Interim Conveyed.
5. Major Military.
6. National Wildlife Refuges, National Park System Units.
7. National Wild & Scenic Rivers outside National Park System Units and National Wildlife Refuges.
8. National Forests and Monuments, National Petroleum Reserve-Alaska, National Recreation Areas and National Conservation Areas.
9. Bureau of Land Management Public Lands.

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National Petroleum Reserve - Alaska (NPRA)
Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR)
Noatak National Preserve
Gates of the Arctic National Park and Preserve
Kobuk Valley National Park
Selawik National Wildlife Refuge
Bering Land Bridge National Preserve
Cape Krusenstern National Monument
Kahuti National Wildlife Refuge
Yukon Flats National Wildlife Refuge
Koyukuk National Wildlife Refuge
Nowitna National Wildlife Refuge
Innoko NWR
White Mountains National Recreation Area
Steese National Conservation Area
Yukon-Charley Rivers National Preserve
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BERING STRAIT
CANADA
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