

DENALI BOROUGH, ALASKA

Resolution No. PC 14-04

**A Resolution Commenting on the Alaska DNR's Preliminary Decision Conveyance of Land
Under A.S. 29.65.030: Denali Borough Municipal Land Entitlement Selections,
Alaska Division of Lands: ADLs 415639, 415805, 415809, 415813, 417990, 417992**

WHEREAS, the Preliminary Decision misidentifies the borough to which municipal lands are to be conveyed; and

WHEREAS, the West Clear Area Table 4 Page 20 needs to be corrected; and

WHEREAS, the Boulder Creek Area Map 2 is incorrect; and

WHEREAS, the Borough wishes to relinquish the Boulder Creek Selection; and

WHEREAS, the text in Table 6 Page 21 regarding the Nenana River Area selection is incorrect; and

WHEREAS, the location of the Unnamed, Unimproved Road in the Nenana River Area is ill-defined; and

WHEREAS, the Denali Borough Planning Commission does not agree with the proposed conveyance decision in the Stampede Road, North and South Areas Map 4 and wishes to revisit these selections; and

WHEREAS, the denied selections in the Broad Pass Area Map 6 may have some landownership inaccuracies, which could impact the Borough's final land selections; and

WHEREAS, the examples above are not an exhaustive list of the problems encountered in the Preliminary Decision, an extension to the comment period for the Denali Borough is warranted; and

WHEREAS, the Denali Borough Mayor, Assembly, and Planning Commission object to some of the findings, including the withholding of certain parcels; and

WHEREAS, the Denali Borough Planning Commission reserves the right to comment on the Preliminary Decision subsequent to the April 4, 2014 comment deadline.

NOWHEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, given the scope of errors in the Preliminary Decision, it is impossible for the Denali Borough to offer complete and comprehensive comment until the Department of Natural Resources clarifies the errors in the current document.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Planning Commission respectfully requests a 90-day extension of the public comment period to provide adequate time for review of a corrected document.

PASSED and APPROVED by the DENALI BOROUGH PLANNING COMMISSION this 18th day of March, 2014.


Sid MICHAELS, Presiding Officer

Attest: 
Linda A. Paganelli, Deputy Clerk

VOTE: YEA: GRIGGS, JONES, MCKINLEY, MERCER, MICHAELS
NAY: 0
ABSENT: JUSCZAK, MENKE

