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Public input sought on revised plans for Kasilof River north side improvements

(Anchorage, AK) – The Division of Mining, Land & Water's Southcentral Regional Land Office is seeking public input on its revised draft site concept plans for improvements at the mouth of the Kasilof River, which including new parking and sanitation facilities on the north side of the river. The division has scheduled three public meetings in Wasilla, Anchorage and Kasilof to discuss the revised plans.

For additional information about the Kasilof River Special Use Area and the proposed site concept plans, go to: http://dnr.alaska.gov/mlw/kasilof/. The purpose of the improvements is to address access and sanitation issues associated with Kasilof River personal use fisheries. Legislative funding for the project was received in FY2014 and FY2015.

The revised site concept plans are available for public comment until March 21, 2016. They incorporate public input previously received on the draft site concept plans in late 2015.

The public is invited to the following public meetings:

- 6-8:30 p.m., Feb. 29, Curtis D. Menard Memorial Sports Complex, Wasilla
- 6-8:30 p.m., March 3, Central Middle School, Anchorage
- 6-8:30 p.m., March 8, Tustumena Elementary School, Kasilof

Written comments will be considered if received on or before March 21, 2016. Comments may be submitted by mail to 550 W. 7th Ave., Suite 900C, Anchorage, AK 99501, by email to adam.smith@alaska.gov or christianna.colles@alaska.gov; or by fax to 907-269-8913.

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