



OFFICE OF PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND PERMITTING (OPMP)

2023 YEAR IN REVIEW

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OPMP furthers Alaskan interests by coordinating State responses to proposed Federal actions.



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Note from Office of Project Management and Permitting (OPMP)

Executive Director, Ashlee Adoko:

OPMP supports private industry, regulators, and the Alaska public by leading and implementing multi-agency permit coordination to ensure consistent, defensible, transparent, and timely permit decisions for a range of responsible natural resource and infrastructure development projects.

I assumed this role in February 2023, after serving as Associate Director for several years and in an acting Executive Director capacity since late 2022. Kate Harper replaced me as Associate Director beginning in May 2023. While new to leading OPMP, Kate and I have both been in State service for over 10 years. We lead a team with extensive permitting and coordination experience from a variety of public and private sector roles. With OPMP's stellar team and the numerous anticipated opportunities on our horizon, I am very excited for Alaska's future.

OPMP's 2023 highlights include:

- Facilitating review and approval of State and Federal authorizations for construction, operations, and expansion of mining, oil and gas, transportation, and other infrastructure development projects.
- Coordinating State responses to proposed Federal actions to further Alaskan interests in job growth and employment; domestic production of conventional and critical minerals, oil and gas, and energy; economic activity; State and public revenue increases; and public land use and access.
- Building new programs, including in carbon management and broadband deployment.

OPMP's success requires close coordination and collaboration with technical and regulatory experts across the Alaska Department of Natural Resources (DNR); Alaska Departments of Fish and Game (DFG) and Environmental Conservation (DEC); and a variety of other State and local government agencies. We are also working to be an even more proactive liaison with Federal agencies during Federal National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) processes on behalf of the State.

OPMP's role in coordinating Federal funding opportunities is also expanding. The U.S. Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA), also known as the U.S. Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL), and the U.S. Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) are availing extensive new opportunities for transportation, broadband, and other infrastructure development projects in Alaska. This complements our policy goals of increasing Alaskan production of critical minerals, promoting energy abundance, and continuing to foster the responsible natural resource development that drives our economy. We are looking forward to OPMP playing a crucial role in ensuring that the tight timelines for the permits from State, Federal, and local agencies, and private entities that are needed for these projects are met.

I look forward to continuing to serve OPMP-coordinated applicants for the benefit of all Alaskans. Please contact Kate or I at any time with questions about how we can help your project!

Sincerely,

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Executive Director, OPMP



Mining Program – including the Large Mine Permitting Team (LMPT)

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This Multi-Agency Permit Coordination Program is intended to keep Mining, Associated Transportation, and Other Projects on schedule, avoid increased costs, create certainty, resolve challenges, and generate potential State and public revenue and investment in Alaska. Coordinated projects include:

- Manh Choh, Kensington, Greens Creek, Pogo, Donlin, Fort Knox, Aktigirug-Anarraaq, Red Dog, Gil, Arctic, Illinois Creek, Livengood, Palmer, Niblack, Pebble, Nixon Fork, and Ambler Access Project.

This Program also involves OPMP facilitation of the State’s Response to Proposed Federal Actions. OPMP coordinates multi-agency State review and submits consolidated State comments:

- During the Federal NEPA process on projects in its Mining Program.
- On proposed Federal rules, plans, and policies affecting mining (including conventional and critical mineral exploration, development, production, and transportation), and other projects and Alaskan interests.



OPMP's 2023 Highlights on Mining and Associated Transportation and Other Projects in its Mining Program:

- **Manh Choh:** OPMP facilitated review and approval of multiple State and Federal authorizations and financial assurances for construction and commencement of operations, including submitting consolidated State comments to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) during the Federal NEPA process recommending consideration of an Environmental Assessment (EA) rather than an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).
- **Kensington:** OPMP facilitated review and approval of multiple State and Federal authorizations and financial assurances for dam construction and continued operations, including submitting consolidated State comments to the U.S. Forest Service (USFS) on an Ecological Risk Assessment necessary for satisfaction of the Federal Record of Decision (ROD).
- **Greens Creek:** OPMP facilitated review and approval of multiple State and Federal authorizations and financial assurances for the North Extension to lengthen mine life, including submitting consolidated State comments to the USFS during the Federal NEPA process and specifically on a Tailings Disposal Facility Fugitive Dust Mitigation and Monitoring Plan.
- **Pogo:** OPMP facilitated review and approval of multiple State and Federal authorizations and financial assurances for continued operations and expansion of the Dry Stack Tailings Disposal Facility to lengthen mine life, including submitting consolidated State comments to USACE that a Supplemental EIS is unnecessary.
- **Donlin:** OPMP facilitated review and approval of multiple State authorizations for commencement of construction and operations and State consideration of accepting a third-party trust as financial assurances for long-term obligations, and supported Department of Law litigation regarding State and Federal authorizations. OPMP also facilitated ongoing communication to support finalization of the Donlin Real Estate Transfer Agreement (DRETA) to secure the Core Operating Area.
- **Fort Knox:** OPMP facilitated review and approval of multiple State authorizations and financial assurances for processing of Gil and Manh Choh ore at Fort Knox, construction, and continued operations.
- **Aktigirug-Anarraaq:** OPMP facilitated review and approval of multiple State authorizations for access road construction, and supported Department of Law litigation regarding State authorizations.
- **Ambler Access Project:** OPMP facilitated State participation as a Cooperating Agency, including facilitating multiple State engagements and submitting multiple consolidated State comments to the U.S. Bureau of Land Management (BLM) during the Federal NEPA process, represented DNR in Programmatic Agreement (PA) and Area of Potential Effect (APE) reviews, and supported Department of Law litigation. State comments included that Ambler Access Project is necessary to fulfill Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act (ANILCA) and Congressional direction, that a Supplemental EIS is unnecessary, and that Ambler Access Project would support jobs, State and public revenue, domestic critical minerals supplies, and environmental justice.



OPMP's 2023 Highlights on engagement on Proposed Federal Actions affecting Mining, Associated Projects, and Alaskan Interests:

- **Federal NEPA Process Implementing Regulations Revisions Phase 2:** OPMP submitted State comments to the U.S. Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) regarding the necessity of a predictable, fair, and efficient Federal NEPA process and Federal permitting in Alaska, because of the numerous potential Federal NEPA process triggers and the necessity of natural resource development to fulfill ANILCA.
- **Proposed Rule Limiting Mining Projects Eligible for Coverage under Title 41 of the Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (FAST-41):** OPMP submitted State comments to the U.S. Federal Permitting Improvement Steering Council (FPISC) regarding the importance of not limiting mining projects eligible for coverage under FAST-41 to critical minerals projects, especially because copper and molybdenum are not on the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) critical minerals list.
- **Section 30D New Clean Vehicle Tax Credit Proposed Rule:** In late 2022, OPMP submitted State comments to the U.S. Internal Revenue Service (IRS) recommending explicit recognition of Alaska's potential and encouragement of Alaska's development as a secure and reliable domestic source of minerals, as Alaska is distinctively situated to expand domestic critical minerals supplies to meet the significantly increasing demand for Electric Vehicles (EVs), including batteries and corresponding components such as charging stations.
- **U.S. House of Representatives Securing America's Mineral Supply Chains Act (H.R. 8981):** In late 2022, OPMP submitted State comments regarding the necessity of collaboration with Alaska and tribes to improve efficient Federal permitting, and the importance of access and natural resource development to fulfill ANILCA and support jobs.
- **Clean Energy Projects on Mine Land:** In late 2022, OPMP submitted State comments to the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), including State and mining industry input, regarding the opportunities for these projects to support economic opportunities in Alaska.

In 2024, OPMP will continue to:

- Engage on the projects in its Mining Program and look to take on additional opportunities.
- Engage on proposed Federal actions affecting mining, associated projects, and Alaskan interests.



Energy Program

Energy Program Manager: Jeff Bruno, jeff.bruno@alaska.gov, 907-269-7476

This Multi-Agency Permit Coordination Program is intended to keep Energy, Associated Transportation, and Other Projects on schedule, avoid increased costs, create certainty, resolve challenges, and generate potential State and public revenue and investment in Alaska. Coordinated projects include:

- Willow, Pikka, Arctic Strategic Transportation and Resources (ASTAR), Triangle Community Road, Arctic Test Road, and Orphan Well Remediation Efforts.

This Program also involves OPMP facilitation of the State's Response to Proposed Federal Actions. OPMP coordinates multi-agency State review and submits consolidated State comments:

- During the Federal NEPA process on projects in its Energy Program.
- On proposed Federal rules, plans, and policies affecting energy (including oil and gas and other energy, including Cook Inlet, North Slope, wind, solar, geothermal, tidal, hydroelectric, Carbon Capture Utilization and Storage (CCUS), electric vehicle (EV), nuclear, and micronuclear exploration, development, production, and transportation), and other projects, and Alaskan interests.



OPMP's 2023 Highlights on Energy and Associated Transportation and Other Projects in its Energy Program:

- **Willow:** OPMP facilitated review and approval of multiple State and Federal authorizations; State participation as a Cooperating Agency, including facilitating multiple State engagements and submitting multiple consolidated State comments to BLM during the Federal NEPA process; and supported Department of Law during extensive appeals and litigation regarding the ROD and State and Federal authorizations for field activities and commencement of construction and operations. State comments noted that Willow's approval is necessary to fulfill Congressional direction, that a Supplemental EIS is unnecessary, and that Willow would support jobs, State and public revenue, domestic oil and gas supplies, and environmental justice.
- **Pikka:** OPMP facilitated ongoing communications to support field activities, continued construction, including multiple pipeline road crossing installations, a boat ramp road, boat ramp pad, and several smaller pads and pipeline crossings, and permitting for future planned activities.
- **ASTAR, Triangle Community Road, and Arctic Test Road:** OPMP coordinated with North Slope communities to support planning for gravel surveys, and with North Slope communities and State agencies to support environmental studies and permitting for the Triangle Community Road and Arctic Test Road.
- **Orphan Well Remediation Efforts:** OPMP coordinated initial site investigations and ongoing discussions to support project needs and permitting.
- **Grant Lake Hydroelectric:** In late 2022, OPMP facilitated review and approval of State authorizations, and completion of planning and regulations for project advancement.

OPMP's 2023 Highlights on engagement on Proposed Federal Actions affecting Energy, Associated Projects, and Alaskan Interests:

- **National Petroleum Reserve in Alaska (NPR-A) Proposed Rule:** OPMP submitted State comments to BLM regarding the flawed and defective public process; the inappropriateness of managing the NPR-A in contradiction to Congressional direction, the National Petroleum Reserves Production Act (NPRPA), ANILCA, and environmental justice; and the failure of the Proposed Rule to satisfy Executive Order (EO) 122866, the Regulatory Flexibility Act, and the Federal NEPA process, among other defects.
- **Arctic National Wildlife Reserve (ANWR) Coastal Plain Oil and Gas Leasing Program (Program):** OPMP coordinated State participation as a Cooperating Agency, including facilitating multiple State engagements and submitting multiple consolidated State comments to BLM and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) during the Federal NEPA process, and supported Department of Law during appeal and litigation regarding the ROD. State comments included that the Program is necessary to satisfy the Tax Act and Congressional direction; that cancellation of Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority (AIDEA) leases is unlawful; that a Supplemental EIS is unnecessary; that BLM should proceed with leases and authorize seismic operations; that the Program would support jobs, State and public revenue, and domestic oil and gas supplies; and that implications that downstream greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions are attributable to the Program have no basis in logic or the Federal NEPA process.
- **Cook Inlet Lease Sale 258:** In late 2022, OPMP submitted State comments to U.S. Bureau of Ocean and Energy Management (BOEM) on the Proposed Notice of Sale and during the Federal NEPA process. State comments included that Cook Inlet Lease Sale 258 is necessary to satisfy the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act (OCSLA), Congressional direction, the OCS Oil and Gas Leasing Program, the IRA, and the BOEM-Alaska Memorandum of Understanding (MOU); that cancellation of Cook Inlet Lease Sale 258 is unlawful; and that Cook Inlet Lease Sale 258 would support jobs, State and public revenue, and domestic oil and gas supplies.
- **5-Year National OCS Oil and Gas Leasing Program (Program):** In late 2022, OPMP submitted State comments to BOEM, including during the Federal NEPA process. State comments included that prompt finalization of the Program is in the national interest; that OCSLA mandated consultation with Alaska; that the State supports oil and gas leasing in Cook Inlet and the Chukchi and Beaufort Seas; that cancellation of Cook Inlet Lease Sale 258 is unlawful; and that Alaska oil and gas would support jobs, State and public revenue, and domestic oil and gas supplies.
- **Renewable Energy Rights-of-Way (ROWs), Leasing, and Operations Proposed Rule:** OPMP submitted State comments to BLM that the Final Rule should include that ANILCA Title XI mandates that procedures and requirements for processing transportation and utility system (TUS) applications apply to ROWs for solar and wind projects.
- **Marine Archaeological Resources Proposed Rule:** OPMP submitted State comments to BOEM regarding Cook Inlet being the primary source of energy for most of Alaska, and that overly burdensome requirements for Cook Inlet development threaten energy security.

In 2024, OPMP will continue to:

- Engage on the projects in its Energy Program and look to take on additional opportunities.
- Engage on proposed Federal actions affecting energy, associated projects, and Alaskan interests; particularly, the NPR-A Proposed Rule and Integrated Activity Plan (IAP) and the ANWR Coastal Plain Program.



Carbon Offset Program

Carbon Offset Program Manager: Trevor Fulton, trevor.fulton@alaska.gov, 907-269-8755

Function: This innovative new program seeks to use the State’s natural resources and lands to create sustainable carbon-reducing projects that generate State revenue and provide co-benefits to the Alaska public, to State and local economies, and to existing resource-based industries, while helping meet free-market demand for decarbonization. This Program was authorized in 2023 when Governor Mike Dunleavy’s Legislation, Senate Bill (SB) 48, was passed by the Alaska State Legislature. Revenue from these projects will go to the State General Fund (80%) and the Alaska Renewable Energy Fund (20%).

OPMP’s Role: The Carbon Offset Program Manager:

- Is responsible for Program implementation, including developing the regulatory framework, implementing policy direction from the DNR Commissioner, hiring staff, and undertaking projects on select State lands.
- Manages and coordinates carbon offset project development, including identifying potential project areas; contracting for project services; project registration; carbon offset credit issuance, sales, and marketing; project reporting; and ongoing monitoring and auditing of projects.

In 2024, the Carbon Offset Program Manager will continue to:

- Lead development of this Program and look to take on additional opportunities.



Broadband Program

Function: This new program is to implement a multi-agency permit coordination effort to streamline authorizations for broadband projects funded through the IIJA (also known as the BIL) and the U.S. National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

OPMP's Role: OPMP is leading development of this Program, in coordination with State and Federal agencies, with goals of:

- Keeping projects on schedule, avoiding increased costs, creating certainty, and resolving challenges.

OPMP's 2023 Highlights on Development of this Program:

- **Broadband Pre-Application Checklist and Permit Dashboard:** These are to assist applicants and contain information on State and Federal jurisdictional triggers, requirements, permitting processes, contacts, and other items.
- **OPMP inclusion in Alaska Broadband Office (ABO) planning:** The proposal to the NTIA is that applicants be more competitive (5% increased scoring) for ABO awards by agreeing to OPMP permit coordination, at no cost to applicants.

OPMP's 2023 Highlights on engagement on Proposed Federal Actions affecting Broadband, Associated Projects, and Alaskan Interests:

- **ROW Permit to Arctic Slope Telephone Association Cooperative (ASTAC) for installation and maintenance of a proposed microwave tower on ANWR lands:** OPMP commented to the FWS that it is inappropriately using the Compatibility Determination (CD) process to deny the ROW permit and must instead follow the procedures and requirements for processing TUS applications that ANILCA Title XI mandates.

In 2024, OPMP will continue to:

- Lead development of this Program and look to take on additional opportunities.
- Engage on proposed Federal actions affecting broadband, associated projects, and Alaskan interests.



Federal Program – including ANILCA and Statehood Defense

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In addition to OPMP facilitation of the State’s Response to Proposed Federal Actions as part of its Mining, Energy, and Broadband Programs: OPMP protects future State and public revenue, public land uses, and public access through ongoing engagement and coordinating multi-agency State review of and consolidated State comments on proposed Federal rules, plans, and policies, to ensure they are consistent with all Federal laws and Statehood guarantees, including ANILCA and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA).

These proposed Federal actions have Statewide implications for:

- Natural resource development (including mineral and oil and gas exploration, development, production, and transportation), and future State and public revenue, jobs, and economic activity.
- Opportunities for utility or transportation corridors on Federally managed lands.
- Opportunities for public land uses and public access (including on Federal lands and to adjacent State and privately-owned lands).
- Furthering State land entitlements.
- Furthering State management activities.
- Opportunities for recreation, hunting, fishing, and trapping.
- Timber harvest.
- Cabins in Alaska Conservation System Units (CSUs), such as National Forests (as allowed by ANILCA).



OPMP's 2023 Highlights on its engagement on Proposed Federal Actions Affecting Alaska Interest, and that have Statewide Implications:

- **Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA) 17(d)(1) Withdrawals:** OPMP coordinated State participation as a Cooperating Agency, including facilitating multiple State engagements and submitting multiple consolidated State comments to BLM during the Federal NEPA process. State comments noted that BLM should revoke Public Land Order (PLO) withdrawals of lands from the Bay, Bering Sea-Western Interior (BSWI), East Alaska, Kobuk-Seward, and Ring of Fire Regional Management Plans (RMPs).
- **Conservation and Landscape Health Rule Proposed Rule:** OPMP submitted State comments to BLM that the Proposed Rule should be withdrawn because it exceeds BLM's authority and is inconsistent with ANILCA and FLPMA; has significant impacts because of proposed changes to Areas of Critical Environmental Concern (ACECs); and inappropriately effects State interests and authorities for land management activities, public access, natural resource development, recreation, hunting, fishing, and trapping.
- **Central Yukon RMP, Nowitna Wild and Scenic River Comprehensive River Management Plan (CRMP), Birch Creek Wild and Scenic River CRMP, Alagnak Wild River Management Plan, and Katmai Wilderness and Backcountry Management Plan:** OPMP coordinated State participation as a Cooperating Agency, including facilitating multiple State engagements and submitting multiple consolidated State comments to BLM, FWS, and the U.S. National Park Service (NPS) the during the Federal NEPA processes. The State asserted State ownership of submerged lands under navigable waters and educated Federal agencies on State management guidelines on State lands to encourage Federal agencies to protect access and recreation opportunities on Federal lands.

OPMP's 2023 Highlights on its engagement on Proposed Federal Actions Affecting Alaska Interest, and that have Statewide Implications (continued):

- **Climate Resilience:** OPMP submitted State comments to the USFS that it should incorporate ANILCA and Alaska's unique attributes into, or exempt Alaska from, proposed rules, because Alaska CSUs are extensive and already subject to specific access and management provisions, and that in developing proposed rules, the USFS should consult with the State and follow the Tongass Timber Reform Act (TTRA).
- **FWS Proposed Updates to National Refuge Policies:** OPMP engaged with the FWS and the Association of Federal Wildlife Agencies (AFWA) on proposed updates to national Wilderness and Wild and Scenic River policies and submitted State comments to the FWS that it should consult with the State and recognize State management authorities and ANILCA to enhance access, natural resource development, recreation opportunities, hunting, fishing, and trapping, and that the FWS failed to conduct sufficient review under the Federal NEPA process.
- **Streamlining FWS ROWs Permitting Proposed Rule:** OPMP submitted State comments that the FWS should exempt Alaska from the Final Rule because of Alaska's need to develop roads, utilities, and pipelines across FWS lands, including to serve lands transferred to Native Corporations under ANCSA, and because ANILCA Title XI mandates procedures for processing TUS applications.
- **Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve plans, requirements, and assessments:** OPMP coordinated State participation as a Cooperating Agency, including facilitating multiple State engagements and submitting multiple consolidated State comments to NPS during the Federal NEPA process. State comments included that NPS should consult with the State and recognize State management authorities and ANILCA to enhance access, natural resource development, recreation opportunities, hunting, fishing, and trapping.
- **Southeast Alaska Sustainability Strategy (SASS) and Request for Information on Federal Old-Growth and Mature Forests:** OPMP recommended that the USFS consult with the State, the Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority, Federal, and private forest landowners and managers, and timber industry representatives; and develop a permanent, sustainable timber management program on the Tongass National Forest, recognize ANILCA, and ensure regular timber harvest opportunities on forest lands.
- **Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Facility Improvements:** OPMP commented that the State has serious concerns related to the USFS failure to recognize State management authorities and ANILCA.
- **Izembek Land Exchange regarding King Cove Road:** OPMP submitted State comments to the FWS that the proposed Supplemental EIS is inconsistent with ANILCA and relies on expired laws, that the FWS failed to conduct sufficient consultation with the State, and that any actions must be thoroughly discussed with the State because of the full history of efforts to advance this life-saving road. The State also requested participation as a Joint Lead during the Federal NEPA process. As a result of State comments, the FWS invited the State to participate as a Cooperating Agency during the Federal NEPA process reviewing land exchange alternatives.

In 2024, OPMP will continue to:

- Engage on proposed Federal actions affecting Alaskan interests, and that have Statewide implications; particularly, ANCSA 17(d)(1) Withdrawals, Central Yukon RMP, Nowitna Wild and Scenic River CRMP, Birch Creek Wild and Scenic River CRMP, Alagnak Wild River Management Plan, Katmai Wilderness and Backcountry Management Plan, and Izembek Land Exchange regarding King Cove Road.



Grants Program

Grants Program Manager: Sylvia Kreel, sylvia.kreel@alaska.gov, 907-465-3177

Function: This new Program is to identify and pursue funding opportunities for the benefit of DNR and other Departments, as applicable. The IIJA, also known as the BIL, and the IRA are availing extensive Federal funding and incentives for infrastructure development projects in Alaska.

OPMP's Role: OPMP is leading development of this Program, including design, implementation, and oversight. This Program is anticipated to involve guiding DNR and other Departments, as applicable, through the grant funding process; achieving funding strategies; managing all aspects of the grant development and pursuit process, including planning, strategizing, budgeting, and developing and submitting applications; and providing status updates, next steps, and recommendations.

In 2024, OPMP will continue to:

- Lead development of this Program and look to take on additional opportunities.



Outreach

OPMP conducts Outreach regarding Projects in its Multi-Agency Permit Coordination Programs and Proposed Federal Actions affecting Alaskan interests, and that have Statewide Implications.

OPMP's 2023 Highlights on its Outreach:

Mining Program:

- **Alaska Miners Association (AMA) Convention:** Associate Director and Mining Program Manager presented on OPMP permit coordination.
- **AMA Juneau Branch Meeting:** Associate Director and Mining Program Manager presented on OPMP permit coordination and Executive Director and Large Project Coordinators attended.
- **AMA Juneau Mining Forum:** Executive Director and Associate Director and Mining Program Manager attended to respond to attendees.
- **Manh Choh Groundbreaking:** Executive Director attended.
- **Southeast Conference:** Associate Director and Mining Program Manager and Large Project Coordinator attended.
- **Alaska Forest Association (AFA) Annual Convention:** Large Project Coordinator attended and facilitated the Southeast Alaska All Landowners' Group meeting.

Energy Program:

- **North Slope Borough (NSB) Assembly and Planning Commission:** Energy Program Manager presented on ASTAR.
- **Ukpeagvik Inupiat Corporation (UIC) leadership:** Energy Program Manager presented on ASTAR.
- **Voice of the Arctic Inupiat (VOICE):** Energy Program Manager presented on ASTAR.
- **Cully Corporation:** Energy Program Manager presented on ASTAR.
- **Point Hope Tri-Lateral Committee:** Energy Program Manager presented twice on upcoming riprap surveys.
- **BOEM Cook Inlet Work Group:** Large Project Coordinator participated.

Carbon Offset Program:

- **Alaska Municipal League (AML):** Carbon Offset Program Manager presented on the new Program.
- **AFA:** Carbon Offset Program Manager presented on the new Program.
- **Tanana Valley State Forest Citizens' Advisory Committee:** Carbon Offset Program Manager presented on the new Program.
- **Alaska Interagency Fall Fire Review:** Carbon Offset Program Manager presented on the new Program.

Broadband Program:

- **Alaska Telecom Association (ATA) 2023 Broadband Showcase:** Executive Director hosted a Permitting Workshop and booth for State and Federal agencies.
- **ATA 2022 Tech Showcase:** In late 2022, Executive Director hosted a Permitting Workshop and booth for State and Federal agencies.

Federal Program:

- **Institute of the North ANILCA Training:** Federal Program Manager presented on the State's role regarding proposed Federal actions.

Grants Program:

- **Alask Infrastructure Development and Grant Symposiums:** In 2023, and in late 2022, Executive Director hosted a booth for DNR.
- **DNR and University of Alaska (University) opportunities for collaboration and benefit from the IIJA, also known as BIL, funding:** Executive Director facilitated DNR ideas and input to the University.

General:

- **Alaska Resource Advisory Council (RAC):** Energy Program Manager chaired and served as DNR representative.
- **Alaska State Legislature, House Resources:** Executive Director presented on the Alaska Permitting Process.

In 2024, OPMP will continue to:

- Conduct outreach regarding projects in its multi-agency permit coordination Programs and proposed Federal actions affecting Alaskan interests, and that have Statewide implications.