



State Of Alaska

Press Release

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Bidders Win 17 Agricultural Lots in Alaska Land Sale

(Anchorage, AK) – The State of Alaska agricultural land auction concluded on Wednesday, with 10 apparent high bidders winning 17 parcels comprising 861 acres near Nenana and Anchor Point. Bidders offered \$1,165,016 for land with agricultural covenants in the Nenana-Totchaket Agricultural Project and the North Fork Micro Ag Subdivision during the 2026 Agricultural Land Auction #499. DNR received 55 total bids for the auction.

“Alaska is making meaningful progress toward expanding the state’s agricultural capacity and strengthening our food security,” **said Governor Mike Dunleavy**. “Getting these agriculture lands into production will help drive economic growth, fill Alaskans’ plates, and create lasting benefits for communities across the state for generations.”

“We’re grateful for the strong interest in these agricultural parcels and appreciate everyone who participated in the bidding process,” **said Bryan Scoresby, Director of the Division of Agriculture**. “These bidders are pioneers in Alaska’s agriculture industry, and their interest reflects the exciting opportunities for agriculture in our state. The Division looks forward to working with the successful buyers as they develop their farm conservation plans, and move towards putting these lands into production. We’re eager to see what these new farmers will contribute to the growth in Alaska agriculture.”

Full results for Auction #499, plus additional information on other state land sales programs, are available online: <https://dnr.alaska.gov/mlw/landsales/ag/499/>

Parcels that did not receive bids in the auction may be available for purchase through the [Over-the-Counter land purchases](#) program starting Nov. 18, 2026 at 10 a.m. Pages 5 and 22-25 of [this brochure](#) have more information. Media and members of the public may sign up for automatic emails with land sale information at <https://landsales.alaska.gov/email>.

The department makes land available to Alaskans through several programs:

- Annual land auctions: the State offers selected lots at auction to residents
- Over-the-counter sales: Alaskans and non-residents may buy land unsold at auction as well as an inventory of other parcels
- Remote Recreational Cabin Staking: Alaska residents only may stake a parcel of land in designated areas, lease the land until DNR completes a survey and appraisal, then purchase the land at market value
- Agricultural land sales: Alaskans, corporations and non-residents may bid for parcels specifically designated for and limited to agricultural use

DNR offers competitive, in-house financing for land purchases. For financing and cost details, go to: <https://dnr.alaska.gov/mlw/landsales/info/financing/> or call 907-269-8400 (TTY: 711 or 800-770-8973) weekdays from 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

The Department of Natural Resources' mission is to develop, conserve, and maximize the use of Alaska's natural resources consistent with the public interest.

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