STATE OF ALASKA, DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF MINING, LAND, & WATER LAND SALES SECTION

PUBLIC NOTICE

Requesting Input for Proposed Non-competitive Sale to Preference Right Applicant, Colaska, ADL 231575 A Preliminary Decision under AS 38.05.035 (b)(7) with its Proposed Related Action: Mineral Order (Closing) – AS 38.05.185 and AS 38.05.300

COMMENT PERIOD ENDS 3:30PM, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 2019

The Alaska Department of Natural Resources, Division of Mining Land and Water (DNR DMLW), is conducting a public notice for a non-competitive land sale located near Mile Post 78 of the Parks Highway approximately 9 miles north of Willow. A land description for the subject parcels are as follows: Government Lot 8 & 9 located within Section 6, Township 20 North, Range 4 West, Seward Meridian, according to U.S. Survey 9031.

To obtain the notice, Preliminary Decision, or instructions on submitting comment, go to <u>http://dnr.alaska.gov/mlw/landsale/</u> or <u>http://aws.state.ak.us/OnlinePublicNotices/</u>. For assistance in obtaining the documents by an alternative method, to request auxiliary aids, services, or special accommodations, contact DNR's Public Information Centers on State work days, Monday through Friday, between 10AM and 5PM in Anchorage at 907.269.8400 (TDD for the hearing impaired: 1-800-770-8973) or Fairbanks at 907.451.2705 (TDD for the hearing impaired: 907.451.2770), or the Southeast Regional Land Office in Juneau at 907.465.3400 (TDD for the hearing impaired: 907.465.3888), or go to <u>http://dnr.alaska.gov/commis/pic/</u> for additional contact information. Individuals who require special assistance must request assistance from the Public Information Center in Anchorage no later than 5:00PM, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 2019.

Pursuant to *AS* 38.05.945 Notice, the public is invited to submit comments on the draft Mineral Order (MO 1221) and the Preliminary Decision (ADL 231575), for which notice is being conducted concurrently. If commenting on more than one of the proposed actions, please submit comments separately. **The deadline for public comment is 3:30PM, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 2019.** Only persons from whom DNR DMLW receives timely, written comment during the identified comment period will be eligible to file an appeal of the Final Finding and Decision. Written comments may be received by fax, email or postal mail. To submit comments or for direct inquiries, contact John Easton, fax: (907) 269-8916, john.easton@alaska.gov. If you have questions, call John Easton at (907) 269-5639.

If no significant change is required, the preliminary decision, including any minor changes and a summary of comments and responses, will be issued as the final finding and decision without further notice. A copy of the final finding and decision will be sent to any persons who commented timely on the preliminary decision.

DNR reserves the right to waive technical defects in this notice.