

STATE OF ALASKA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF MINING, LAND AND WATER AND
DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE

**ADMINISTRATIVE FINDING
MINERAL ORDER NO. 1223
Closing Lands to Mineral Entry**

Eielson Agriculture Reoffer Parcel

Pursuant to AS 38.05.035, the State of Alaska, Department of Natural Resources, Division of Mining, Land, and Water (DMLW) and Division of Agriculture (DAg) issued a Final Finding and Decision to convey State-owned land into private ownership within the Eielson Agriculture Reoffer Parcel (ADL 416419) in 1982. The reoffer parcel is within Subunits F-140 (Agriculture) of the Eastern Tanana Area Plan. In accordance with the area plan, DMLW and DAg proposes to close the entire reoffer parcel to mineral entry.

The Division of Agriculture requests the mineral estate of approximately 144 acres for ADL 416419 as, identified in the attached mineral order, be closed to mineral entry and location, in accordance with AS 38.05.300 for a land disposal. Mining activity on the reoffer parcel would be incompatible with the current and proposed land estate uses. The land does not contain any known mineral deposits and was not selected for mineral values. There are no mining claims on the land.

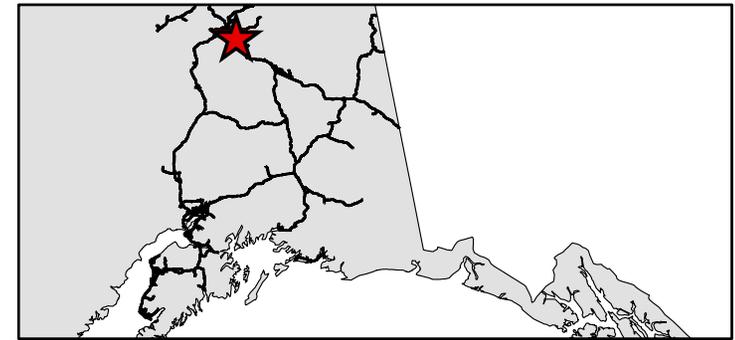
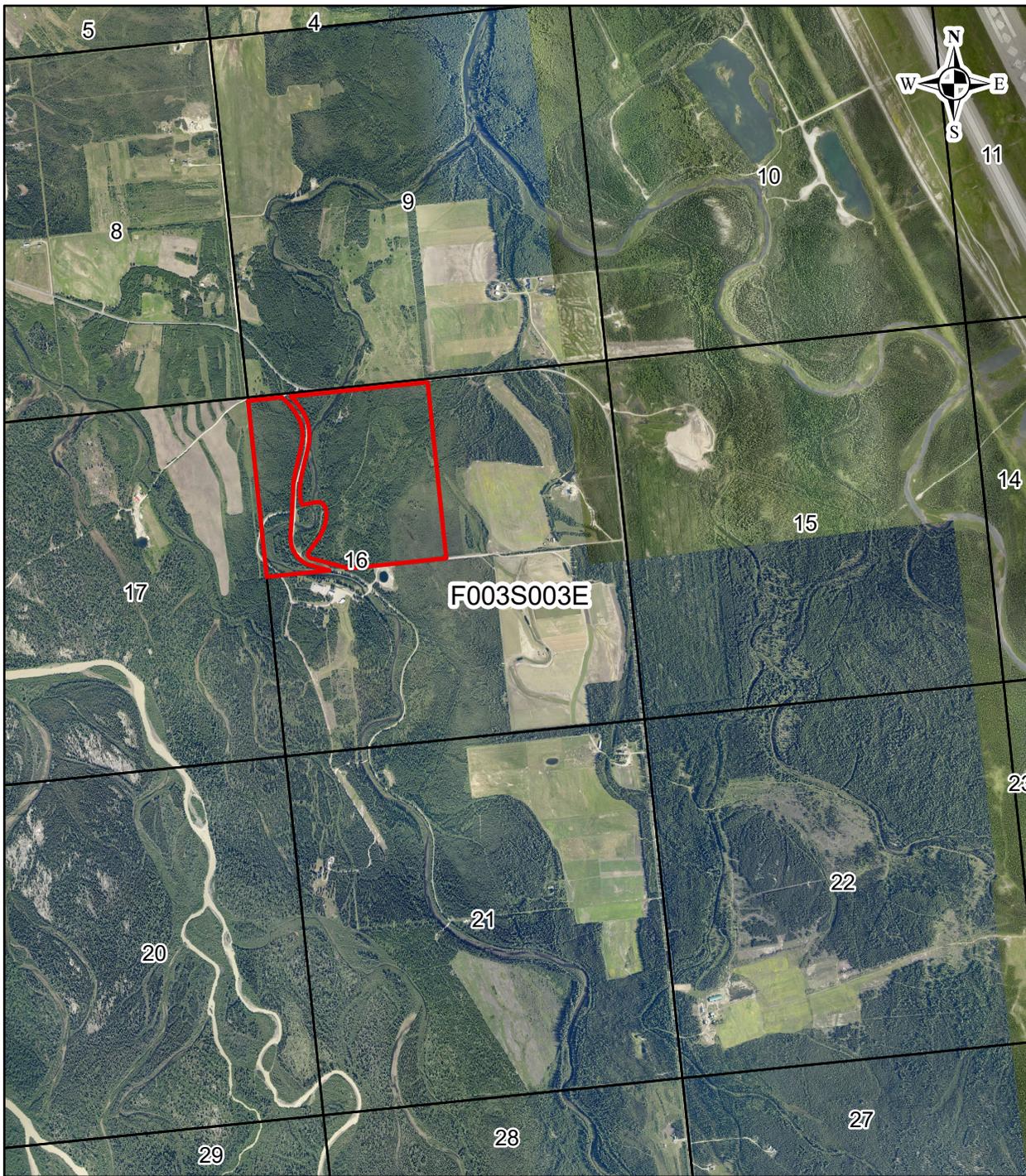
Public notice of the comment period for the proposed mineral order was conducted in accordance with AS 38.05.945. No comments were received.

In accordance with AS 38.05.185 (a) and AS 38.05.300, I find that the best interests of the State of Alaska and its residents are served by closure of the land to entry under the mineral location and mining laws of the State of Alaska as described by Mineral Order (Closing) No. 1223.

Concur: /s/ Martin Parsons 7/2/2019
Martin W. Parsons, Director Date
Division of Mining, Land and Water
Department of Natural Resources

Approved: /s/ Brent Goodrum for Corri Feige 7/9/2019
Corri A. Feige, Commissioner Date
Department of Natural Resources

Attachment A: Mineral Order (closing) 1223 Eielson Farm Ag



Legend

-  MCO 1223
-  Sections

Tract E of Section 16 of Alaska State Land Survey No. 84-63, within Sections 15, 16, 17, 21,-22, & 28 T. 3 S., R. 3 E., Fairbanks Meridian, Alaska, Eielson II Agricultural Subdivision, containing 34 acres, more or less, according to the Amended Survey Plat Recorded in the Fairbanks Recording District on October 8, 1991, as Plat 91-82.

Tract B-1 of Alaska State Land Survey No. 90-124, containing 109.55 acres, more or less, according to the Survey Plat Recorded in the Fairbanks Recording District on July 17, 1992, as Plat 92-76

