

Hoonah Metlakatla boat harbors funded

WASHINGTON--New boat harbors for Metlakatla and Hoonah are among the 26 water projects in a \$718 million package proposed by President Carter in an effort to pacify both environmentalists and Congress.

The project list, announced June 9, would be constructed between now and 1986 by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The office of U.S. Sen. Mike Gravel, D-Alaska, said the South-

eastern Alaska projects would probably begin in the spring.

The White House said the construction proposals met the President's requirement that all future water projects be "cost-effective, safe and environmentally sound." Last year, Carter tried to kill 18 water projects on grounds that they were wasteful and environmentally harmful. In the Congressional struggle that followed funding for nine of them was restored.
