

(Kivalina).
Kooovukmeut Incorporated (Koo-
buk), also known as Kooovuk-
meut Incorporated;
Noatak Napaaktukmeut Corpora-
tion (Noatak);
Putoo Corporation (Noorvik).

As to the lands described below,
the applications submitted by the
Deering Inupiat Corporation, as
amended, are properly filed, and
meet the requirements of the Alaska
Native Claims Settlement Act and of
the regulations issued pursuant
thereto. These lands do not include
any lawful entry perfected under
or being maintained in compliance
with laws leading to acquisition of
title.

In view of the foregoing, the
surface estate of the following
described lands, selected pursuant to
Sec. 12(a) aggregating approximately
75,912 acres, and approximately 640
acres selected pursuant to Sec. 12(b)
of ANCSA, is considered proper for
acquisition by NANA Regional Cor-
poration, Inc., as successor in interest
to Deering Inupiat Corporation,
and is hereby approved for convey-
ance pursuant to Sec. 14(a) of the
Alaska Native Claims Settlement
Act.

Kateel River Meridian, Alaska
(Surveyed)

T. 7 N., R. 17 W.
Secs. 2 and 3;
Secs. 4 and 5 (fractional), ex-
cluding Native allotment
F-17574;
Secs. 6 and 7 (fractional);
Secs. 8, 9, and 18.

Containing approximately
4,654 acres.

T. 6 N., R. 18 W.
Sec. 15;
Secs. 19, 20, 21, and 22;
Secs. 27 and 28, excluding
mineral survey application
F-23143;
Secs. 29 and 30;
Secs. 33 and 34, excluding
mineral survey application
F-23143.

Containing approximately
6,726 acres.

T. 7 N., R. 18 W.
Sec. 2 (fractional), excluding
Native allotment F-18762;
Sec. 3 (fractional);
Secs. 4 and 5;
Sec. 6 (fractional), excluding
Native allotment F-18572
Parcel A;
Secs. 7, 8, 9, and 10;
Secs. 11 and 12 (fractional),
excluding Native allotment
F-18762;
Secs. 13, 14, and 15.

Containing approximately
7,775 acres.

T. 6 N., R. 19 W.
Sec. 4, excluding Native allotment
F-17660;
Secs. 5 and 6;
Secs. 7 and 8, excluding Native
allotment F-17662 Parcel B;
Sec. 9;
Secs. 14 to 18, inclusive;
Secs. 20 to 24, inclusive;
Sec. 25, excluding Native allot-
ment F-18071;
Secs. 26, 27, and 28;
Secs. 33, 34, and 35;
Sec. 36, excluding Native allot-
ment F-18071.

Containing approximately
15,012 acres.

T. 8 N., R. 19 W.
Sec. 7 (fractional);
Sec. 18 (fractional), excluding
ANCSA Sec. 3(e) application
F-23137;
Sec. 19 (fractional);
Sec. 20 (fractional), excluding
ANCSA Sec. 3(e) application
F-80757;
Secs. 21 and 26 (fractional);
Secs. 29, 30, 31, and 32;
Sec. 33 (fractional), excluding
Native allotment F-16614
Parcel A;
Sec. 34 (fractional).

Containing approximately
4,207 acres.

T. 6 N., R. 20 W.
Secs. 1 and 6;
Sec. 7, excluding mineral survey
application F-69596 and un-
surveyed mining claims
F-63694 and F-63695;
Secs. 18 and 19.

Containing approximately
3,065 acres.

T. 7 N., R. 20 W.
Secs. 1 to 5, inclusive;
Sec. 6, excluding Native allot-
ment F-17475 Parcel A;
Secs. 7 to 12, inclusive;
Secs. 14 and 15;
Secs. 16 and 17, excluding
Native allotment F-17474
Parcel A;
Secs. 18 to 21, inclusive;
Secs. 29 to 32, inclusive.

Containing approximately
15,006 acres.

T. 8 N., R. 20 W.
Sec. 13 (fractional), excluding
Native allotment F-17571;
Sec. 14 (fractional);
Secs. 16, 17, 18, and 19 (frac-
tional);
Sec. 20;
Secs. 21, 22, and 23 (fractional);
Secs. 24 to 36, inclusive.

Containing approximately
11,283 acres.

T. 6 N., R. 21 W.
Sec. 12, excluding mineral survey
application F-69596 and un-
surveyed mining claims
F-63694 and F-63695;
Sec. 13, excluding mineral survey
application F-69596 and un-
surveyed mining claims
F-63695, and F-63690, and
F-63693;
Sec. 23, excluding mineral survey
application F-69596;
Sec. 24, excluding mineral survey
application F-69596 and un-
surveyed mining claim
F-63699;
Secs. 25, 26, 27, and 28, ex-
cluding mineral survey appli-
cation F-69596;
Sec. 29;
Sec. 30, excluding Native allot-

ment F-13794;
Sec. 31, excluding Mineral Sur-
vey No. 1106 and Native
allotment F-13794;
Secs. 32, 33, 34, and 35, ex-
cluding mineral survey appli-
cation F-69596.

Containing approximately
8,824 acres.

Aggregating approximately
76,552 acres.

Excluded from the above-
described lands herein approved for
conveyance are the submerged lands,
up to the ordinary high water mark,
beneath all water bodies determined
by the Bureau of Land Management
to be tidally influenced as depicted
on the navigability maps, the
originals of which will be found in
easement case file F-14851-EE.

All named and unnamed water
bodies within the above-described
lands were reviewed and, based on
existing evidence, they were de-
termined to be nonnavigable.

The lands excluded in the above
description are not being approved
for conveyance at this time and have
been excluded for one or more of the
following reasons: Lands are no
longer under Federal jurisdiction;
lands are under applications pending
further adjudication; lands are pend-
ing a determination under Sec. 3(e)
of ANCSA; or lands were previously
rejected by decision. These exclusions
DO NOT constitute a rejection of the
selection application, unless
specifically so stated.

The conveyance issued for the
surface estate of the lands described
above shall contain the following
reservations to the United States:

1. The subsurface estate therein,
and all rights, privileges, im-
munities and appurtenances,
of whatsoever nature, accruing
unto said estate pursuant to the
Alaska Native Claims Settle-
ment Act of December 18,
1971 (43 U.S.C. 1601, 1613(f));
and
2. Pursuant to Sec. 17(b) of the
Alaska Native Claims Settle-
ment Act of December 18,
1971 (43 U.S.C. 1601, 1616(b)),
the following public easements,
referenced by easement identi-
fication number (EIN) on the
easement maps, copies of
which will be found in case
file F-14851-EE, are reserved
to the United States. All easements
are subject to applica-
ble Federal, State, or
Municipal corporation regula-
tion. The following is a
listing of uses allowed for
each type of easement. Any
uses which are not specifically
listed are prohibited.

25 FOOT TRAIL—The
uses allowed on a twenty-
five (25) foot wide trail easement are:
travel by foot, dogsled,
animals, snowmobiles,
two- and three-wheel
vehicles, and small all-
terrain vehicles (less
than 3,000 lbs. Gross
Vehicle Weight (GVW)).

50 FOOT TRAIL—The
uses allowed on a fifty
(50) foot wide trail
easement are: travel by
foot, dogsled, animals,
snowmobiles, two- and
three-wheel vehicles,
small and large all-
terrain vehicles, track
vehicles, and four-wheel
drive vehicles.

- a. (EIN 6 D1) An easement
for an existing access trail,
twenty-five (25) feet in
width, from the village of
Deering in Sec. 20, T. 8 N.,
R. 19 W., Kateel River
Meridian westerly to public
lands. The uses allowed are
those listed above for a
twenty-five (25) foot wide
trail easement. The season
of use will be limited to
winter.
- b. (EIN 7 C5) An easement
for an existing access trail,
twenty-five (25) feet in
width, from Cus Creek
in Sec. 30, T. 7 N., R. 20 W.,
Kateel River Meridian,
southwesterly from Federal
Aid Secondary Route No. 1510
(Deering-Inupiat Road) to public
land in Sec. 36, T. 7 N.,
R. 21 W., Kateel River
Meridian. The uses allowed
are those listed above for a
twenty-five (25) foot wide
trail easement.
- c. (EIN 9a D1, O) An easement,
twenty-five (25)
feet in width, for an exist-
ing access trail, from the
junction with Federal Aid
Secondary Route No. 1510
(Deering-Inupiat Road),
in Sec. 32, T. 6 N., R. 21 W.,
Kateel River Meridian,
westerly to public lands.
The uses allowed are those
listed above for a twenty-
five (25) foot wide trail
easement.
- d. (EIN 9b D1) An easement,
fifty (50) feet in width,
for an existing access trail
from Federal Aid Secondary
Route No. 1510
(Deering-Inupiat Road),
in Sec. 24, T. 6 N., R. 21 W.,
Kateel River Meridian,
easterly to the junction
with trail EIN 13a D1
thence continuing south-
easterly to the junction
with trail EIN 9c C3, D1,
D9, 0, thence southwesterly
to public lands. The
uses allowed are those listed
above for a fifty (50) foot
wide trail easement. Large
all-terrain vehicles (greater
than 3,000 lbs. Gross Ve-
hicle Weight (GVW)), track
vehicles, and four-wheel
drive vehicles will be limited
to winter use only.
- e. (EIN 9c C3, D1, D9, 0) An
easement for an existing
access trail, fifty (50) feet
in width, from the junction
with EIN 9b D1 in Sec. 34,
T. 6 N., R. 18 W., Kateel
River Meridian, easterly to
public lands. The uses
allowed are those listed
above for a fifty (50) foot
wide trail easement.

The grant of the above-described
lands shall be subject to:

1. Issuance of a patent after
approval and filing by the
Bureau of Land Management
of the official supplemental
plat of survey confirming the
boundary description and
acreage of the lands herein-
above granted;
2. Valid existing rights therein,
if any, including but not
limited to those created by
any lease (including a lease
issued under Sec. 6(g) of the
Alaska Statehood Act of
July 7, 1958 (48 U.S.C.
Ch. 2, Sec. 6(g))), contract,
permit, right-of-way or easement,
and the right of the
lessee, contractor, permittee
or grantee to the complete
enjoyment of all rights,
privileges and benefits thereby
granted to him. Further,
pursuant to Sec. 17(b)(2)
of the Alaska Native
Claims Settlement Act of
December 18, 1971 (43 U.S.C.
1601, 1616(b)(2)) (ANCSA),
any valid existing right recog-
nized by ANCSA shall con-
tinue to have whatever right of
access as is now provided for
under existing law;
3. Any right-of-way interest in
Federal Aid Secondary Route
No. 1510 (Deering-Inupiat
Road) from Deering village
airport southwest along
Imachuk River to mining
area, transferred to the State
of Alaska by the quitclaim
deed dated June 30, 1959,
executed by the Secretary of
Commerce under the authority
of the Alaska Omnibus Act,
Public Law 85-70 (73 Stat. 141),
as to Tps. 8 N., Rs. 19 and
20 W., Tps. 6 and 7 N., R. 20 W.,
and T. 6 N., R. 21 W., Kateel
River Meridian;
4. Airport lease F-034588, lo-
cated within Secs. 19 and 30,
T. 8 N., R. 19 W., and Secs. 24
and 25, T. 8 N., R. 20 W.,
Kateel River Meridian, issued
to the State of Alaska, Division
of Aviation, under the pro-
visions of the act of May 24,
1928 (49 U.S.C. 211-214);
and
5. Requirements of Sec. 14(c)
of the Alaska Native
Claims Settlement Act of
December 18, 1971 (43 U.S.C.
1601, 1613(c)), that the
grantee hereunder convey
those portions, if any, of the
lands hereinabove granted, as
the prescribed in said section.

Reindeer Grazing Permit,
F-030432, issued to Alfred K. Karmun
located within the lands herein
approved for conveyance, will ter-
minate upon conveyance of these
lands in accordance with Sec. 9,
Additional Condition or Stipulation
No. 1 of the permit.

Reindeer Grazing Permit
F-21633, issued to Gungnig, Inc.,
located within the lands herein
approved for conveyance, will ter-
minate upon conveyance of these
lands in accordance with Sec. 9,
Additional Condition or Stipulation
No. 1 of the permit.

NANA Regional Corporation, Inc.,
as successor in interest to Deering
Inupiat Corporation, is entitled to
conveyance of 92,160 acres of land
selected pursuant to Sec. 12(a) and
the reallocation of approximately
640 acres of land selected pursuant
to Sec. 12(b) of ANCSA. To date,
approximately 75,912 acres of the
Sec. 12(a) entitlement and approxi-
mately 640 acres of the Sec. 12(b)
reallocation have been approved for
conveyance. The remaining
Sec. 12(a) entitlement of approxi-
mately 16,248 acres will be conveyed
at a later date.

Pursuant to Sec. 14(f) of ANCSA,
conveyance of the subsurface estate
of the lands described above shall be
granted to NANA Regional Cor-
poration, Inc. when conveyance is
granted to NANA Regional Cor-
poration, Inc., as successor in interest
to Deering Inupiat Corporation,
for the surface estate and shall be
subject to the same conditions as
the surface conveyance.

In accordance with Departmental
regulation 43 CFR 2650.7(d), notice
of this decision is being published
once in the FEDERAL REGISTER
and once a week for four (4) con-
secutive weeks, in THE TUNDRA
TIMES.

Any party claiming a property
interest in lands affected by this
decision, an agency of the Federal
government, or regional corporation
may appeal the decision to the
Interior Board of Land Appeals,

Office of Hearings and Appeals,
in accordance with the attached
regulations in Title 43 Code of
Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 4,
Subpart E, as revised. However,
pursuant to Public Law 96-487,
this decision constitutes the final
administrative determination of the
Bureau of Land Management con-
cerning navigability of water bodies.

If an appeal is taken the notice
of appeal must be filed in the Bureau
of Land Management, Alaska State
Office, Division of ANCSA and State
Conveyances, (960), 701 C Street,
Box 13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513.
Do not send the appeal directly to
the Interior Board of Land Appeals.
The appeal and copies of the pertinent
case files will be sent to the Board
from this office. A copy of the
appeal must be served upon the
Regional Solicitor, 510 L Street,
Suite 100, Anchorage, Alaska
99501.

The time limits for filing an appeal
are:

1. Parties receiving service of this
decision shall have 30 days
from the receipt of this
decision to file an appeal.
2. Unknown parties, parties un-
able to be located after reas-
onable efforts have been
expended to locate, and
parties who failed or refused
to sign the return receipt shall
have until September 27, 1982
to file an appeal.

Any party known or unknown
who is adversely affected by this
decision shall be deemed to have
waived those rights which were
adversely affected unless an appeal is
timely filed with the Bureau of Land
Management, Alaska State Office,
Division of ANCSA and State
Conveyances.

To avoid summary dismissal of the
appeal, there must be strict compli-
ance with the regulations governing
such appeal. Further information on
the manner of and requirements for
filing an appeal may be obtained from
the Bureau of Land Management,
701 C Street, Box 13, Anchorage,
Alaska 99513.

If an appeal is taken, the parties
to be served with a copy of the notice
of appeal are:

State of Alaska
Dept. of Natural Resources
Div. of Research and Develop.
Pouch 7-005
Anchorage, Alaska 99510

NANA Regional Corp., Inc.
Successor in Interest to
Deering Inupiat Corp.
P.O. Box 49
Kotzebue, Alaska 99752

/s/ Ann Johnson
Chief, Branch of
ANCSA Adjudication

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
ALASKA

Notice for Publication
F-19154-19
Alaska Native Claims Selection

On November 14, 1974, NANA
Regional Corporation, Inc., filed se-
lection application F-19154-19 under
the provisions of Sec. 12(c) of the
Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act
of December 18, 1971 (43 U.S.C.
1601, 1611(c) (1976)) (ANCSA),
for the surface and subsurface es-
tates of certain lands in the vicinity
of Deering.

As to the lands described below,
the application submitted by NANA
Regional Corporation, Inc., is pro-
perly filed and meets the require-
ments of the Alaska Native Claims
Settlement Act and of the regulations
issued pursuant thereto. These lands
do not include any lawful entry per-
fected under or being maintained in
compliance with laws leading to ac-
quisition of title.

In view of the foregoing, the sur-
face and subsurface estates of the
following described lands, selected
pursuant to Sec. 12(c) of ANCSA,
aggregating approximately 20,326
acres, are considered proper for ac-
quisition by NANA Regional Cor-
poration, Inc., and are hereby approved
for conveyance pursuant to Sec. 14(e)
of ANCSA:

Kateel River Meridian, Alaska
(Surveyed)

T. 7 N., R. 19 W.
Secs. 1, 2 and 3 (fractional);
Secs. 4 to 26, inclusive;
Sec. 27, excluding Native allot-
ment F-18612 Parcel B;
Secs. 28 to 32, inclusive;
Sec. 33, excluding Native allot-
ment F-17660;
Secs. 34, 35, and 36.

Containing approximately
20,326 acres.

Excluded from the above-described
lands herein approved for conveyance
are the submerged lands, up to the
ordinary high water mark, beneath
all water bodies determined by the
Bureau of Land Management to be
tidally influenced as depicted on the
navigability map, the original of which
will be found in easement case file
F-22361-19.

All named and unnamed water
bodies within the above-described
lands were reviewed and, based on
existing evidence, they were deter-
mined to be nonnavigable.

The lands excluded in the above
description are not being approved
for conveyance at this time and have
been excluded because the lands are
under applications pending further
adjudication. These exclusions do
not constitute a rejection of the se-
lection application, unless specifically
so stated.

The conveyance issued for the sur-
face and subsurface estates of the
lands described above shall contain
the following reservation to the
United States:

Pursuant to Sec. 17(b) of the
Alaska Native Claims Settlement
Act of December 18, 1971 (43
U.S.C. 1601, 1616(b)), the follow-
ing public easement, referenced by
easement identification number
(EIN) on the easement map,
a copy of which will be found
in case file F-22361-19, is re-

served to the United States.
All easements are subject
to applicable Federal, State, or
Municipal corporation regulation.
The following is a listing of
uses allowed for each type of
easement. Any uses which are
not specifically listed are pro-
hibited.

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uses allowed on a twenty-
five (25) foot wide trail
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(less than 3,000 lbs. Gross
Vehicle Weight (GVW)).

(EIN 14 D1) An easement for
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five (25) feet in width, from
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Sec. 20, T. 8 N., R. 19 W.,
Kateel River Meridian, easterly
to public lands. The uses al-
lowed are those listed above
for a twenty-five foot wide
trail easement. The season of
use will be limited to winter.

The grant of the above-
described lands shall be subject to:

1. Issuance of patent after appro-
val and filing by the Bureau
of Land Management of the
official supplemental plat of
survey confirming the bound-
ary description and acreage of
the lands hereinabove granted;
and
2. Valid existing rights therein,
if any, including but not lim-
ited to those created by any
lease (including a lease issued
under Sec. 6(g) of the Alaska
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1958 (48 U.S.C. Ch. 2,
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right-of-way, or easement, and
the right of the lessee, contrac-
tee, permittee, or grantee to
the complete enjoyment of all
rights, privileges, and benefits
thereby granted to him. Further,
pursuant to Sec. 17(b)(2) of
the Alaska Native Claims Settle-
ment Act of December 18, 1971
(43 U.S.C. 1601, 1616(b)(2))
(ANCSA), any valid existing
right recognized by ANCSA
shall continue to have what-
ever right of access as is now
provided for under the
existing law.

Reindeer Grazing Permit, F-21633,
issued to Gungnig, Inc., located with-
in the lands herein approved for con-
veyance, will terminate upon convey-
ance of these lands in accordance
with Sec. 9, Additional Condition
or Stipulation No. 1 of the permit.
NANA Regional Corporation,
Inc., is entitled to conveyance of a
minimum of 731,242 acres of land
selected pursuant to Sec. 12(c)
of ANCSA. Together with the lands
herein approved, the total acreage
conveyed or approved for convey-
ance is approximately 141,250 acres.
The remaining entitlement of approxi-
mately 589,992 acres will be con-
veyed at a later date.

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regulation 43 CFR 2650.7(d) notice
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Chief, Branch of
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