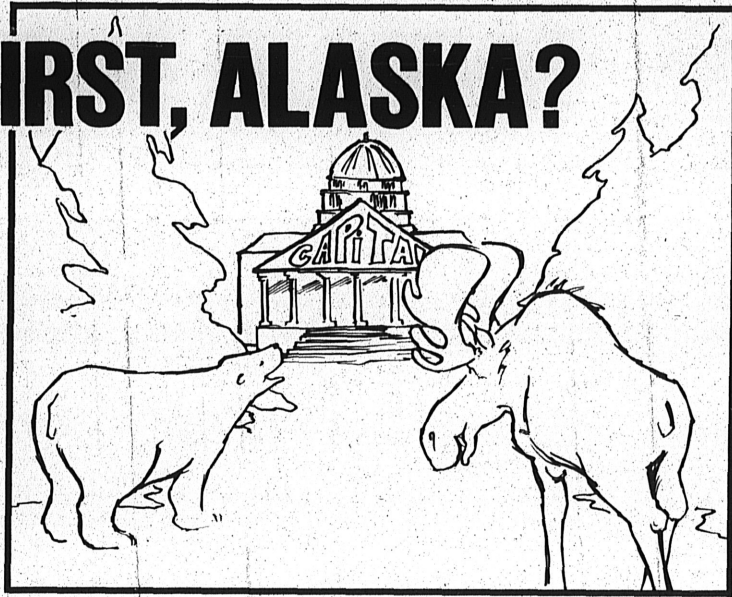


# WHAT'S FIRST, ALASKA?

*An unneeded  
Capital in the  
wilderness?*

**OR...  
PEOPLE  
NEEDS?**



Does Alaska **really** want to spend \$500,000,000 or more to build a new capital? Are the real needs of the people of Alaska, such as schools, and roads and hospitals—important things—to be left by the wayside? • Is that what Alaska wants? Does it make any sense? Lets look at different parts of the state. • Our cities and boroughs and villages have a great number of needs... entirely apart from what local government would have to pay for without outside help. The Six Year Investment Program prepared by the Department of Administration, Division of Budget and Management, reveals these immediate local needs, as illustrated by the following examples:

## **ANCHORAGE**

According to the program just mentioned, Anchorage needs and wants projects costing \$197,009,200! That includes school facilities, airport and highway improvements of all kinds, legal facilities, water and sewer improvements and construction, and fish and game facilities, among others.

## **BETHEL**

\$4,668,000, to meet school problems, library problems, airport needs, utilities construction, seaplane base construction, a fire station and equipment.

## **BRISTOL BAY**

\$8,647,000 for salmon rehabilitation facilities, teachers' housing, airport work, water and sewer projects, and utilities of all sorts.

## **DILLINGHAM**

\$4,091,800 for the Snake Lake incubation system, a fire station and equipment, airport improvement, fish and game facilities and on and on and on.

## **FAIRBANKS**

Fairbanks, the studies show, has a need for \$83,234,000 in improvements... health facilities... public safety enforcement... schools, and highways and water and sewer improvements—just to mention the pressing needs.

## **HOMER**

\$2,915,000 for fishing facilities, an agricultural and animal research center, harbor facilities, airport work and park and dock work.

## **KENAI**

\$3,164,200 plus, needed for a water and sewer project, a fishing rear-capture-and-transport system, court equipment and the like.

## **KETCHIKAN**

\$23,800,000 for water project, seaplane float improvement, harbor facility, saltwater rearing and incubation and school needs.

## **KODIAK**

\$14,741,200 for such vital facilities as incubation systems, an agricultural center, rearing ponds, a spawn taking and rearing facility, an educational radio station, harbor and airport runway facilities.

## **NOME**

\$6,612,500 for school facilities, harbor dredging, a port study, airport work and a water project—just to mention a few of its priorities.

## **PETERSBURG**

\$6,867,000 for needs at the harbor, the fire station, the airport... radio station improvement and hatchery work.

## **SEWARD**

\$2,383,000 for harbor facilities, sewer project needs and airport needs.

## **SITKA**

\$12,946,700 for such things as work on Phase II of the community college, library needs, salt water rearing expansion, an incubation system, court buildings and airport expansion.

## **SOLDOTNA**

\$1,721,200, according to the program, and city additions, for a needed forestry substation, highway storage shed, street improvements, public safety building expansion, a water and sewer system and park and library expansion.

## **VALDEZ**

\$10,336,000 to solve a hospital problem, a need for marine terminal and storage facilities, a seaplane float, a water and sewer project.

## **YAKUTAT**

\$990,000 for harbor needs, a fire station equipment problem and a requirement for drainage improvements... just to mention a few.

**PEOPLE COME FIRST**

# VOTE NO ON CAPITAL MOVE

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