

ANF hosts workshop on historic records of Native groups

A Workshop on Historic records of Native organizations will be held on September 7 and 8, at the Alaska Native Foundation, 411 West Fourth Avenue. The Workshop is designed to train personnel in some 22 Native organizations in the techniques of surveying records and the development of effective records' disposal and preservation programs.

The Workshop is being held in conjunction with the Foundation's Native Organizations' Records Project, which will locate and describe the historic records of Alaska Native organizations under a grant from the National Archives.

Emil Notti, founder and first president of the Alaska Federation of Natives, will be the keynote speaker on Thursday afternoon at 1 p.m. in the conference room of the Native Foundation.

Other speakers will be Ellen Lang Hays on the History of the Alaska Native Brotherhood, Tom Richards, editor of the Tundra Times, on researching Native history, and Delores Padilla on the formative years of

the Kodiak Area Native Association. Paul McCarthy, Archivist of the University of Alaska, will conduct the practical sessions on Friday beginning at 9 a.m.

There is no charge for the Workshop. Those persons interested should contact Barbara Smith at the Alaska Native Foundation at 274 2541.