

Bristol Bay's Position On The Pipeline

The Bristol Bay Native Corporation supports the Trans-Alaska Pipeline with the following conditions:

1. That the impacted regions be guaranteed that their subsistence is not threatened. Further, that if there is environmental damage that the affected regional people be compensated for value equal to the loss.

2. That jobs related to the construction of the pipeline and its maintenance after construction be allocated to Alaskan Natives first, then Alaskan residents.

3. That the pipeline corridor be of a width that will allow the pipeline to be constructed. It is unreasonable to issue a permit that is from twelve to twenty four miles in width when you consider the final result to be a forty eight inch pipeline.