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Special Public Notice

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PUBLIC NOTICE DATE:	January 15, 2015
EXPIRATION DATE:	January 30, 2015
REFERENCE NUMBER:	POA-2014-55
WATERWAY:	Statewide

On December 17, 2014, the Alaska District, United States (U.S.) Army Corps of Engineers (Corps), issued a Special Public Notice POA-2014-55, proposing to re-issue the General Permit (GP) for Mechanical Placer Mining operations within the state of Alaska, with a 30 day comment period expiring January 15, 2015. The GP is being developed to include information for the Corps to complete jurisdictional determinations, to ensure minimal impacts to the aquatic ecosystem, and to comply with the 2008 Mitigation Rule. A number of comments have been received requesting extension of the comment period. A 15 day extension to the comment period has been approved. Comments should be postmarked no later than January 30, 2015.

For further information, please send email questions to POA.AKPlacerMiningGeneralPerm@usace.army.mil; postal mail inquiries to P.O. Box 6898, 2204 3rd. St., JBER, Alaska, 99506; by fax at (907) 753-5567; or by phone to Leslie W. Tose at (907) 753-5515, Deb McAtee at (907) 474-2166, or toll free from within Alaska at (800) 478-2712. Also, if further information is desired concerning this notice or you would like a paper copy mailed to you.

District Commander
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