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## Public Notice of Application for Permit

**PUBLIC NOTICE DATE: March 2, 2021** 

**EXPIRATION DATE:** April 1, 2021

REFERENCE NUMBER: POA-2020-00367

WATERWAY: Brown's Slough

## \*\*\*PUBLIC NOTICE REVISION\*\*\*

On February 26, 2021, the Alaska District Corps of Engineers (Corps) published a Public Notice for Department of the Army (DA) permit number POA-2020-00367, Brown's Slough for a DA permit application from Dale Construction, to retain an existing unpermitted sand pit and to expand it by 4.6 acres. The project site is located within Section 11, T. 8 N., R. 72 W., Seward Meridian; USGS Quad Map Bethel D-8; Latitude 60.7946° N., Longitude 161.8674° W.; Chaney Subdivision Name, north of BIA road, in Bethel, Alaska.

The notice stated, 'The permit area has been determined to be the complete project area and the work has already occurred'. The applicant has proposed an expansion of the pit and so this is not a correct statement.

This information is incorrect and should instead read:

CULTURAL RESOURCES: The latest published version of the Alaska Heritage Resources Survey (AHRS) has been consulted for the presence or absence of historic properties, including those listed in or eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places. There are no cultural resources in the permit area or within the vicinity of the permit area. The permit area has been determined to be the area already disturbed as well and the area where the applicant wishes to expand the pit. Consultation of the AHRS constitutes the extent of cultural resource investigations by the Corps at this time, and we are otherwise unaware of the presence of such resources. The Corps has made a **No Historic Properties Affected (No Effect)** determination for the proposed project. This application is being coordinated with the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO). Any comments SHPO may have concerning presently unknown archeological or historic data that may be lost or destroyed by work under the requested permit will be considered in our final assessment of the described work. The Corps is requesting the SHPO's concurrence with this determination.

All other information contained in the previous notice remains the same. Please bring this announcement to the attention of anyone you know who is or may be interested. Please contact Mary Romero at (907) 753-2773, toll free from within Alaska at (800) 478-2712, by fax at (907) 753-5567, or by email at: Mary.R.Romero@usace.army.mil if further information is desired concerning this notice.

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