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Alaska District

# Special Public Notice

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ISSUANCE DATE: August 16, 2011  
EXPIRATION DATE: August 31, 2016  
REFERENCE NUMBER: POA-2011-124

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## TIME EXTENSION OF EXISTING GENERAL PERMIT POA-2011-124 TO FEBRUARY 28, 2017.

The Alaska District, United States (U.S.) Army Corps of Engineers (Corps), in accordance with regulations pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, is extending the time limit for use of existing General Permit (GP) POA-2011-124 to February 28, 2017.

This GP authorizes the discharge of fill material into waters of the U.S., including wetlands, for the purpose of creating foundation pads for structures, utilities, associated roads, driveways, parking areas, and other domestic governmental, and commercial development. The GP authorizes excavation activities including mechanized land clearing and other activities that could result in a re-deposition of fill material. The GP also authorizes those activities when the placement of pilings would have the effect of a discharge of fill material. The GP can be found at [www.poa.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Permits/Regional-General-Permits](http://www.poa.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Permits/Regional-General-Permits)

Maps showing the areas subject to authorization under this GP, and areas specifically excluded, are available for public use at the City of Bethel, Planning Department Office, and at the Regulatory Division, Alaska District, Corps of Engineers. A map showing the boundaries of areas covered or excluded under this GP is attached for guidance (Enclosure I). The area excluded from GP coverage would be subject to an individual permit review.

The current expiration date of this GP is August 31, 2016. Extending the time limit for use of this existing GP will maintain continuity of authorization for persons operating under this GP, while the Corps works through the current permit evaluation process for the reissuance of this GP.

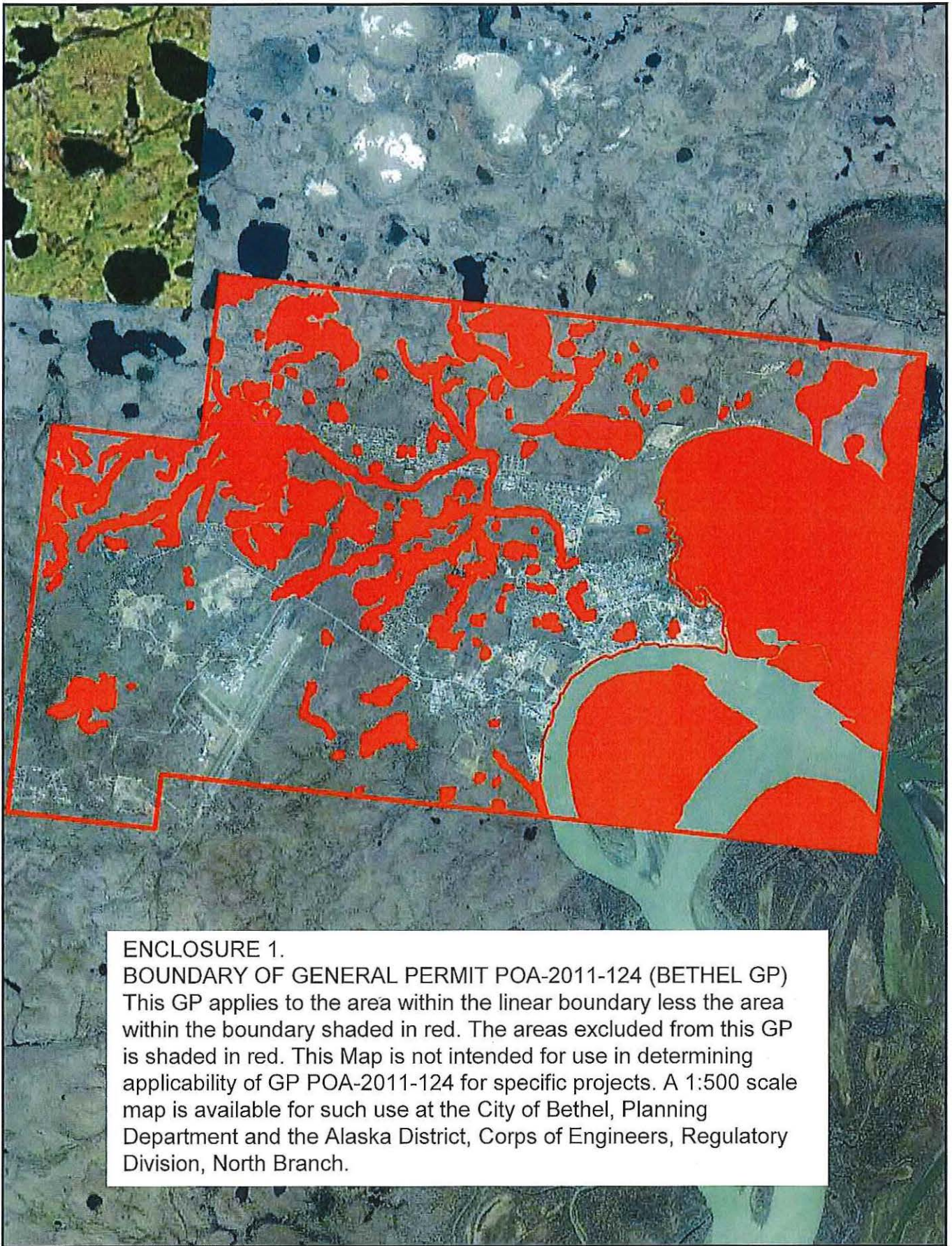
The Corps is revising the current GP and anticipates making a decision as to its reissuance no later than February 28, 2017. Should the GP be reissued, the current version of the GP would be superseded by the revised GP on the date it is reissued.

Please contact Timm Kennedy at 907-753-2784, toll free from within Alaska at (800) 478-2712, by fax at (907) 753-5567, or by email at [timm.a.kennedy@usace.army.mil](mailto:timm.a.kennedy@usace.army.mil) if further information is desired concerning this notice.

District Commander  
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Enclosure





**ENCLOSURE 1.**

**BOUNDARY OF GENERAL PERMIT POA-2011-124 (BETHEL GP)**

This GP applies to the area within the linear boundary less the area within the boundary shaded in red. The areas excluded from this GP is shaded in red. This Map is not intended for use in determining applicability of GP POA-2011-124 for specific projects. A 1:500 scale map is available for such use at the City of Bethel, Planning Department and the Alaska District, Corps of Engineers, Regulatory Division, North Branch.