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APPLICATION FOR TRANSPORTATION AND UTILITY SYSTEMS AND FACILITIES

FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 0596-0082

ON	FEDERAL LANDS		
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NOTE: Before completing and filing the application, the applicant should completely review this package and schedule a preapplication meeting with representatives of the agency responsible for processing the application. Each agency may have specific and unique requirements to be met in preparing and processing the application. Many		Application Number	
times, with the help of the agency representative, the	e application can be completed at the preapplication meeting.	Date Filed	
1.2. Name and address of applicant (include zip code)	Name, title, and address of authorized agent if different from item 1 (include zip code)	3. Telephone (area code)	
		Applicant	
		Authorized Agent	
4. As applicant are you? (check one) a.	5. Specify what application is for: (check one) a. New authorization b. Renewing existing authorization No. c. Amend existing authorization No. d. Assign existing authorization No. e. Existing use for which no authorization f. Other*	has been received *	
* If checked, complete supplemental page	* If checked, provide details under item 7		
6. If an individual, or partnership are you a citizen(s) of	the United States? Yes No		
transported; (g) duration and timing of construction; space is needed.)	of years needed: (e) time of year of use or operation; and (h) temporary work areas needed for construction	(f) Volume or amount of product to be	
8. Attach a map covering area and show location of pro	ject proposal		
9. State or Local government approval:	hed Applied for Not Required		
10. Nonreturnable application fee: Attached	☐ Not required		
11. Does project cross international boundary or affect in	nternational waterways?	(if "yes," indicate on map)	
12. Give statement of your technical and financial capab requested.	oility to construct, operate, maintain, and terminate systems	em for which authorization is being	

13a. Describe other reasonable alternative routes and modes considered.			
b. Why were these alternatives not selected?			
c. Give explanation as to why it is necessary to cross Federal Lands.			
14. List authorizations and pending applications filed for similar projects which may provide information to the authorizing agency. (Specify number, date, code, or name)			
15. Provide statement of need for project, including the economic feasibility and items such as: (a) cost of proposal (construction, operation, and maintenance); (b) estimated cost of next best alternative; and (c) expected public benefits.			
16. Describe probable effects on the population in the area, including the social and economic aspects, and the rural lifestyles.			
17. Describe likely environmental effects that the proposed project will have on: (a) air quality; (b) visual impact; (c) surface and ground water quality and quantity; (d) the control or structural change on any stream or other body of water; (e) existing noise levels; and (f) the surface of the land, including vegetation, permafrost, soil, and soil stability.			
18. Describe the probable effects that the proposed project will have on (a) populations of fish, plantlife, wildlife, and marine life, including threatened and endangered species; and (b) marine mammals, including hunting, capturing, collecting, or killing these animals.			
19. State whether any hazardous material, as defined in this paragraph, will be used, produced, transported or stored on or within the right-of-way or any of the right-of-way facilities, or used in the construction, operation, maintenance or termination of the right-of-way or any of its facilities. "Hazardous material" means any substance, pollutant or contaminant that is listed as hazardous under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq., and its regulations. The definition of hazardous substances under CERCLA includes any "hazardous waste" as defined in the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976 (RCRA), as amended, 42 U.S.C. 6901 et seq., and its regulations. The term hazardous materials also includes any nuclear or byproduct material as defined by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 2011 et seq. The term does not include petroleum, including crude oil or any fraction thereof that is not otherwise specifically listed or designated as a hazardous substance under CERCIA Section 101(14), 42 U.S.C. 9601(14), nor does the term include natural gas.			
20. Name all the Department(s)/Agency(ies) where this application is being filed.			
I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I am of legal age and authorized to do business in the State and that I have personally examined the information contained in the application and believe that the information submitted is correct to the best of my knowledge.			

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Signature of Applicant Date

Title 18, U.S.C. Section 1001, makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

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GENERAL INFORMATION ALASKA NATIONAL INTEREST LANDS

This application will be used when applying for a right-of-way, permit, license, lease, or certificate for the use of Federal lands which lie within conservation system units and National Recreation or Conservation Areas as defined in the Alaska National Interest lands Conservation Act. Conservation system units include the National Park System, National Wildlife Refuge System, National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, National Trails System, National Wilderness Preservation System, and National Forest Monuments.

Transportation and utility systems and facility uses for which the application may be used are:

- 1. Canals, ditches, flumes, laterals, pipes, pipelines, tunnels, and other systems for the transportation of water.
- 2. Pipelines and other systems for the transportation of liquids other than water, including oil, natural gas, synthetic liquid and gaseous fuels, and any refined product produced therefrom.
- 3. Pipelines, slurry and emulsion systems, and conveyor belts for transportation of solid materials.
- 4. Systems for the transmission and distribution of electric energy.
- 5. Systems for transmission or reception of radio, television, telephone, telegraph, and other electronic signals, and other means of communications.
- 6. Improved right-of-way for snow machines, air cushion vehicles, and all-terrain vehicles.
- Roads, highways, railroads, tunnels, tramways, airports, landing strips, docks, and other systems of general transportation.

This application must be filed simultaneously with each Federal department or agency requiring authorization to establish and operate your proposal.

In Alaska, the following agencies will help the applicant file an application and identify the other agencies the applicant should contact and possibly file with:

Department of Agriculture Regional Forester, Forest Service (USFS) P.O Box 21628 Juneau, Alaska 99802-1628

Telephone: (907) 586-7847 (or a local Forest Service Office)

Department of the Interior Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Alaska Regional Office 709 West 9th Street Juneau, Alaska 99802 Telephone: (907) 586-7177

Department of the Interior Alaska State Office Bureau of Land Management 222 W 7th Avenue #13 Anchorage, Alaska 99513 Public Room: 907-271-5960 FAX: 907-271-3684 (or a local BLM Office)

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (FWS) Office of the Regional Director 1011 East Tudor Road Anchorage, Alaska 99503 Telephone: (907) 786-3440 National Park Service (NPS) Alaska Regional Office, 240 W. 5th Avenue Anchorage, Alaska 99501 Telephone: (907) 644-3510

Note - Filings with any Interior agency may be filed with any office noted above or with the Office of the Secretary of the Interior, Regional Environmental Office, P.O. Box 120, 1675 C Street, Anchorage, Alaska 9513.

Department of Transportation Federal Aviation Administration Alaska Region AAL-4, 222 West 7th Ave., Box 14

Anchorage, Alaska 99513-7587 Telephone: (907) 271-5285

NOTE - The Department of Transportation has established the above central filing point for agencies within that Department. Affected agencies are: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), Coast Guard (USCG), Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), Federal Railroad Administration (FRA).

OTHER THAN ALASKA NATIONAL INTEREST LANDS

Use of this form is not limited to National Interest Conservation Lands of Alaska.

Individual department/agencies may authorize the use of this form by applicants for transportation and utility systems and facilities on other Federal lands outside those areas described above.

For proposals located outside of Alaska, applications will be filed at the local agency office or at a location specified by the responsible Federal agency.

SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

(Items not listed are self-explanatory)

- 7 Attach preliminary site and facility construction plans. The responsible agency will provide instructions whenever specific plans are required.
- 8 Generally, the map must show the section(s), township(s), and range(s) within which the project is to be located. Show the proposed location of the project on the map as accurately as possible. Some agencies require detailed survey maps. The responsible agency will provide additional instructions.
- 9, 10, and 12 The responsible agency will provide additional instructions.
- 13 Providing information on alternate routes and modes in as much detail as possible, discussing why certain routes or modes were rejected and why it is necessary to cross Federal lands will assist the agency(ies) in processing your application and reaching a final decision. Include only reasonable alternate routes and modes as related to current technology and economics.
- 14 The responsible agency will provide instructions.
- 15 Generally, a simple statement of the purpose of the proposal will be sufficient. However, major proposals located in critical or sensitive areas may require a full analysis with additional specific information. The responsible agency will provide additional instructions.
- 16 through 19 Providing this information is as much detail as possible will assist the Federal agency(ies) in processing the application and reaching a decision. When completing these items, you should use a sound judgment in furnishing relevant information. Fore example, if the project is not near a stream or other body of water, do not address this subject. The responsible agency will provide additional instructions.

Application must be signed by the applicant or applicant's authorized representative.

EFFECT OF NOT PROVIDING INFORMATION: Disclosure of the information is voluntary. If all the information is not provided, the application may be rejected.

DATA COLLECTION STATEMENT

The Federal agencies collect this information from applicants requesting right-ofway, permit, license, lease, or certification for the use of Federal lands. The Federal agencies use this information to evaluate the applicant's proposal. The public is obligated to submit this form if they wish to obtain permission to use Federal lands.

SUPPLEMENTAL					
NOTE: The responsible agency(ies) will provide instructions		CHECK APPROPRIATE BLOCK			
I - PRIVATE CORPORATIONS		ATTACHED	FILED*		
a.	Articles of Incorporation				
b.	Corporation Bylaws				
C.	A certification from the State showing the corporation is in good standing and is entitled to operate within the State				
d.	Copy of resolution authorizing filing				
e.	The name and address of each shareholder owning 3 percent or more of the shares, together with the number and percentage of any class of voting shares of the entity which such shareholder is authorized to vote and the name and address of each affiliate of the entity together with, in the case of an affiliate controlled by the entity, the number of shares and the percentage of any class of voting stock of that affiliate owned, directly or indirectly, by that entity, and in the case of an affiliate which controls that entity, the number of shares and the percentage of any class of voting stock of that entity owned, directly or indirectly, by the affiliate.				
f.	If application is for an oil or gas pipeline, describe any related right-of-way or temporary use permit applications, and identify previous applications.				
g.	If application is for an oil and gas pipeline, identify all Federal lands by agency impacted by proposal.				
II - PUBLIC CORPORATIONS					
a.	Copy of law forming corporation				
b.	Proof of organization				
C.	Copy of Bylaws				
d.	Copy of resolution authorizing filing				
e.	If application is for an oil or gas pipeline, provide information required by item "I-f" and "I-g" above.				
III - PARTNERSHIP OR OTHER UNINCORPORATED ENTITY					
a.	Articles of association, if any				
b.	If one partner is authorized to sign, resolution authorizing action is				
c.	Name and address of each participant, partner, association, or other				
d.	If application is for an oil or gas pipeline, provide information required by item "I-f" and "I-g" above.				

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^{*} If the required information is already filed with the agency processing this application and is current, check block entitled "Filed." Provide the file identification information (e.g., number, date, code, name). If not on file or current, attach the requested information.

NOTICES

Note: This applies to the Department of Agriculture/Forest Service (FS)

This information is needed by the Forest Service to evaluate the requests to use National Forest System lands and manage those lands to protect natural resources, administer the use, and ensure public health and safety. This information is required to obtain or retain a benefit. The authority for that requirement is provided by the Organic Act of 1897 and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, which authorize the secretary of Agriculture to promulgate rules and regulations for authorizing and managing National Forest System lands. These statutes, along with the Term Permit Act, National Forest Ski Area Permit Act, Granger-Thye Act, Mineral Leasing Act, Alaska Term Permit Act, Act of September 3, 1954, Wilderness Act, National Forest Roads and Trails Act, Act of November 16, 1973, Archeological Resources Protection Act, and Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to issue authorizations or the use and occupancy of National Forest System lands. The Secretary of Agriculture's regulations at 36 CFR Part 251, Subpart B, establish procedures for issuing those authorizations.

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