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Bill Thomas, President  
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Dear Mr. Thomas:

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
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This letter is prompted by previous discussions with staff members concerning state routes in Haines.

In response, I enclose a color-coded map entitled State Highway System: Haines. This map depicts public roads in the Haines Borough that are owned, operated and maintained by the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities (DOT&PF). This responsibility ranges from operation of a two-lane arterial highway that serves long-distance travelers to continued maintenance of one lightly-used remnant section that formerly carried the main highway.

This information is also available in list format (including length and termini) from the DOT&PF website. (Please note that the list includes all routes in Southeast Alaska, and thus is not specific to Haines.) On the map, routes are identified by category, which is used to segregate maintenance priorities and identify transfer opportunities.

Please note that, because of scale, two routes at the airport are not included on the map. The road to the terminal area from the Haines Highway (0.37 miles in length) and a short spur road (0.07 miles in length) are also owned, operated and maintained by DOT&PF.

There may be future changes to the state route list and map. These changes would be prompted if DOT&PF were to transfer a route to local government.

Mr. Bill Thomas

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This type of change has already taken place in Haines, where two former state routes (Porcupine Road and FAA Road) are now locally maintained.

I trust that this map meets your information needs.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "D. Hawes", with a long, sweeping horizontal flourish extending to the right.

David J. Hawes  
Transportation Planner

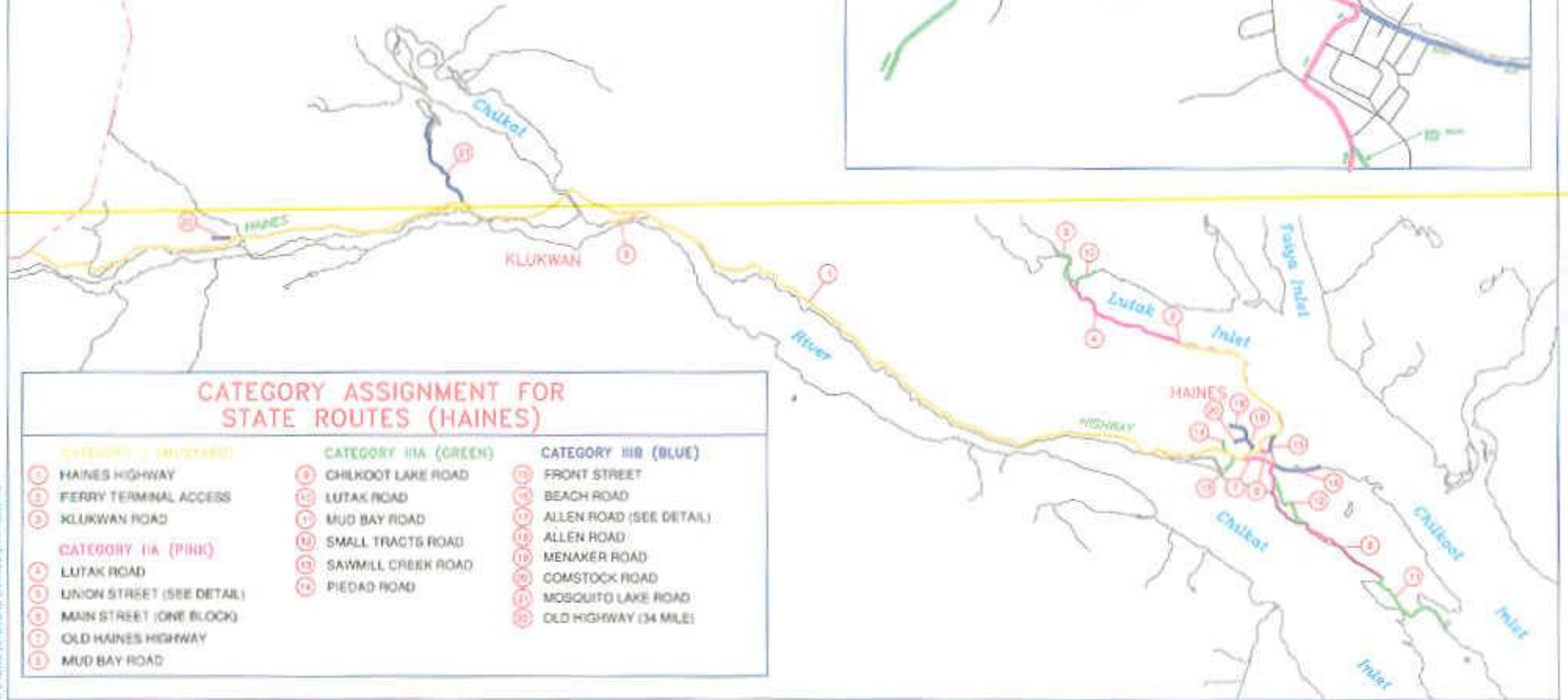
Enclosure

cc: Andy Hughes, Regional Planning Chief, DOT&PF

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### STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM: HAINES

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### CATEGORY ASSIGNMENT FOR STATE ROUTES (HAINES)

CATEGORY I (YELLOW)	CATEGORY IIA (GREEN)	CATEGORY IIB (BLUE)
1 HAINES HIGHWAY	6 CHILKOOT LAKE ROAD	10 FRONT STREET
2 FERRY TERMINAL ACCESS	7 LUTAK ROAD	11 BEACH ROAD
3 KLUKWAN ROAD	8 MUD BAY ROAD	12 ALLEN ROAD (SEE DETAIL)
4 CATEGORY IIA (PINK)	9 SMALL TRACTS ROAD	13 ALLEN ROAD
5 LUTAK ROAD	10 SAWMILL CREEK ROAD	14 MENAKER ROAD
6 UNION STREET (SEE DETAIL)	11 PIEDAD ROAD	15 COMSTOCK ROAD
7 MAIN STREET (ONE BLOCK)		16 MOSQUITO LAKE ROAD
8 OLD HAINES HIGHWAY		17 OLD HIGHWAY (34 MILE)
9 MUD BAY ROAD		

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