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REDUCING WITHDRAWAL OF PUBLIC LANDS
ALONG ALASKA HIGHWAY AND OPENING
RELEASED LANDS TO SETTLEMENT AND
OTHER FORMS OF APPROPRIATION

By virtue of the authority vested in the President and pursuant to Executive Order No. 9337 of April 24, 1943, it is ordered as follows:

Public Land Order No. 84 of January 28, 1943, and Public Land Order No. 12 of July 20, 1943, as amended by Public Land Order No. 270 of April 8, 1945, are hereby revoked.

Subject to valid existing rights, including the rights of natives based on occupancy, and the provisions of existing withdrawals, the following-described lands are hereby withdrawn under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Interior from all forms of appropriation under the public-land laws, including the mining and mineral leasing laws, for highway purposes:

(a) A strip of land 600 feet wide, 200 feet on each side of the center line of the Alaska Highway (formerly the Canadian-Alaskan Military Highway) as constructed from the Alaska-Yukon Territory boundary to its junction with the Richardson Highway near Big Delta, Alaska.

(b) A strip of land 600 feet wide, 250 feet on each side of the center line of the Gulkana-Slana-Tok Road as constructed from Tok Junction at about Mile 1319 on the Alaska Highway to the junction with the Richardson Highway near Gulkana, Alaska.

Subject to valid existing rights (including the rights of natives based on occupancy and the provisions of existing withdrawals), the following-described lands are hereby withdrawn under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of War from all forms of appropriation under the public-land laws, including the mining and mineral leasing laws, for right-of-way purposes for a telephone line and an oil pipe line with appurtenances:

(a) A strip of land 50 feet wide, 25 feet on each side of a telephone line as located and constructed generally parallel to the Alaska Highway from the Alaska-Yukon Territory boundary to the junction of the Alaska Highway with the Richardson Highway near Big Delta, Alaska.

(b) A strip of land 20 feet wide, 10 feet on each side of a pipe line as located and constructed generally parallel to the Alaska Highway from the Alaska-Yukon Territory boundary to the junction of the Alaska Highway with the Richardson Highway near Big Delta, Alaska.

(c) A tract of land containing 68 acres, situated on the north side of the Alaska Highway, to include the pumping plant and accessories at Pumping Station "I", Canal Project, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the center line of the Alaska Highway opposite the pump house at Mile Station 1249.7, thence by metes and bounds:

- Southeasterly along center line of Alaska Highway approximately 18 chains;
- N. 48° E., 24 chains;
- N. 42° W., 30 chains;
- S. 48° W., 22 chains to center line of Highway;

then easterly along center line of Alaska Highway approximately 18 chains to point

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tract of land containing 60 acrts. on the north side of the Alaska to include the pumping plant and accessories at Pumping Station "J", Canal Project, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the center line of the Alaska Highway opposite the pump house at Mile Station 1203.6, thence by metes and bounds:

- S. 40°32' E., 15 chains;
- N. 49°28' E., 20.00 chains;
- N. 40°32' W., 30.00 chains;
- S. 49°28' W., 20.00 chains to center line of Highway;
- S. 40°32' E., along center line of Alaska Highway approximately 15 chains to point of beginning.

(e) A tract of land containing 60 acres, situated on the north side of the Alaska Highway, to include the pumping plant and accessories at Pumping Station "K", Canal Project, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the center line of the Alaska Highway opposite the pump house at Mile Station 1320.1, thence by metes and bounds:

- S. 80°56' E., 15 chains;
- N. 9°04' E., 20 chains;
- N. 80°56' W., 30 chains;
- S. 9°04' W., 20 chains;
- S. 80°56' E., along center line of Alaska Highway approximately 15 chains to point of beginning.

(f) A tract of land containing 60 acres, situated on the north side of the Alaska Highway, to include the pumping plant and accessories at Pumping Station "L", Canal Project, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the center line of the Alaska Highway opposite the pump house at Mile Station 1370.0, thence by metes and bounds:

- S. 53° E., 15 chains;
- N. 38° E., 20 chains;
- N. 53° W., 30 chains;
- S. 38° W., 20 chains;
- S. 53° E., along center line of Alaska Highway approximately 15 chains to point of beginning.

(g) A tract of land containing 80 acres, situated on the north side of the Alaska Highway, to include the pumping plant and accessories at Pumping Station "M", Canal Project, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the center line of the Alaska Highway opposite the pump house at Mile Station 1409.5, thence by metes and bounds:

- S. 58°29' E., 15 chains;
- N. 31°31' E., 20 chains;
- N. 58°29' W., 30 chains;
- S. 31°31' W., 20 chains;
- S. 58°29' E., 15 chains to the point of beginning.

(h) A tract of land containing 3.45 acres, located on the northeast side of the Alaska Highway at Mile 1266, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point at latitude 63°00' N., and longitude 141°47' W., indicated by a wood post 4" x 6" x 5", marked ROW, RM USA, from which point the center line of the Alaska Highway bears S. 57°54' W. 163 feet, thence by metes and bounds:

- S. 57°54' W., 133 feet to point 32 feet from center line of the Alaska Highway;
- S. 32°06' E., 500 feet parallel to and 32 feet from center line of the Alaska Highway;
- N. 57°54' E., 300 feet;
- N. 32°06' W., 500 feet;
- S. 57°54' W., 167 feet to the point of beginning.

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(1) A tract of land containing 3.45 acres located on the north side of the Alaska Highway at approximately Mile 1344.6, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point 32 feet north of the center line of the Alaska Highway from which the southeast corner of the ACS Repeater Station Building bears north, 125 feet, thence by metes and bounds:

West, 350 feet;
North, 300 feet;
East, 600 feet;
South, 300 feet;
West, 150 feet to the point of beginning.

(1) A tract of land containing 3.45 acres located on the northeast side of the Alaska Highway at approximately Mile 1429, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point from which the intersection of the center lines of the Alaska Highway and the Richardson Highway, latitude 64°02'57" N., longitude 145°45' W. bears S. 81°24' W., 82 feet, N. 58°30' W., 290 feet, thence by metes and bounds:

S. 58°30' E., 500 feet;
N. 31°24' E., 300 feet;
N. 68°38' W., 500 feet;
S. 81°24' W., 300 feet to the point of beginning.

Subject to valid existing rights, including the rights of natives based on occupancy, and the provisions of existing withdrawals (including the withdrawal of a 60-foot strip along the Alaska-Yukon Territory boundary, made by Proclamation of May 3, 1912, 37 Stat. 1741), the following-described lands are hereby withdrawn from all forms of appropriation under the public-land laws, including the mining and the mineral leasing laws, for classification and survey:

ALASKA-YUKON TERRITORY BOUNDARY

A tract of land containing 800 acres situated on both sides of the Alaska Highway,

adjacent to the International boundary between the United States and Canada, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the International boundary between the United States and Canada 22.50 chains south of the center line of the Alaska Highway, between Mile Stations 1231 and 1222 thereof, in approximate latitude 62°52' N., longitude 141°00' W., thence by metes and bounds:

West 80 chains;
North 100 chains;
East 80 chains to a point on the International boundary;
South 100 chains along the International boundary to the point of beginning.

GARDINER CREEK

A tract of land containing 480 acres lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway at the crossing of Gardiner Creek, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1247, in approximate latitude 62°50' N., longitude 141°25' W., thence by metes and bounds:

S. 50° W., 40 chains;
N. 40° W., 80 chains;
N. 50° E., 60 chains;
S. 40° E., 80 chains;
S. 50° W., 20 chains to the point of beginning.

LAKEVIEW

A tract of land containing approximately 270 acres lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1257, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1257.5, in approximate latitude 62°53' N., and longitude 141°40' W., thence by metes and bounds:

N. 68° E., 22 chains;
S. 22° E., 80 chains;
S. 68° W., 48 chains more or less to the east shore of a lake;

Northerly with the meanders of the lake shore, 91 chains more or less;
N. 68° E., 18 chains more or less to the point of beginning.

JUNCTION OF NORTHWAY ACCESS ROAD AND ALASKA HIGHWAY

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A tract of land containing 160 acres at the junction of Northway Road and the Alaska Highway, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway, 20 chains southeasterly from the junction of Northway Road, near Mile Station 1285, in approximate latitude 63°3' N., and longitude 141°47' W., thence by metes and bounds:

Southwesterly at right angles to the Alaska Highway, 20 chains;
Northwesterly, parallel to the center line of said highway, 40 chains;
Northeasterly, parallel to the first course of this description, 40 chains;
Southeasterly, parallel to the second course of this description, 40 chains;
Southwesterly, parallel to the third course of this description, 20 chains to the point of beginning.

LITTLE DEAYER CREEK

A tract of land containing approximately 60 acres lying on the south side of the Alaska Highway, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway 30 chains westerly from Mile Station 1269, in approximate latitude 63°06' N., and longitude 141°51' W., thence by metes and bounds:

Southerly at right angles to the Alaska Highway, 20 chains;
Westerly, parallel to the Alaska Highway, 20 chains;
Northerly, at right angles to the Alaska Highway, 20 chains;

Easterly, with the center line of the Alaska Highway, 50 chains to the point of beginning.

MIDWAY LAKE

A tract of land containing approximately 1070 acres lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway and bordering on the north shore of Midway Lake, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1293.4, in approximate latitude 63°18' N., and longitude 142°18' W., thence by metes and bounds:

North 20 chains;
S. 82° E., 115 chains more or less;
S. 50° E., 72 chains more or less;
N. 75° E., 125 chains more or less;
S. 30° E., 40 chains more or less;
Southwesterly, at right angles to the center line of the Alaska Highway and crossing the same at Mile Station 1299.75, 68 chains more or less to the north shore of Midway Lake;

Westerly, with the meanders of the north shore of Midway Lake, 235 chains more or less to a point due south of the point of beginning;

North 27 chains more or less to the point of beginning.

JUNCTION OF THE FORTY MILE ROAD AND ALASKA HIGHWAY

A tract of land containing 160 acres situated at the junction of the Forty Mile Road and the Alaska Highway, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the center line of the Alaska Highway 20 chains easterly from its intersection with the center line of the road to the Forty Mile area, said intersection being 200 feet west from Mile Station 1306 on the Alaska Highway, thence by metes and bounds:

Southerly, at right angles to the Alaska Highway, 20 chains;
Westerly, parallel to the Alaska Highway, 40 chains;

Northerly, crossing the Alaska Highway at right angles, 40 chains;

Easterly, parallel to the Alaska Highway and crossing the Forty Mile Road, 40 chains;
Southerly, 20 chains, to the point of beginning.

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TOK JUNCTION

A tract of land containing approximately 3840 acres situated at the junction of the Alaska Highway and the E. Ana-Tok Road and lying on both sides of said roads, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1317.76, in approximate latitude 63°21' N. and longitude 143°00' W., thence by metes and bounds:

Southwesterly, at right angles to the center line of the Alaska Highway, 100 chains;

Northwesterly, at right angles to the preceding course, 160 chains;

Northeasterly, parallel to the first course of this description, 240 chains;

Southwesterly, parallel to the second course of this description, 160 chains;

Southwesterly, parallel to the third course of this description, 80 chains to the point of beginning.

CATHEDRAL RAPIDS

A tract of land containing approximately 160 acres situated on both sides of the Alaska Highway, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1345.23, thence by metes and bounds:

Southwesterly at right angles to the center line of the Alaska Highway, 10 chains;

Southeasterly, approximately parallel to the center line of the Alaska Highway, 40 chains;

Northeasterly, crossing the center line of the Alaska Highway at right angles to the Tanana River;

Northwesterly, by the meanders of the Tanana River to a point which bears north-easterly from the point of beginning;

Southwesterly at right angles to the center line of the Alaska Highway to the point of beginning.

JOHNSON RIVER

A tract of land containing 38.66 acres lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway and south of the Johnson River, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point which bears N. 53°55' E. from Mile Station 1386, thence by metes and bounds:

S. 53°55' W., 21.22 chains;

N. 27°10' W., 21.67 chains to the Johnson River;

Thence by meanders of south bank of the Johnson River northeasterly approximately 25 chains to a point which bears N. 35°54' W. from point of beginning;

S. 35°54' E., 15.06 chains to the point of beginning.

ROBERTSON RIVER

A tract of land containing approximately 640 acres situated near the confluence of the Tanana and Robertson Rivers, lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1351.1, in approximate latitude 63°29' N., and longitude 143°52' W., thence by metes and bounds:

West 40 chains;

North 80 chains;

East 87 chains more or less to the west bank of the Tanana River;

Southerly, with the meanders of the west bank of the Tanana River, 91 chains more or less to a point due east of the point of beginning;

West 24 chains more or less to the point of beginning.

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BERRY CREEK

A tract of land containing 480 acres lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway at the crossing of Berry Creek, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1377.3, in approximate latitude 63°42' N., and longitude 144°17' W., thence by metes and bounds:

North 40 chains;

East 60 chains;

South 50 chains;

West 60 chains;

North 40 chains to the point of beginning.

MILE 1387

A tract of land containing approximately 635 acres lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway and bordering on the west bank of Tanana River near the confluence of Johnson River, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1387.25 in approximate latitude 63°44' N., and longitude 144°40' W., thence by metes and bounds:

S. 23° W., 25 chains;

N. 57° W., 80 chains;

N. 33° E., 100 chains more or less to the west bank of the Tanana River;

Southeasterly, with the meanders of the west bank of Tanana River, 83 chains more or less;

S. 23° W., 50 chains more or less to the point of beginning.

QUEENA VISTA

A tract of land containing approximately 10 acres on the Alaska Highway, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly right-of-way line of the Alaska Highway, approximately at Mile Station 1389.8, in approximate latitude 63°44' N., and longitude 144°40' W., thence by metes and bounds:

Easterly and northerly along the right-of-way line of the Alaska Highway (165 feet from the center line thereof), 13.50 chains;

N. 50° W., 9.75 chains;

S. 2°30' W., 11.60 chains to the point of beginning.

SUFFALO CENTER

A tract of land containing approximately 6440 acres at the junction of the Alaska Highway and the Richardson Highway, on the east bank of Delta River, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1427, approximately in latitude 64°1' N., and longitude 145°41' W., thence by metes and bounds:

South 80 chains;

West 186 chains, more or less, crossing Jarvis Creek and Richardson Highway to the east bank of Delta River;

Northerly, with the meanders of the east bank of Delta River 334 chains, more or less, to a point on the bank of said river which is 240 chains in northing from the point of beginning of this description;

East 180 chains, more or less, crossing Richardson Highway to a point due north of the point of beginning of this description;

South 240 chains to the point of beginning.

CLEARWATER CREEK

A tract of land containing 200 acres lying on both sides of the Siana-Tok Road at the crossing of Clearwater Creek, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Siana-Tok Road at Mile Station 1444, approximately in latitude 63°10' N., and longitude 142°11' W., thence by metes and bounds:

West 10 chains;

North 80 chains;

East 60 chains;

South 80 chains;

West 80 chains to the point of beginning.

MINERAL LAKES 714

An area of approximately 600 on both sides of the Siana-Tok R. Mineral Lakes, more particularly follows:

Beginning at a point in the center of the Siana-Tok Road at Mile 8 approximately in latitude 62° longitude 143° 25' W., thence by metes and bounds:

- North 75 chains;
- East 60 chains;
- South 100 chains; the Siana-Tok Road and Mineral Lake;
- West 60 chains;
- North 25 chains to the point of beginning.

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COBB LAKES

A tract of land containing 480 acres lying on both sides of the Gulkana-Siana Road, north of Cobb Lakes, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of Gulkana-Siana Road at Mile Station 59.78 from the Richardson Highway, approximately in latitude 62° 40' N., and longitude 144° 5' W., thence by metes and bounds:

- South 60 chains;
- West 80 chains;
- North 60 chains;
- East 80 chains;
- South 90 chains to the point of beginning.

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MILE TWENTY-FIVE

A tract of land containing 800 acres lying on both sides of the Gulkana-Siana Road, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of Gulkana-Siana Road at Mile Station 25 from the Richardson Highway, approximately in latitude 62° 28' N., and longitude 144° 56' W., thence by metes and bounds:

- North 30 chains;
- East 60 chains;
- West 60 chains;
- North 30 chains to the point of beginning.

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GULKANA JUNCTION

A tract of land containing 190 acres lying on both sides of the Richardson Highway, approximately one-half mile north of the Gulkana River, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of the Richardson Highway 20 chains south of its intersection with the center line of the Gulkana-Siana-Tok Road, thence by metes and bounds:

- East 20 chains;
- North 40 chains;
- West 40 chains; the Richardson Highway;
- South 40 chains;
- East 20 chains to the point of beginning.

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NORTHWAY

A tract of land lying on the south side of the Tanana River, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on left bank of Tanana River opposite the mouth of Gardiner Creek, approximate latitude 62° 50' N., approximate longitude 141° 23' W., U. S. G. S. map, Topographic Reconnaissance Map Upper Tanana Valley 1922:

- Thence S 45° W., 10 miles;
- Thence N. 85° W., approximately 22 miles, crossing Nabesna River to east bank of the Katulna River;
- Thence northwesterly following east bank of Katulna to the south bank of the Tanana River;
- Thence southeasterly upstream, following left bank of Tanana River to the place of beginning;

containing an estimated area of 828 sq. mi. (268,800 acres)

A tract of land lying on the north side of Tanana River, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on right bank of Tanana River, approximate latitude 63° 23' 40" N., longitude 143° 40' W., U. S. G. S. map, Topographic Reconnaissance Map Upper Tanana Valley 1922, and about 10 miles by air-line from Tanacross Indian Village thence northwesterly, approximately 2 miles to the summit of the divide between the streams flowing westerly into the Tanana River and streams flowing northerly and easterly into Lake Mansfield drainage basin:

Thence northerly along said divide to the watershed between the tributaries of George Creek and the streams flowing into Lake Mansfield drainage.

Thence northwesterly along that divide to the watershed between Wolf Creek and the streams flowing into Lake Mansfield drainage.

Thence along the divide, between streams flowing into the Yukon River drainage and the Tanana River drainage, to the watershed between the west of Porcupine Creek.

Thence southwesterly along said watershed to the right bank of the Tanana River, approximate latitude 61° 24' N., longitude 142° 56' W.

Thence following the right bank of Tanana River westerly, down-stream, to the place of beginning.

This area includes the drainage basin on the north side of the Tanana River between the initial point and the western boundary of the Porcupine Creek Valley.

This order shall not otherwise become effective to change the status of the surveyed or unsurveyed public lands which are not controlled withdrawn by this order until 10:00 p.m. on October 2, 1947.

At that time, subject to valid existing rights (including the rights of the United States to any lands containing improvements owned by it, and the rights of natives based on occupancy), and the provisions of then existing withdrawals, the unsurveyed lands shall become subject to settlement and other forms of appropriation in accordance with the appropriate laws and regulations, and the surveyed lands shall become subject to application, petition, location, or selection as follows:

(a) *Ninety-day period for preference-right filings.* For a period of 90 days from October 2, 1947, to December 31, 1947, inclusive, the surveyed public lands affected by this order shall be subject to (1) application under the homestead laws or the small tract act of June 1, 1938 (52 Stat. 600, 42 U. S. C. sec. 682a), as amended, by qualified veterans of World War II, for whose service recognition is granted by the act of September 27, 1944 (58 Stat. 747, 43 U. S. C. sec. 279-283), subject to the requirements of applicable law, and (2) application under any applicable public-land law, based on prior existing valid settlement rights and preference rights conferred by existing laws or equitable claims subject to allowance and confirmation. Application by such veterans shall be subject to claims of the classes described in subdivision (2).

(b) *Twenty-day advance period for simultaneous preference-right filings.* For a period of 20 days from September 12, 1947, to October 1, 1947, inclusive, such veterans and persons claiming preference rights superior to those of such veterans, may present their applications, and all such applications, together with those presented at 10:00 a. m. on October 2, 1947 shall be treated as simultaneously filed.

(c) *Date for non-preference right filings authorized by the public-land laws.* Commencing at 10:00 a. m. on January 2, 1948, any of the surveyed lands remaining unappropriated shall become subject to such application, petition, location, or selection by the public generally as may be authorized by the public-land laws.

(d) *Twenty-day advance period for simultaneous non-preference right filings.* Applications by the general public may be presented during the 20-day period from December 12, 1947, to December 31, 1947, inclusive, and all such applications, together with those presented at 10:00 a. m. on January 2, 1948, shall be treated as simultaneously filed.

Veterans shall accompany their applications with certified copies of their certificates of discharge, or other satisfactory evidence of their military or naval service. Persons asserting preference rights, through settlement or otherwise, and those having equitable claims, shall accompany their applications by duly corroborated affidavits in support thereof, setting forth in detail all facts relevant to their claims.

Applications for these lands, which shall be filed in the proper district land office (at Fairbanks or Anchorage, Alaska), shall be noted upon in accordance

with the regulations contained in § 286.8 of Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations (Circular No. 324, May 22, 1914, 43 L. D. 254). Applications under the homestead laws shall be governed by the regulations contained in Parts 65 and 66 of Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations and applications under the small tract act of June 1, 1938, shall be governed by the regulations contained in Part 257 of that title.

Inquiries concerning these lands shall be addressed to the district land office at Fairbanks, or Anchorage, Alaska.

Very little of the land restored by this order has been surveyed. The major part of the area is of a character unsuitable for agricultural purposes.

WILLIAM E. WARNE,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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WITHDRAWING PUBLIC LAND FOR CLASSIFICATION AND SURVEY, AND PARTIALLY REVOKING PUBLIC LAND ORDER 386 OF JULY 31, 1947

By virtue of the authority vested in the President and pursuant to Executive Order No. 9337 of April 24, 1943, it is ordered as follows:

Subject to valid existing rights including the rights of natives based on occupancy, and the provisions of existing withdrawals, the tract of land described below by metes and bounds is hereby withdrawn from all forms of appropriation under the public-land laws, including the mining and the mineral-leasing laws, for classification and survey.

LAKEVIEW

A tract of land containing approximately 270 acres lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1258, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning in the center line of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1258, in approximate latitude, 62°57'23" N., longitude 141°30' W., thence by metes and bounds:

- N. 68° E., 22 chains;
- S. 22° E., 80 chains;
- S. 68° W., 48 chains more or less to the east shore of a lake;
- Northerly with the meanders of the lake shore, 91 chains more or less;
- N. 68° E., 18 chains more or less to the point of beginning.

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Public Land Order No. 386 of July 31, 1947, as amended, is hereby revoked as to the tract at Lakeview withdrawn by that order for classification and survey, part of which is included in the above description.

This order shall become effective at 10:00 a. m. on April 12, 1949.

At that time the unreserved, unappropriated, unsurveyed public lands restored by this order, amounting to approximately 180 acres, shall be opened to settlement under the homestead and homestead laws only, and to that form of appropriation only by qualified veterans of World War II for whose service recognition is granted by the act of September 27, 1944, 58 Stat. 747, as amended by the act of May 31, 1947, 61 Stat. 123, and Public Law 596, 80th Congress (43 U. S. C. sec. 279 et seq.) and by other qualified persons entitled to credit for service under the said act. Commencing at 10:00 a. m. on July 11, 1949, any of such lands not settled upon by veterans and other persons entitled to credit for service shall become subject to settlement and other forms of appropriation by the public generally in accordance with the appropriate laws and regulations.

The land is rolling to rough in character. The cover consists mainly of aspen, spruce, and birch, none of which is valuable for commercial use.

C. GIRARD DAVIDSON,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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both sides of the Alaska Highway west of the Johnson River in the vicinity of Mile Station 1380.

g. Robertson River

A tract of land containing approximately 540 acres described by metes and bounds, situated near the confluence of the Tanana and Robertson Rivers, and lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1351.1.

h. Berry Creek

A tract of land containing 480 acres described by metes and bounds and lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway at the crossing of Berry Creek at Mile Station 1377.8.

i. Mile 1387

A tract of land containing approximately 685 acres described by metes and bounds, lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1387.25 and bordering on the west bank of the Tanana River near the confluence of Johnson River.

j. Duena Vista

A tract of land containing approximately 10 acres on the Alaska Highway at approximately Mile Station 1389.6, and described by metes and bounds.

k. Clearwater Creek

A tract of land containing 480 acres lying on both sides of the Siana-Tok Road at Mile Station 56.6 at the crossing of Clearwater Creek, and described by metes and bounds.

l. Mineral Lakes

An area of approximately 600 acres lying on both sides of the Siana-Tok Road on Mineral Lakes, described by metes and bounds, and located at Mile Station 37.2.

m. Junction of the Forty Mile Road and Alaska Highway

A tract of land containing 160 acres situated at the junction of the Forty Mile Road and the Alaska Highway, about 200 feet west from Mile Station 1300 on the Alaska Highway. The land is reserved by Executive Order No. 6365 of June 10, 1930.

n. [Anchorage 063280] Cobb Lakes

A tract described by metes and bounds containing 480 acres and lying on both sides of the Gulkana-Siana Road at Mile Station 59.75 from the Richardson Highway.

o. Mile Twenty-Five

A tract described by metes and bounds containing 300 acres and lying on both sides of the Gulkana-Siana Road at Mile Station 25 from the Richardson Highway.

p. Gulkana Junction

A tract described by metes and bounds containing 160 acres, and lying on both sides of the Richardson Highway near its junction with the Gulkana-Siana Tok Road, about one-half mile north of the Gulkana River.

2. Public Land Order No. 386 so far as it reserved a tract of land described by metes and bounds containing 3.45 acres located on the north side of the Alaska Highway at approximately Mile Station 1344.6, under jurisdiction of the Secretary of War is hereby revoked. The land has been deeded by the Department of the Army.

3. Public Land Order No. 555 of February 8, 1949, so far as it reserved for classification and survey a tract of land at Lakeview containing approximately 270 acres, described by metes and bounds and lying on both sides of the Alaska

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Partly Revoking Public Land Orders No. 386 of July 31, 1947, and No. 555 of February 8, 1949

By virtue of the authority vested in the President and pursuant to Executive Order No. 10355 of May 28, 1952, it is ordered as follows:

1. Public Land Order No. 386 of July 31, 1947, so far as it withdrew the following-described lands for classification and survey, is hereby revoked:

[Fairbanks 024730]

a. Gardiner Creek

A tract of land containing 480 acres described by metes and bounds, lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway at the crossing of Gardiner Creek at Mile Station 1247.

b. Junction of Northway Access Road and Alaska Highway

A tract of land containing 160 acres described by metes and bounds, located at the junction of Northway Road and the Alaska Highway, near Mile Station 1265.

c. Little Beaver Creek

A tract of land containing approximately 40 acres described by metes and bounds, lying on the south side of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1269.

d. Midway Lake

A tract of land containing approximately 1,070 acres described by metes and bounds, lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1293.4 and bordering on the north shore of Midway Lake.

e. Cathedral Rapids

A tract of land containing approximately 160 acres situated on both sides of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1245.25 and described by metes and bounds.

f. Johnson River

A tract of land containing 36.66 acres described by metes and bounds and lying on

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Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1258, is hereby revoked.

4. The lands released by this order total in the aggregate approximately 6,115 acres. Some of the land has been disposed of, and other land has been reserved for public purposes. The greater portion, however, is public domain.

5. Until 10:00 a.m. on November 9, 1961, the State of Alaska shall have a preferred right to select the public lands in accordance with and subject to the limitations and requirements of the Act of July 28, 1956 (70 Stat. 709; 48 U.S.C. 46-3b), section 6(g) of the Alaska Statehood Act of July 7, 1958 (72 Stat. 339), and the regulations in 43 CFR 76.1-76.18. Thereafter, the lands will not be subject to disposition under the public land laws unless and until it is so provided by order of an authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management.

JOHN A. CARVER, Jr.,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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both sides of the Alaska Highway, south of the Johnson River in the vicinity of Mile Station 1380

g. Robertson River

A tract of land containing approximately 540 acres described by metes and bounds, situated near the confluence of the Tanana and Robertson Rivers, and lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1351.1.

h. Berry Creek

A tract of land containing 480 acres described by metes and bounds and lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway at the crossing of Berry Creek at Mile Station 1377.8.

i. Mile 1387

A tract of land containing approximately 635 acres described by metes and bounds, lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1387.25 and bordering on the west bank of the Tanana River near the confluence of Johnson River.

j. Buena Vista

A tract of land containing approximately 10 acres on the Alaska Highway at approximately Mile Station 1369.6, and described by metes and bounds.

k. Clearwater Creek

A tract of land containing 480 acres lying on both sides of the Siama-Tok Road at Mile Station 56.6 at the crossing of Clearwater Creek and described by metes and bounds.

l. Mineral Lakes

An area of approximately 600 acres lying on both sides of the Siama-Tok Road on Mineral Lakes, described by metes and bounds, and located at Mile Station 37.2.

m. Junction of the Forty Mile Road and Alaska Highway

A tract of land containing 160 acres situated at the junction of the Forty Mile Road and the Alaska Highway, about 200 feet west from Mile Station 1304 on the Alaska Highway. The land is reserved by Executive Order No. 5265 of June 10, 1933.

n. [Anchorage 053260] Cobb Lakes

A tract described by metes and bounds containing 460 acres and lying on both sides of the Gulkana-Siama Road at Mile Station 59.75 from the Richardson Highway.

o. Mile Twenty-Five

A tract described by metes and bounds containing 300 acres and lying on both sides of the Gulkana-Siama Road at Mile Station 25 from the Richardson Highway.

p. Gulkana Junction

A tract described by metes and bounds containing 160 acres, and lying on both sides of the Richardson Highway near its junction with the Gulkana-Siama Tok Road, about one-half mile north of the Gulkana River.

2. Public Land Order No. 386 so far as it reserved a tract of land described by metes and bounds containing 3.45 acres located on the north side of the Alaska Highway at approximately Mile Station 1344.6, under jurisdiction of the Secretary of War is hereby revoked. The land has been deeded by the Department of the Army.

3. Public Land Order No. 555 of February 8, 1949, so far as it reserved for classification and survey a tract of land at Lakeview containing approximately 270 acres, described by metes and bounds

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By virtue of the authority vested in the President and pursuant to Executive Order No. 10355 of May 26, 1952, it is ordered as follows:

1. Public Land Order No. 386 of July 31, 1947, so far as it withdrew the following-described lands for classification and survey, is hereby revoked:

[Fairbanks 024730]

a. Gardiner Creek

A tract of land containing 630 acres described by metes and bounds, lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway at the crossing of Gardiner Creek at Mile Station 1247.

b. Junction of Northway Access Road and Alaska Highway

A tract of land containing 160 acres described by metes and bounds, located at the junction of Northway Road and the Alaska Highway, near Mile Station 1265.

c. Little Beaver Creek

A tract of land containing approximately 40 acres described by metes and bounds, lying on the south side of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1269.

d. Midway Lake

A tract of land containing approximately 1,070 acres described by metes and bounds, lying on both sides of the Alaska Highway at Mile Station 1293.4 and bordering on the north shore of Midway Lake.

e. Cathedral Rapids

A tract of land containing approximately 160 acres situated on both sides of the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1245.25 and described by metes and bounds.

f. Johnson River

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Highway in the vicinity of Mile Station 1258, is hereby revoked.

4. The lands released by this order total in the aggregate approximately 6,115 acres. Some of the land has been disposed of, and other land has been reserved for public purposes. The greater portion, however, is public domain.

5. Until 10:00 a.m. on November 9, 1961, the State of Alaska shall have a preferred right to select the public lands in accordance with and subject to the limitations and requirements of the Act of July 28, 1956 (70 Stat. 709; 48 U.S.C. 46-3b), section 6(g) of the Alaska Statehood Act of July 7, 1958 (72 Stat. 339), and the regulations in 43 CFR 76.1-76.18. Thereafter, the lands will not be subject to disposition under the public land laws unless and until it is so provided by order of an authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management.

JOHN A. CARVER, Jr.,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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