ADDITIONS TO COMPREHENSIVE PLAN 2/10/12

7.1.3 LYNN CANAL ROAD

SPECIFY EAST WHEN REFERRING TO THE EAST LYNN CANAL ROAD (TWO PLACES)

RECENT PLANNING HAS DEFINED AN IMPROVED WEST LYNN CANAL ROAD; STARTING WITH A SHUTTLE FERRY CROSSING FROM BERNERS BAY TO WILLIAM HENRY BAY THEN NORTH INTERSECTING THE HAINES HIGHWAY NORTH OF THE HAINES AIRPORT. TURNING LEFT FOR ANCHORAGE OR FAIRBANKS, TURNING RIGHT TO LUTAK ROAD AND THE HAINES FERRY DOCK. A CONNECTING SHUTTLE FERRY WOULD PROVIDE SERVICE TO SKAGWAY AND THE KLONDIKE HIGHWAY. THIS ROUTE WOULD BE LESS COSTLY, AND SAFER, WITH INSIGNIFICANT VISUAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT, COMPARED TO THE EAST LYNN CANAL ROAD.

FUTURE PLANNING COULD COMPARE THE SKAGWAY SHUTTLE FERRY COST WITH A ROAD CONNECTION TO SKAGWAY OVER A 30 YEAR FERRY LIFE.

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