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ALASKA DISTRICT, U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS
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GENERAL PERMIT AGENCY COORDINATION (GPAC)

We are requesting your comments on the proposed project within 10 calendar days from the date of this notification. If additional time is needed to provide substantive, site-specific comments, contact us and we will wait an additional 15 calendar days before making a permit decision. Further information concerning the general permit can be found at our web site:
www.poa.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory.

Comments on the proposal may be emailed to: Delana.P.Wilks@usace.army.mil, mailed to the address above, or you may call us at (907) 790-4494.

RELEASER'S SIGNATURE:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Delana Wilks", written over a horizontal line.

Delana Wilks
Regulatory Specialist

Corps of Engineers Identification: POA-2020-00353, Letnikof Cove, Haines Packing Company, LLC

General Permit: NWP 39 Commercial and Institutional Developments

Date of GPAC: August 5, 2020

Comment Period Closing Date: August 15, 2020

Project Location: The project site is located within Section 24, T. 31 S., R. 59 E., Copper River Meridian; USGS Quad Map Skagway A-2; Latitude 59.173° N., Longitude -135.393° W.; Haines Borough, in Haines, Alaska.

Project Description: To construct a ramp which would connect the Haines Packing Company float to the northwest end of Cannery Lane. Specifically the work would consist of:

- Twelve concrete Eco blocks arranged in two levels with approximately five dump loads of local fill leading up to it. On either side, rock from the beach would be used to reinforce the construction. A total of 7.11 cubic yards (CY) of discharge (1.8 CY of gravel/rock and 5.3 CY of Eco Block) would be placed below the High Tide Line.
- A 55 feet x 8 feet steel ramp would attach the ramp base to the float. The ramp base would extend approximately six feet below the mean high water line.

All work would be performed in accordance with the attached project plans, sheets 1 – 8, dated 7/23/2020.

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The latest published version of the Alaska Heritage Resources Survey (AHRs) has been consulted for the presence or absence of historic properties, including those listed in or eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places. There are cultural resources within the vicinity of the permit area (SKG_00053). Consultation of the AHRs constitutes the extent of cultural resource investigations by the Corps of Engineers (Corps) at this time. The Corps has made a No Adverse Effect determination for the proposed project. This application is being coordinated with State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO). Any comments SHPO may have concerning presently unknown archeological or historic data that may be lost or destroyed by work under the requested permit will be considered in our final assessment of the described work.

The Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, as amended by the Sustainable Fisheries Act of 1996, requires all Federal agencies to consult with the NMFS on all actions, or proposed actions, permitted, funded, or undertaken by the agency, that may adversely affect Essential Fish Habitat (EFH).

The project area is within the known range of the Coho salmon (*Oncorhynchus kisutch*).

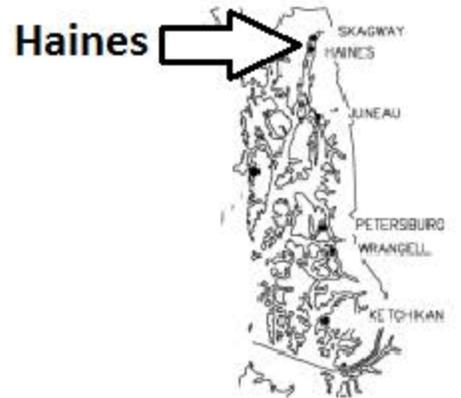
We have determined the described activity would not adversely affect EFH in the project area as no pile driving or habitat loss would occur.

The following threatened/endangered species, Stellar Sea Lion (*Eumatopia jubatus*) (Western DPS), is known to be in the vicinity of the project area. The ESA action area has been determined to be the footprint of the proposed work within waters of the United States. We have determined the described activity would have no effect on any listed or proposed threatened or endangered species, and would have no effect on any designated or proposed critical habitat, under the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (87 Stat. 844) as the proposed work would not involve any pile driving or any habitat loss. Therefore, no consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service or the National Marine Fisheries Service is required. However, any comments they may have concerning endangered or threatened wildlife or plants or their critical habitat will be considered in our final assessment of the described work.

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APPLICANT: HAINES PACKING COMPANY
FILE NUMBER: POA-2020-00353
WATERWAY: LETNICOV COVE, HAINES AK
PURPOSED ACTIVITY: NEW RAMP
LOCATION: -135.393, 59.177



LOCATION MAP



SOUTHEAST ALASKA

Chilkat Inlet

Letnicof Cove

Mud Bay Rd

Project Location

Haines Packing Company

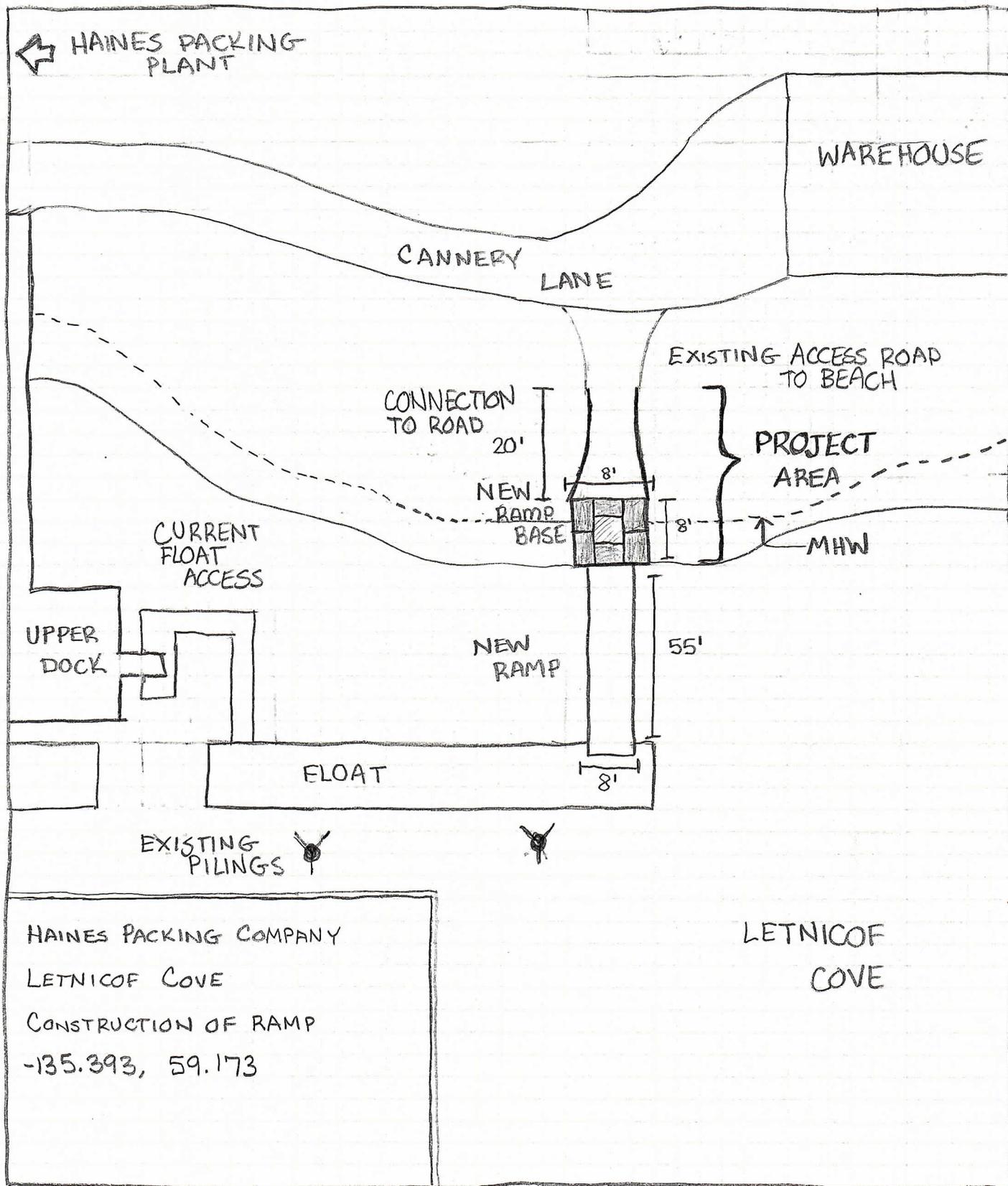
Cannery Lane

400ft

-135.383 59.177 Degrees



HAINES PACKING COMPANY RAMP













Float

New Ramp

Ramp Base

Connection to Road

Access Road

Cannery Ln

RAMP BASE: 12 4' x 2' x 2' ft Eco blocks
64 ft³ of gravel/rock fill in the center
75% of ramp base will extend below mean high tide

