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File Code: 1950

Date: November 8, 2004

Dear Interested Citizen

The Seward Ranger District of the Chugach National Forest has issued a **Record of Decision** (ROD) for the Resurrection Creek Stream Channel and Riparian Restoration Project. The ROD authorizes restoration of approximately 0.9 miles of Resurrection Creek's channel, floodplain, and streamside vegetation to pre-mining conditions. The project will enhance fish and riparian wildlife habitat on public lands. Based on the analysis and evaluation in the **Final Environmental Impact Statement** (FEIS) it is my decision to select Alternative 2 (Modified). The Selected Alternative will allow restoration activities to take place on the Haun Trust Lands for about 300 feet, as identified in an agreement with the landowner.

This decision is subject to administrative review (appeal) pursuant to 36 CFR Part 215. Individuals or organizations that submitted substantive comments during the comment period specified at 215.6 may appeal this decision. The notice of appeal must be in writing, meet the appeal content requirements at 215.14 and be filed with the Appeal Deciding Officer:

Regional Forester, Alaska Region  
USDA Forest Service  
P.O. Box 21628  
Juneau, AK 99802-1628

E-mail: [appeals-alaska-regional-office@fs.fed.us](mailto:appeals-alaska-regional-office@fs.fed.us)  
FAX: 907-586-7840

The Notice of Appeal, including attachments, must be filed (regular mail, fax, e-mail, express delivery, or messenger service) with the Appeal Deciding Officer at the correct location within 45 calendar days of publication of this legal notice of this decision. Hand delivered appeals will be accepted at the Alaska Regional Office during normal business hours (8:00 am through 4:30 pm) Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. The publication date in the newspaper of record (Anchorage Daily News) is the exclusive means for calculating the time to file an appeal. Those wishing to appeal this decision should not rely upon dates or timeframe information provided by any other source. Appeals submitted electronically, including attachments, must be in an electronic format compatible with Microsoft Word.

The Final Environmental Impact Statement and Record of Decision can be viewed and downloaded at the following Internet site:

[http://www.fs.fed.us/r10/chugach/news\\_releases/res\\_creek\\_rest.html](http://www.fs.fed.us/r10/chugach/news_releases/res_creek_rest.html)

As the District Ranger for the Seward Ranger District, Chugach National Forest, I am the responsible official for this Environmental Impact Statement. I can be reached at: 907-224-3374.



If you have questions on the FEIS or the ROD for this project, please contact

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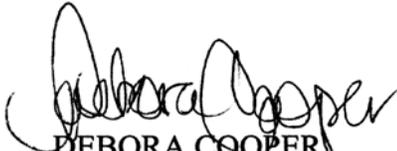
Phone: (907)-743-9358.

Printed copies of the EIS and ROD can be obtained at the following offices:

Seward Ranger District  
334 Fourth Ave.  
PO Box 390  
Seward, Alaska 99664-0390  
Phone: 907-224-3374

Chugach National Forest Supervisors Office  
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Sincerely,



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