



Below is a brief update on Denali Commission projects in threatened communities as requested at the IAW meeting on August 27, 2008.

Kivalina

- Preliminary discussions about designing a modular, re-locatable clinic are ongoing with Denali Commission and Maniilaq but no funding has been awarded
- Threatened Alaska Village Electric Cooperative bulk fuel tanks were moved last year. This was not funded by the Denali Commission but AVEC is a partner of the Commission
- Denali Commission funded a preliminary engineering of a public road operated by a public organization. The project is to investigate the feasibility and location of an evacuation road. Community meeting scheduled for September 18-19 in Kivalina with Mike McKinnon representing the Denali Commission transportation program.

Shaktoolik

- Denali Commission provided funding to Kawerak to perform design engineering on an evacuation road. Kawerak is working on the report now.
- Denali Commission is working on building a clinic. Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium is developing a budget for consideration which would redesign the existing stick built design to modular.

Shishmaref

- Work on existing clinic upgrades underway. New clinic design is being fast tracked. Business Plan and Conceptual Plans for a modular clinic are underway.
- Denali Commission is working with Alaska Village Electric Cooperative and community to assess further bulk fuel needs.

Unalakleet

- Sub-regional Clinic and Bulk Fuel Storage already built with Commission funding

Koyukuk

- Bulk Fuel Storage already built with Commission funding
No plans underway for new clinic space