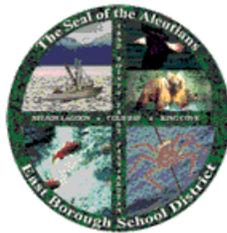
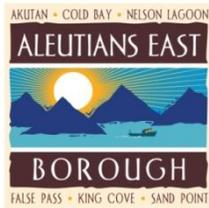


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Land Use Permitting Comments Due October 18, 2013

Nearly a year ago, the Aleutians East Borough launched the three-year process to develop a Resource Development Land Use Permitting System, with the help of grant funds from the Coastal Impact Assistance Program. The goal of the project is to develop responsible resource use or extraction opportunities that will create local jobs and revenue while protecting community values and the environment. Harvey Consulting, LLC and Solstice Alaska, Inc. are assisting the Borough with this project.

The Planning Commission held workshops on October 10 and 14, 2013 to discuss proposed code revisions and the fee and penalty schedule. They also discussed the permits for commercial recreation, research, sand, gravel and rock, mineral and coal exploration; mineral and coal mining and oil and gas. These meetings were very helpful and informative.

The Borough welcomes the public to provide any additional proposed revisions and comments to be submitted by October 18, 2013. Please send general comments to our consultant, Susan Harvey.

AEB staff and consultants will review all the input received in writing, by phone, and at the workshop and will prepare a revised set of documents for Planning Commission review at the Planning Commission's November 2013 Meeting.

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**COMMENTS ARE DUE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER
18th!**

For more information on the permitting package, visit the link below:

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