False Pass
Vision Navigation Strategic Planning Presentation
Introduction

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- False Pass
Top Assets of False Pass

• Transportation and marine assets (infrastructure)
• Landfill and gravel (construction resources)
• Renewable energy potential
• Strong financial position
• Community strengths (culture, family friendly)
• Political influence
• Public safety
• Community infrastructure (buildings, water supply, store with large storage capability)
• Opportunity for tourism
Current News

Recent Acquisition of the Bering Pacific Seafoods by Trident Seafoods.

- Addition of 100-150 person bunkhouse
- Year round production
- 100-200 freezer van storage
- Increase in barges and freighters
- Increase in fish tax
Top Threats to False Pass

• Natural disasters
• Fishing regulations
• Alcohol and drug abuse
• Challenged logistics and connectivity
• Increasing cost of living and lack of housing
• Decreasing population and school enrollment
• Brain Drain
• Aging infrastructure (deferred maintenance)
• Access to advanced healthcare
Priority Goals

Strategic Initiative Led by False Pass:
• Keeping the School Open

Strategic Initiatives with Borough Support:
• Improve Transportation Logistics
• Update Infrastructure

Housing/Population/Employment are interconnected
Keeping the School Open

• Identify local entity to champion additional local housing
• Identify potential sweat equity programs available
• Educate on the benefits of living at False Pass
• Identify available needed housing for open positions
• Ask local entities to create more positions locally
• Work with a headhunter and the Department of Labor to find qualified candidates for open positions
• Work with the regional entities to provide headquarters within the region

NOTE: This is led by False Pass
Improve Transportation Logistics

- Maintain existing facilities
- Continue working with tribe to provide funds for transportation improvements
- Work with the regional entities to provide headquarters within the region
- Research the potential of an inter-island ferry throughout the Borough
Update Infrastructure

- Continue pursuing renewable energy opportunities
- Maintain marine infrastructure to accommodate the AMHS Ferry Reform project
- Continue pursuing wastewater project with ANTHC
- Pursue funding for a harbor house
- Increase water treatment capacity to accommodate Trident
Questions?