

ADMIRALTY ISLAND NATIONAL MONUMENT

Tongass National Forest

I hereby certify that the legal description and maps herewith represent the location of the boundary of the Admiralty Island National Monument on the Tongass National Forest as designated a National Monument by the Act of December 2, 1980, (P.L. 96-487).

Signed

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The exterior boundary of the Admiralty Island National Monument, Tongass National Forest, Alaska Region, July 25, 1986, as designated a National Monument by the Act of December 2, 1980, (P.L. 96-487) in the State of Alaska:

Beginning on the shore of the northwest side of Admiralty Island at Pt. Young, Vertical Angle Bench Mark (VABM) 20; thence, southeasterly along the hydrographic divide between Admiralty Creek and Stevens Passage to an unnamed peak, elevation 1893 in the northwest one-quarter of Section 8, T.43S., R.67E., Copper River Meridian (CRM); thence, southeasterly along said hydrographic divide, passing southwest of a series of small ponds, elevation 2217, through an unnamed peak, elevation 2432, to an unnamed peak, elevation 2754, in the northwest one-quarter of Section 16 of said Township; thence, southeasterly along said hydrographic divide through an unnamed peak, elevation 3390, to an unnamed peak, elevation 3592, near the center of Section 22 of said Township; thence, southeasterly along said hydrographic divide through an unnamed peak, elevation 2985, to an unnamed peak of unspecified elevation in the northwest one-quarter of Section 26 of said Township; thence, southwesterly along the hydrographic divide between Admiralty Creek and King Salmon River to an unnamed peak, elevation 2017, in the east one-half of Section 33 of said Township; thence, westerly along said hydrographic divide to an unnamed peak, elevation 4210, in the south one-half of Section 31 of said Township; thence, northwesterly along said hydrographic divide to an unnamed peak, elevation 3939, in the west one-half of said Section 31; thence, westerly along said hydrographic divide to an unnamed peak of unspecified elevation in the east one-half of Section 36, T.43S., R.66E., CRM; thence, leaving the common boundary with Admiralty Island National Monument Wilderness; thence, northwesterly along the hydrographic divide between an unnamed tributary of Admiralty Creek and Greens Creek to the ridge south of Eagle Peak at the 4,000-foot elevation level in the south one-half of Section 25, T.43S., R.66E., CRM; thence, southwesterly along the hydrographic divide between an unnamed tributary of Admiralty Creek and Greens Creek through an unnamed peak, elevation 3610, in the northeast one-quarter of Section 35 of said Township and an unnamed peak, elevation 3820, also in the northeast one-quarter of said Section and Township, to an unnamed peak, elevation 3120, in the northwest one-quarter of said Section and Township; thence, westerly along said hydrographic divide and onto the hydrographic divide between an unnamed drainage of Young Bay and Greens Creek to an unnamed peak, elevation 3830, in the northwest one-quarter of Section 34 of said Township; thence northwesterly along said hydrographic divide to an unnamed peak, elevation 3750, in the northeast one-quarter of Section 33 of said Township; thence, southwesterly along the hydrographic divide between an unnamed drainage of Young Bay and Greens Creek to an unnamed peak, elevation 3355, in the northwest one-quarter of said Section and Township; thence, northwesterly and southwesterly along said hydrographic divide, to an unnamed peak, elevation 3150, in the northeast one-quarter of Section 32 of said Township; thence, northwesterly along said hydrographic divide and onto the hydrographic divide between an unnamed drainage of Young Bay and an unnamed drainage of Hawk Inlet (terminating north of Greens Creek) along said divide through the southwest

corner of Section 29 of said Township; thence, northwesterly along the hydrographic divide between an unnamed tributary of Young Bay and an unnamed drainage of Hawk Inlet (terminating north of Greens Creek), to the north shore of a small lake in the southeast one-quarter of Section 30 of said Township, thence, westerly and northwesterly along the hydrographic divide between an unnamed tributary of Fowler Creek and an unnamed drainage of Hawk Inlet (terminating north of Greens Creek), to an unnamed knob, elevation 1907, in the southeast one-quarter of Section 25, T.43S., R.65E., CRM; thence, northwesterly along said hydrographic divide, passing along the north shore of the middle of three small lakes in the northeast one-quarter of said Section 25, to an unnamed knob of unspecified elevation in the north one-half of said Section 25; thence, southwesterly and northwesterly along the hydrographic divide between Fowler Creek and an unnamed drainage of Hawk Inlet (terminating north of Greens Creek), to a long unnamed bench of unspecified elevation in the northeast one-quarter of Section 26 of said Township; thence, westerly and southwesterly along the hydrographic divide between an unnamed drainage of Hawk Inlet (terminating at the Hawk Inlet Cannery site) and another unnamed tributary of Hawk Inlet (terminating immediately north of Greens Creek) to an unnamed bench of unspecified elevation, between Sections 26 and 27 of said Township; thence, on line, westerly to a point of land on the shore of Hawk Inlet in the northeast one-quarter of said Section 27; thence, offshore of the Admiralty Island coastline in Hawk Inlet, and of variable distance from said coastline, to include all federally-owned rocks, pinnacles, islets, and islands above mean high tide immediately offshore or specifically named as follows: from offshore of Admiralty Island, proceeding southwesterly and southeasterly, encompassing the light in the northwest one-quarter of Section 34 of said Township to a point onshore of Admiralty Island, southwest of the mouth of Greens Creek in the center of Section 34 of said Township, rejoining the common boundary with Admiralty Island National Monument Wilderness; thence, offshore of the Admiralty Island coastline and of variable distance from said coastline to include all federally-owned rocks, pinnacles, islets, and islands above mean high tide immediately offshore or specifically named as follows: from offshore of Admiralty Island, proceeding southwesterly, encompassing Piledriver Cove and Game Gove, to a point in Chatham Strait offshore and west of Point Marsden, USGS station "Bad 2"; thence, southerly to a point offshore and west of USGS station "Lines 2"; thence, southeasterly, encompassing Square Cove, to a point offshore and west of Cube Point in the Northwest one-quarter of Section 17, T.45S, R.66E., CRM; thence, southerly, encompassing Cube Cove and Point Hepburn to a point offshore and west of USGS station "Jew 2"; thence, southerly, encompassing Jims Cove, to a point offshore and west of USGS station "Tax 2"; thence, southerly, passing west of Fishery Point, to a point offshore and west of USGS station "Sad 2"; thence, southerly and southeasterly, encompassing Marble Bluffs, to a point offshore and west of USGS station "Tap 2"; thence, southerly, encompassing Marble Cove, to a point offshore and west of Parker Point, USGS station "Harp 2"; thence, southeasterly and southerly to a point offshore and west of Danger Point Reef, north of USGS station "Game"; thence, southerly, encompassing Kootznahoo Inlet, Favorite Bay, Kenasnow Rocks and Kootznahoo Roads, to a point offshore and west of Pt. Samuel, north of USGS station "Bay 2" on Killisnoo Island; thence, southerly, encompassing Killisnoo Island, Killisnoo Harbor, Table Island, and Hood Bay, to a point offshore and

west of Distant Pt., USGS station "Distant 2"; thence, southerly to a point offshore and west of USGS station "Bow," north of Village Pt.; thence, southwesterly, encompassing Chaik Bay, Russian Reef, and Whitewater Bay, to a point offshore and west of USGS station "Rocky 20"; thence, southerly, encompassing Wilson Cove, to a point offshore and west of Pt. Wilson; thence, southerly to a point offshore and west of USGS station "Wash 9"; thence, southerly to a point offshore and west of USGS station "Pt. Gardner"; thence, southerly and northeasterly offshore of the southernmost point of Admiralty Island, encompassing a small islet with a navigation light, Surprise Harbor and Murder Cove, to a point offshore and east of Carroll Island; thence, northeasterly to a point offshore and east of Point Brightman on the east coast of Admiralty Island in Frederick Sound; thence, northeasterly, encompassing Herring Bay and Chapin Bay, to a point offshore and east of Point Napean, USGS station "Pean"; thence, northeasterly, encompassing Eliza Harbor and Liesnoi Island and Woewodski Harbor, to a point offshore and east of Deep Water Pt.; thence, northeasterly, encompassing Little Pybus Bay, to a point offshore and east of Spruce Island; thence, northeasterly, encompassing Pybus Bay and the San Juan Islands, to a point offshore and south of Round Rock; thence, northeasterly, northerly, and northwesterly, encompassing the Brothers Islands, to a point offshore and east of USGS station "Pybus", south of False Pt. Pybus in Stevens Passage; thence, northerly, encompassing Gambier Bay, to a point offshore and east of Pt. Gambier on Gambier Island; thence, northerly, encompassing Seymour Canal, to a point offshore and east of Point Hugh on the southern shore of Glass Peninsula of Admiralty Island; thence, northerly to a point offshore and east of VABM 11, USGS station "Mid"; thence, northwesterly to a point offshore and east of VABM 17, USGS station "Lite"; thence, northwesterly to a point offshore and east of Midway Point, VABM 29; thence, northwesterly to a point offshore and east of Pt. Glass, VABM 12; thence, northwesterly to a point offshore and east of Twin Pt., VABM 14; thence, northwesterly to a point offshore and east of USGS station "South" on South Island; thence, northwesterly, encompassing South Island, to a point offshore and east of USGS station "Zinc"; thence, northwesterly to a point offshore and east of USGS station "Rock"; thence, northeasterly, northerly, and northwesterly, encompassing Grand Island and Doty Cove, to a point offshore and east of Cove Pt., USGS station "Cove"; thence, northerly to a point offshore and east of Arden Pt.; thence, northwesterly to a point offshore and north of False Arden; thence southwesterly to a point offshore and north of USGS station "New"; thence, westerly, encompassing Green Cove and Oliver Inlet, to a point offshore and north of USGS station "Rain"; thence, northwesterly to a point offshore and north of USGS station "Bright"; thence northwesterly to a point onshore of the north shore of Admiralty Island at Pt. Young, VABM 20, the point of beginning.

The Admiralty Island National Monument contains 955,747 acres of National Forest land. Within the exterior boundaries of the Monument, there are 32,224 acres of alienated lands which are not part of the Monument.

The above described area has been plotted and elevations obtained from the following U.S. Geological Survey maps, copies of which are enclosed hereto and made part hereof:

Juneau (A-1), Alaska, 15'  
Juneau (A-2), Alaska, 15'  
Juneau (A-3), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (A-1), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (A-2), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (B-1), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (B-2), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (C-1), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (C-2), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (C-3), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (D-1), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (D-2), Alaska, 15'  
Sitka (D-3), Alaska, 15'  
Sumdum (B-6), Alaska, 15'  
Sumdum (C-6), Alaska, 15'  
Sumdum (D-6), Alaska, 15'