Top Priorities for the 20 Tribes in the Bering Strait Region

From Local Economic Development Plans
2020-2024 Top Priorities
1. Housing
2. Water & Sewer System Upgrade
3. Community Building (Rec, IRA, S&R)
4. Tannery (Old Armory Building Repurpose)
5. Road Maintenance
6. Relocate Landfill
7. Runway Expansion
8. Holding Cell
9. Mechanic Shop
10. Internet Services
11. Carving/Sewing Shop

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Top 10 Local Economic Development Priority Projects 2016-2021

1. Transportation
2. Environmental Protection & Programs
3. Fire Safety & Protection
4. Energy Programs
5. Natural Resources
6. Elders, Youth, & Cultural Activities
7. Cemetery Renovations
8. Education, Business Training, & Economic Development
9. Community Cooperation
10. Dumpsite/Landfill Improvements

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TOP TEN PRIORITY LIST

1. Housing
2. Transportation
3. Solid Waste Program
4. New Clinic Building
5. Water and Sewer
6. Education and Training
7. Public Safety
8. Revive Traditions and Culture
9. Elder Care Program
10. VBC/Wellness Program

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Top 10 Local Economic Development Priorities

1. Housing
2. Water and Sewer
3. Rock Quarry
4. Boat Harbor
5. Protecting Language, Culture, and Subsistence
6. Timber Development
7. NSEDC OEF
8. Landfill
9. Old High School Building
10. Teen Center
Top Priority Community Development Projects
1. Housing & Renewable Energy
2. Public Safety
3. Health Care
4. Transportation
5. Waste Management
6. Multi-purpose Building
7. Education
8. Economy
9. Processing Plant
10. Cultural Center
11. Storage & Workshop Facility

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Golovin Top Priority Projects 2020-2024

Rock Quarry
Water & Sewer
Power & Utility
Post Office & ZIP Code
14(c)3
Increase Store Inventory/Quality
City Building
Youth Center
Crosswind Runway
Housing
Wellness & Safety
Climate Mitigation & ENVS Protection
Alternative Energy

Golovin LEDP 2020-2024
KING ISLAND LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN
2014-2019

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Top 10 Priority Projects

1. Community Hall
2. King Island Grant Writer
3. More Housing and Housing Improvements
4. Continue Road Project
5. Elders and Youth Services
6. Strengthen Cultural Activities
7. Encourage Technical and Trade Schools
8. General Assistance
9. Relocate Cape Wooley Camps
10. Transportation Services for Community Members

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TOP TEN PRIORITIES

1. Housing
2. Sanitation Facilities Improvement
3. New Head Start Building
4. Acquire New Heavy Equipment
5. Roads & Airport Dust Control
6. Youth & Cultural Center
7. Upgraded SAR Equipment
8. Law Enforcement – VPSO
9. Developing Natural Resources – Timber Products and Commercial Fisheries
10. Continue Developing Tribal Court

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MARY’S IGLOO
LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN

2016-2021

2016 Top Priorities

1. More housing and rental units
2. Bulk fuel improvements
3. Heavy equipment and storage
4. Alternative sanitation solutions for Teller
5. Climate change coalition and subsistence advocacy
6. Improve public safety
7. Build a community hall
8. Local job training and local job database
9. Alternative energy development projects
10. Re-establish the Tribe at Mary’s Igloo seasonally

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Nome Native Community Strategic Development Plan 2004-2009

Top 10 Overall Community Development Projects

1. Build and construct a cultural center for art, history, language, performances, and tourism
2. Establish a Nome Native public safety system to ensure the protection of our residents
3. Assisted living Elder quarters – “traditional”
4. Form a parenting organization that is culturally relevant to the region
5. Establish a youth residential treatment center in Nome for the region
6. Shoreline erosion prevention projects at Nuuk, Fort Davis and Nome Seawall
7. Tribes and Native organizations work with the schools to integrate culture in education
8. Support the Bering Strait Inuit Cooperative to broader market art
9. Job/vocational training
10. Expand our hub transportation system for more economic development with regional villages

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SAVOONGA LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2018-2022

**TOP PRIORITY PROJECTS**

1. Evacuation Road & Shelter
2. Housing
3. New Landfill
4. Meat Processing Plant
5. Tribal Police
6. Multipurpose Building
   (Youth/elder/community center)
7. Airport Relocation
8. Bypass Mail Storage Facility (?)
9. Museum/Tourism Center

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2013-2018

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Top Priority Projects

1. Emergency Road
2. Bulk Fuel Storage Facility/Power Plant
3. New Water Storage Tank
4. Multi-purpose Facility
5. Heavy Equipment Garage
6. Dust Control & Snow Fencing
7. New Clinic
8. Shaktoolik Boat Harbor
9. Fish-processing Plant/Buying Station
10. Early Childhood Education (ECE)
SHISHMAREF LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2018-2022

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TOP PRIORITY PROJECTS

- Multi-Purpose Building
- Water and Sewer
- Cultural Center & Activities
- Human & Health Services
- Alternative Energy Development
- Community Training Center
- Youth Programs
- Housing, Apartments, and Rentals
- Promote Online Sales of Local Arts and Crafts
- Erosion Prevention
1. Obtain a tribal community hall/office in Nome.
2. Expand and improve our ICWA services.
3. Assess effects of climate change and collaborate for Salmon enhancement and testing in Solomon.
4. Fully effective operation of the Solomon Bed & Breakfast (business plan, obtain land, tourism development, gift shop, alternative and renewable energy).
5. Create and manage our own transportation program for Solomon (roads, boat harbor, airstrip).
6. Improve our language resources in our dialect (immersion school, educational resources, writing children’s books and Solomon history books).
7. Improve access in public schools to learn tribal government, Alaska Native history, and math and science using our environment as a tool.
8. Advocate for restorative justice and tribal input into culturally appropriate sentencing of our tribal members.
9. Work with other Nome-based tribes to develop culturally related classes and activities for all ages to pass on cultural knowledge and promote wellness.
10. Improve education and enforcement of land use rights in and around Solomon.
11. Clean up land and old church site, improve drainage, and add historical markers in and around Solomon.

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### Draft 2016 Top 11 Community Development Priorities

1. Public Safety Building with Holding Cell
2. Completion of 14c Process
3. Local Bulk Fuel Tank Farm
4. Seawall Erosion Protection
5. Additional Water Storage Tank
6. Heavy Equipment and Storage Facilities
7. Reindeer Facilities
8. New Teen Center
9. Establish a Local Housing Authority
10. New Gravel Source
11. More Housing and Rental Units

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2017 Top Priorities

1. Water and Sewer Projects
2. Cultural Heritage Preservation
3. Housing Development
4. Job Training Awareness
5. Seawall
6. Volunteer Fire Department
7. Teen Center
8. Multipurpose Evacuation Center
9. Suicide Prevention Program
10. Safe Homes
11. City Heavy Equipment Garage

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Top Priority Projects
1. Seawall
2. Water & Sewer
3. Evacuation Road
4. Tank Farm
5. Roads
6. More Housing
7. Weatherization
8. Crosswind Runway
9. Emergency Equipment
10. Landfill
11. Multi-purpose Building
12. Reindeer Husbandry
13. Power Plant
UNALAKLEET 2019-2023 LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN

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TOP TEN PRIORITIES
1. Construct a New Water/Sewer System
2. Rehabilitate Roads to Both Subdivisions
3. SAR & VFD Funding
4. Acquire & Maintain City Heavy Equipment
5. Sub-Regional Clinic Fully Staffed
6. Evacuation/Recreation Center
7. More Housing
8. Construct New Access Roads
9. Replace Boat Ramps
10. Continued Monitoring of Contaminated Sites
WALES LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2011-2016

2011 – 2016 Priorities

1. Bulk fuel
2. New Clinic
3. HBH Lagoon/Dumpsite
4. Seawall Lagoon, Boat Harbor and Fishing
5. Cemetery
6. Repair Housing
7. Public Safety
8. Heavy Equipment/Storage
9. Water & Sewer Line
10. Renovate Church
11. Youth Center
12. Long & Short Term Housing
14. Gravel Business
15. Grader
16. Snow Fencing
17. Tourism

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Top Overall Community Development Projects

1. Gravel Source
2. New Store
3. Firebreak Around Village
4. Housing
5. Utility Upgrades
6. City Building Improvements
7. Head Start Building
8. New & Improved Roads
9. Language Preservation
10. Environmental Programs
11. Elder & Youth Activities
12. Tribal Healers
13. VPO
14. Enforce Subsistence Rights
15. Enlarge Tribal Building
16. Funding Resources
17. Cultural Activities

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