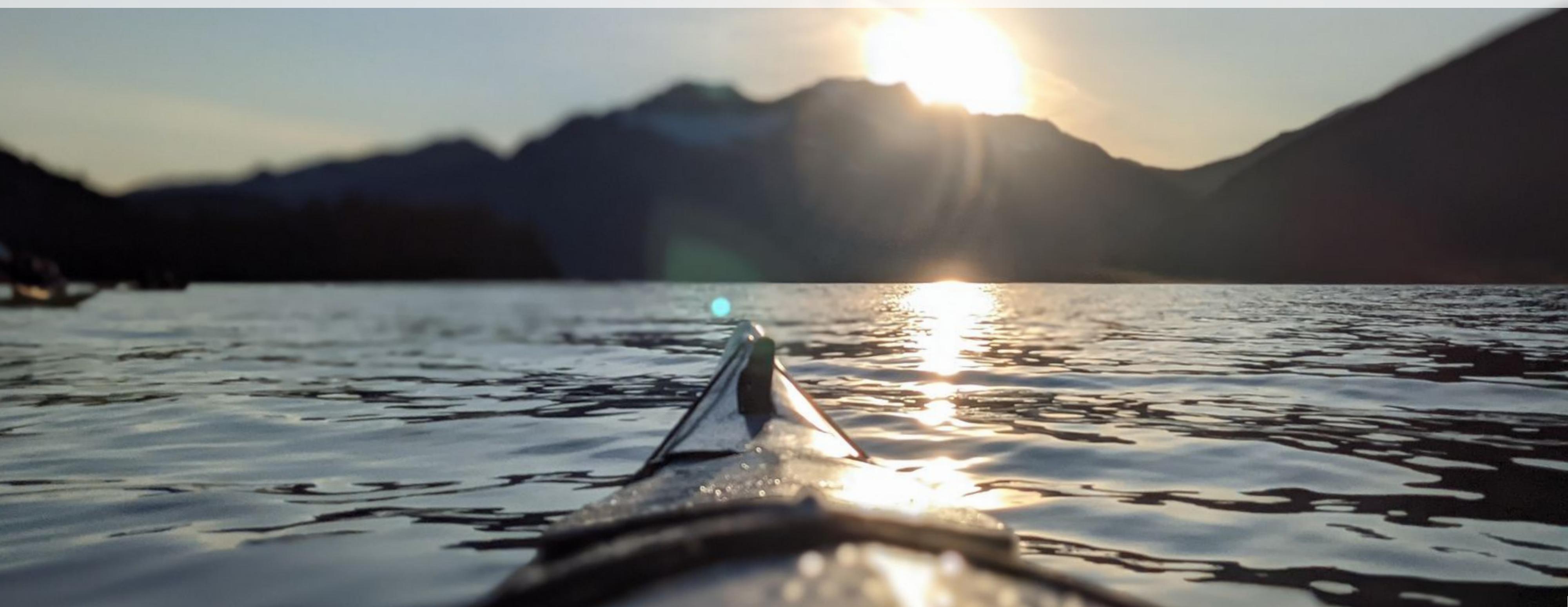


Appendix G: 2022 Review of Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies Across Alaska



Areas of Alaska with Active Regional or Local CEDS

Most regions of Alaska are covered by established Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies (CEDS). In some cases, like Saint Paul Island, local communities may choose to establish a more defined CEDS specific to their community.

Some regions of Alaska - the North Slope Borough, Copper Valley Census Area, Denali Borough, and Matanuska-Susitna Borough - do not currently have established CEDS. However, these regions are covered by the Statewide CEDS.



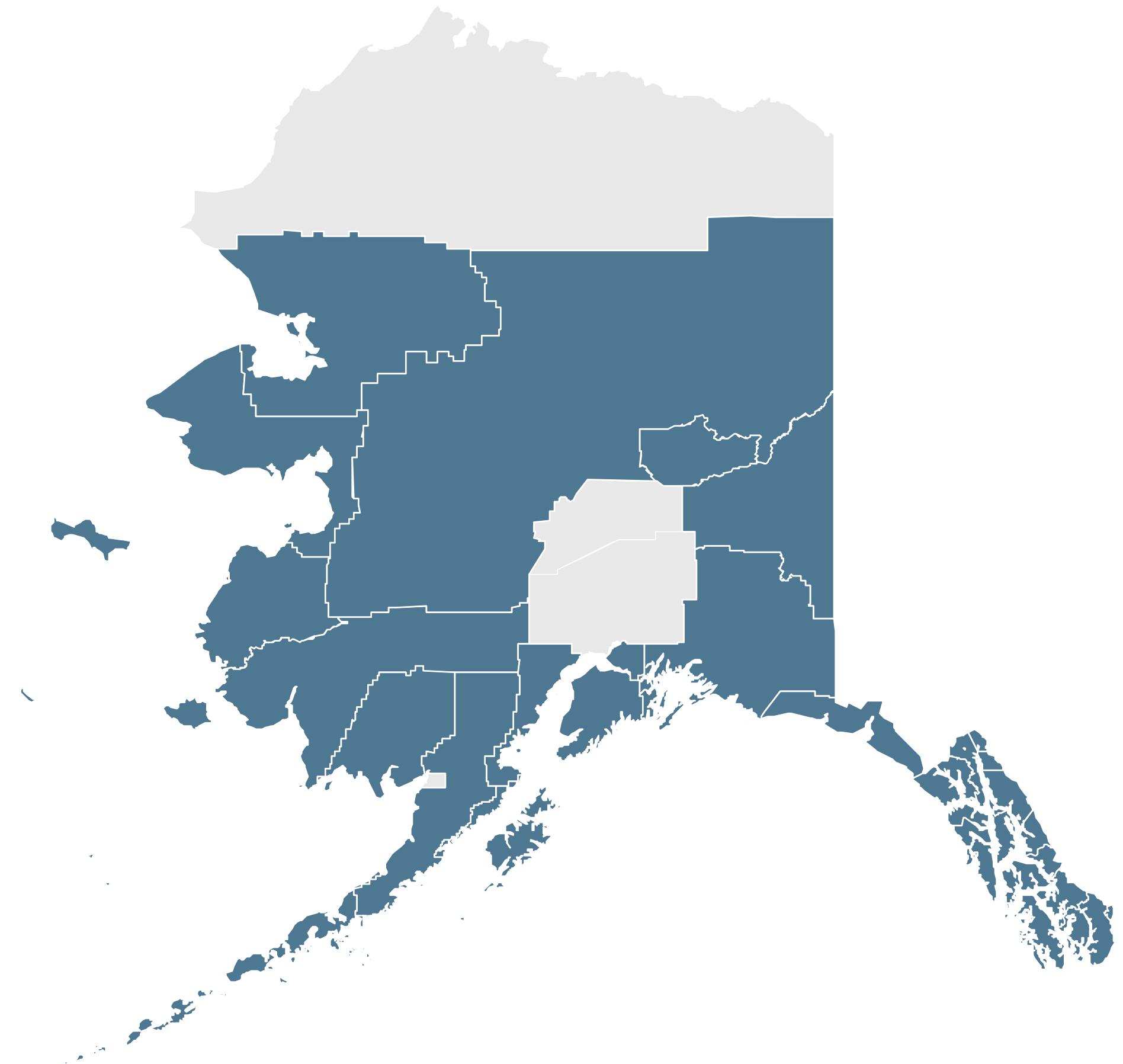
13

Active, established statewide, regional, and local CEDS in Alaska



27

Of Alaska's 31 boroughs and census areas are covered by a CEDS



*Note: The Valdez-Cordova Census Area was divided into two regions, the Chugach Census Area and Copper Valley Census Area, in 2019. That division is not reflected in this map. The Chugach Census Area has an established CEDS and the Copper Valley Census Area does not but is in the process of drafting one.

Strategic Direction Across Alaska

Among CEDS documents from regions and localities across the state, there are:

69

unique
goals



243

individual
objectives



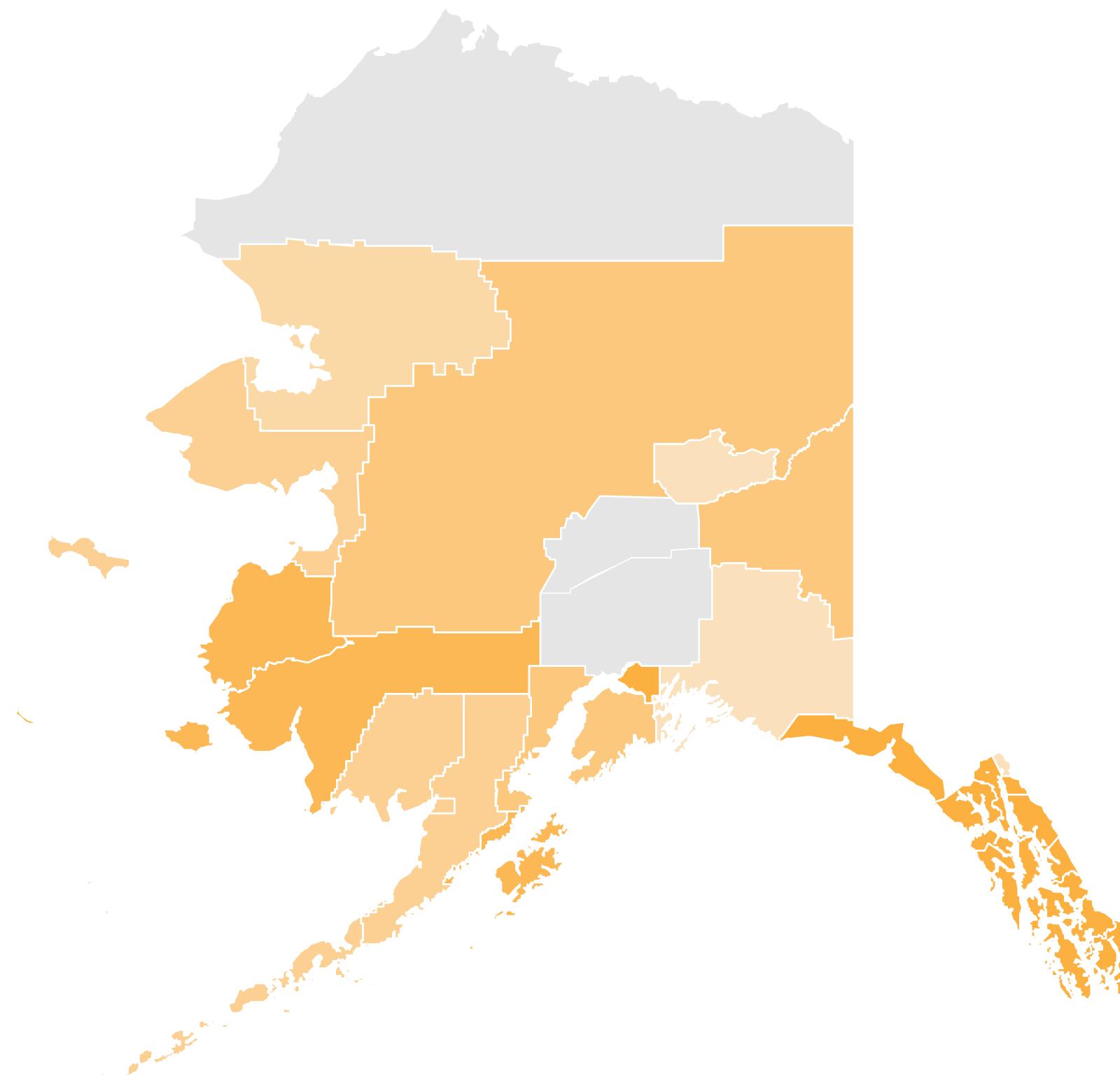
739

specific
actions

Where do those Goals and Objectives Come From?

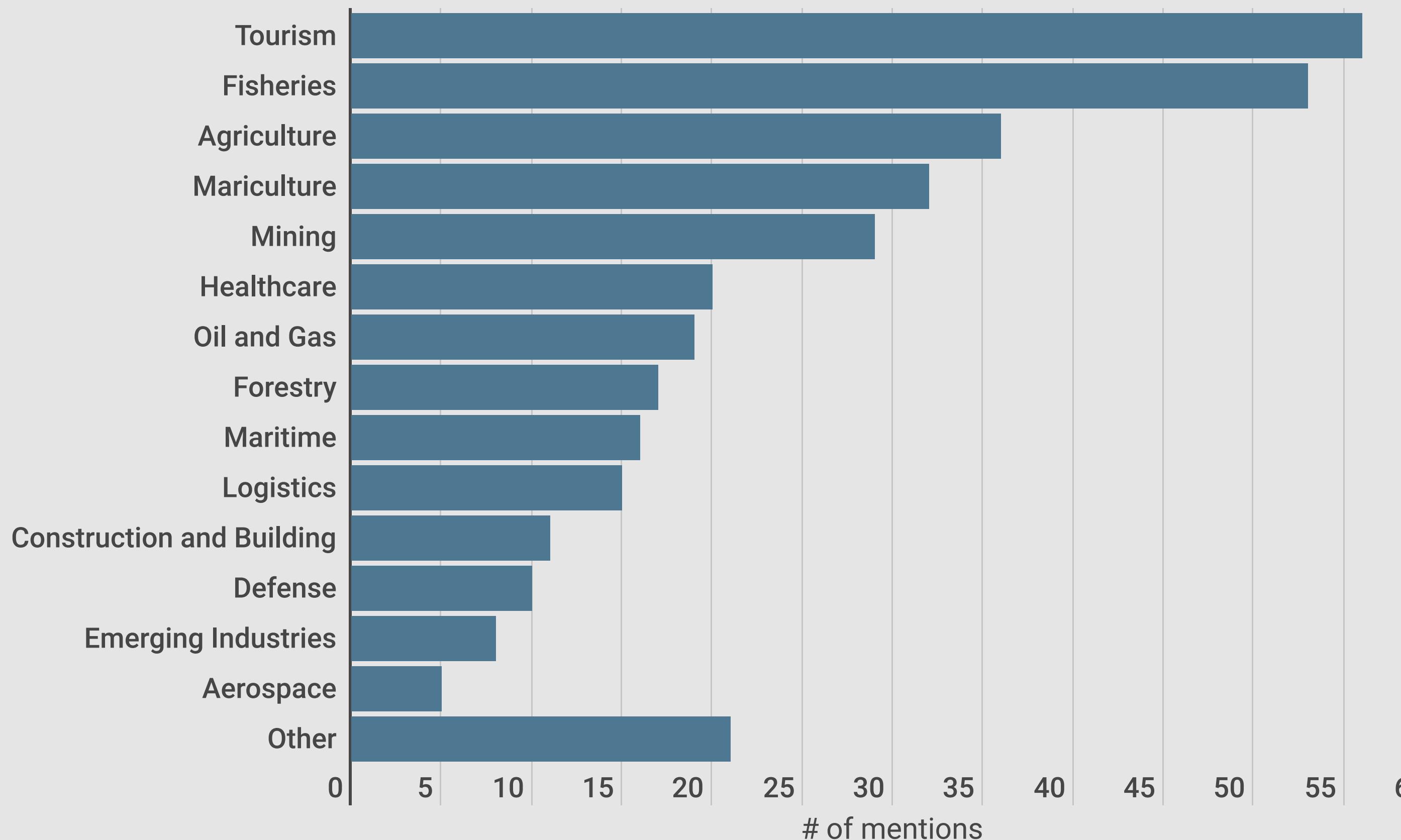
CEDS are specific to the region they cover and focus on the economic needs of that region. This map shows the concentration of CEDS goals, objectives, and actions by region.

And 113 goals, objectives, and actions from the Statewide CEDS



What Industries do the CEDS Focus On?

Industry specific goals and objectives in CEDS across the state



An additional 566 goals and objectives were not specific to any industry or applied to all industries.

What Topics do Alaska's CEDS cover?

The diagram features the word "Infrastructure" in large, bold, dark green letters at the center. Surrounding it are several other words in a smaller, lighter green font, each representing a different topic or sector covered by the CEDS. These include:

- Technology and Innovation
- Financing and Investment
- Workforce
- Quality of Life
- Business Support
- Resiliency
- Energy
- Adult Education and Training
- Ports and Harbors
- Early Childhood Education
- Water/Sewer
- Arctic
- Power and Grid
- Rail
- Housing
- Startups
- Manufacturing
- Renewable Energy
- Aerospace
- Roads
- University
- Shipping
- K-12 Education
- Marine Highway
- Airports
- Broadband
- Attraction/Retention
- Vocational/Technical
- Public Safety

CEDS Goals Around Alaska

