

Savoonga Activity Report

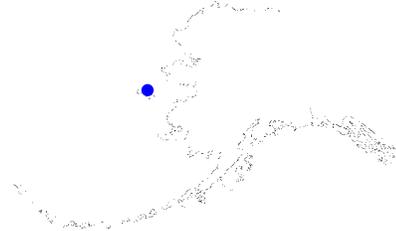
Community Overview

Lead RUBA Staff: Josie Morrow, Nome Office

2000 Census Population: 643

Region: Bering Straits

Local Governments: Second Class City



Utilities are operated by Savoonga Joint Utilities, a non-profit arm of the City, and run by a Utility Board. Well water is treated and stored in a 100,000-gallon tank at the washeteria. A new circulating water and sewer utilidor system, including household plumbing, came on-line in January 1999. 45 residents are served; the remaining 32 homes currently haul water and honeybuckets. 20 new HUD housing units on the west side are plumbed, but need to be connected to the system. The clinic and school have independent wells and septic systems. A new landfill was recently completed.



General Information

Due to staff turnover there is no information available for this community this quarter.

Anticipated Activity

Leroy Seppilu, LGS/RUBA in the Anchorage office, will be moving to the Nome Regional Office September 1, 2001, and will continue to work with the City.

