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LOMCs:	5		Last CAV/CAC Date:	07/14/2006
CRS Status				
Class:	8		SFHA Discount:	10%
Effective:	10/1/2009		Non-SFHA Discount:	5%
<u>Demographics</u>				
Population:	10,195		Social Characteristics	
Median Age:	36		Non-English Speakers:	9%
Elderly (65+):	6%		High School+ Education:	89%
Native:	13%		Bachelors+ Education:	21%
Industrial				
Population in labor force:	66.6%			
Median income:	\$48,734			
Top 5 Industries:				
	18%	Educational, health and social services		
	14%	Transportation and warehousing, and utilities		
	9%	Public Administration		
	9%	Construction		
	8%	6 Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services		
Presidentially-Declared Disasters				
Flood-related total:	18	(August 1967 - October 2009)		
Recent flood related:	10	(April 2002 - October 2009)		
Other hazards:	Earthquake, Fire, Severe Storms, Landslides, Mudslides, Tidal Surges, Severe Winter Storms, Coastal Erosion, High Winds, Severe freezing, Heavy rains and landslide, Avalanches			
Insurance				

Variances:

Rep Losses:

BCX Zone Claims:

AE/A# Zone Claims:

A Zone Claims:

V Zone Claims:

D Zone Claims:

Retention: 7 policies, \$68,030 coverage

Mitigation Projects and Other Grants

Acquisition Project: Earthquake notification system for ADES and the SECC.

<u>Mitigation Plans:</u> City of Valdez, Local Hazard Mitigation Plan

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\$ 7,364,300

Effective: June 2008 Expires: June 2013

Other Plans: Alaska State Hazard Mitigation Plan, October 2010.

**Levees and Other Flood Control Structures** 

Identifier: None known to be 65.10 compliant

Accreditation Status:

Total Premiums:

Total Coverage:

A Zone Policies:

V Zone Policies: Retention:

Total Policies:

Other: Dikes along Lowe River adjacent to Alpine Woods and Nordic Subdivision.

 $Dikes\ constructed\ in\ Mineral\ Creek\ protecting\ Cottonwood\ Subdivision\ and\ Blueberry\ Hill\ access\ road.$ 

**Environmentally Sensitive Areas:** 

Critical Species: None known
Wetlands: None known
CoBRAs: n/a
OPAs: n/a

Tribal Areas:

Tribe: None identified

Flooding Source: n/a

## Coastal:

Watershed Geographic Location The Valdez watershed is located in Port Valdez which is a subsidiary of Prince Williams Sound.

Coastal Structures:

The major coastal structures that are present in this area are seawalls and revetments.

Water body Influences:

The project area is somewhat sheltered will be susceptible to some wave action and tidal fluctuation.

**Historical flooding:** 

City of Valdez Annual Floodplain Newsletter October 1, 2008 describes flood event in October 2006.

 $Rain\ on\ snow\ event\ caused\ streams\ to\ reach\ the\ 100yr\ level.\ Some\ dikes\ failed,\ floodwaters\ entered\ subdivisions.$ 

 $Heavy \ rain \ in \ summer \ 1981 \ caused \ minor \ flooding \ to \ Alpine \ Woods \ Subdivision \ and \ extensive \ damage \ to$ 

Richardson Highway.

**Ongoing Mapping Projects:** 

**Mapping Needs:** 

**Ongoing Mapping Projects:**