Energy for our Future

Standards, Goals and Energy Planning

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Tanana Chiefs Conference

Tanana Chiefs Conference is a Tribal Consortium with 42 Members, representing 39 villages and 37 federally recognized tribes.

MISSION: "Tanana Chiefs Conference provides a unified voice in advancing sovereign tribal governments through the promotion of physical and mental wellness, education, socioeconomic development, and culture of the Interior Alaska Native people."

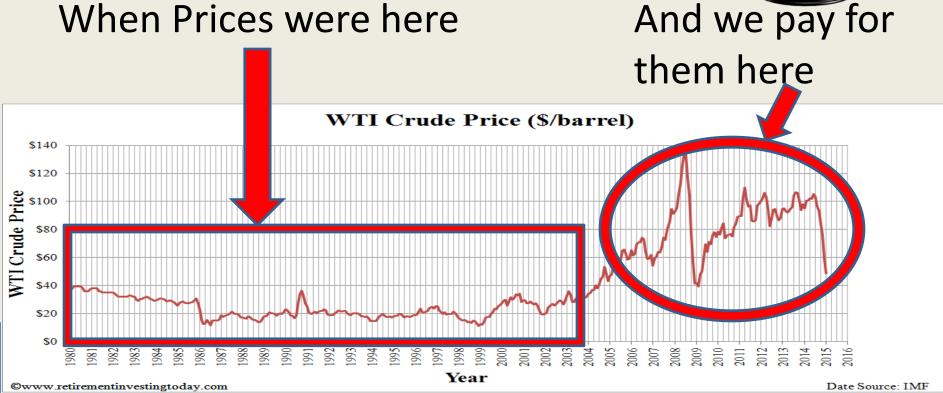






What is the main issue with the price of energy in our villages?

We designed everything around this:



So what can we do?

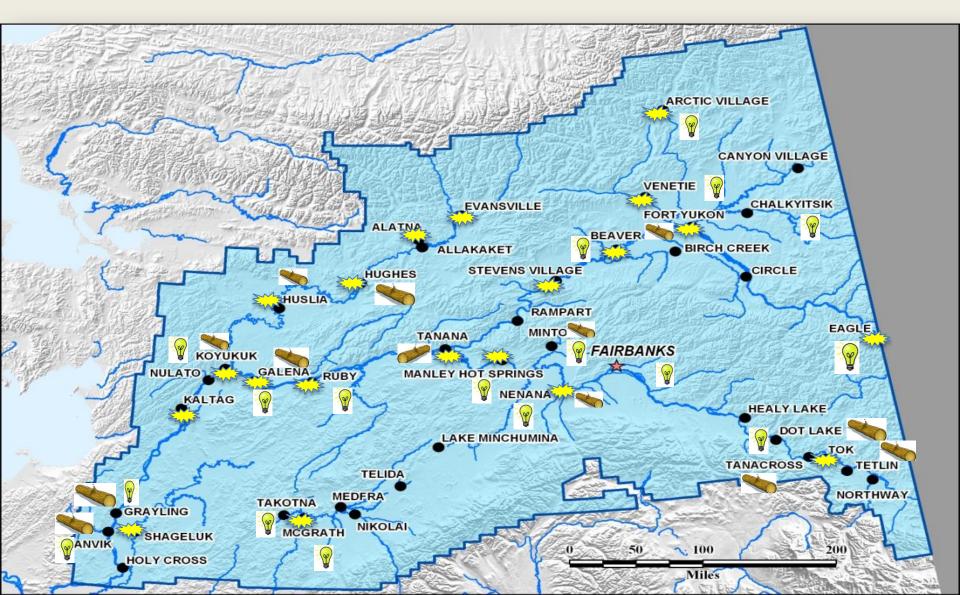
"We're not visionaries, we can't see into the future, all we can do is look at the past and try to make predictions about the future"

...So how can we make progress looking into the future?

Regional Energy Planning

- TCC is under Contract with the Alaska Energy Authority (AEA) for Interior Energy Plan Phase 2
- Energy Stakeholders:
 - Tribes
 - School Districts
 - City Governments
 - Utilities
 - Corporations
- There is no "one-size-fits-all" approach

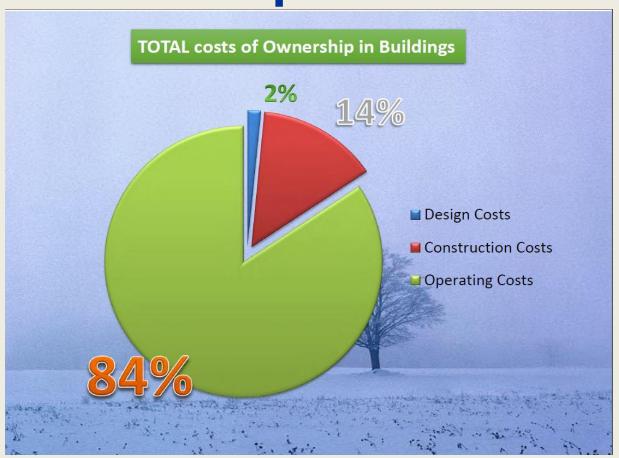
Energy Map



Building Standards

- TCC Regional Building Standard Resolution
 - R 100 Walls
 - R 50 Floors
 - R 70 walls
- Additional Items:
 - ECM circulating pumps
 - Utilization of waste heat wherever available
 - Utilization of Biomass wherever available
 - Integration of Solar PV on every new building for at least 25% of electricity production

Why are Building Standards Important?



Solar on Clinics

- Manley Village 6kW
- Ruby Clinic 5kw
- Koyukuk Clinic solar ready!



Ruby Clinic Solar

 Ruby Clinic Solar PV – 4,000 kWh's in 1st year that's enough energy to power an average village home for a full year



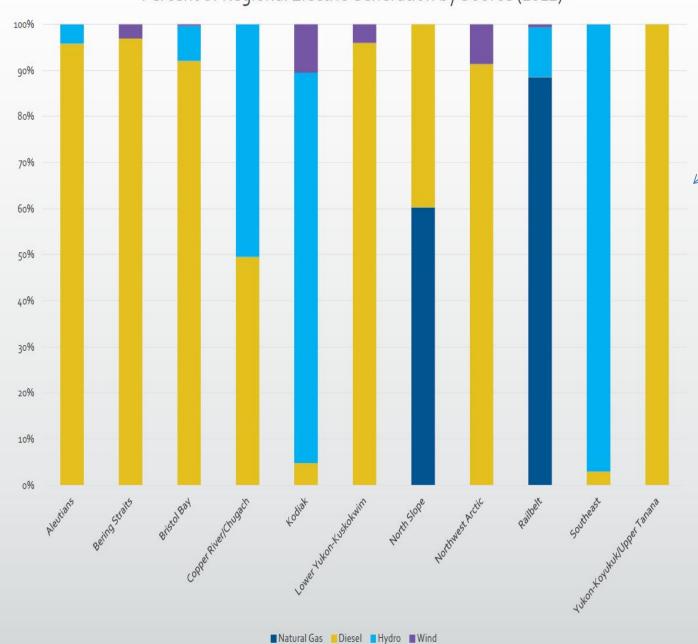
Utility Management and Electricity

There is strength in a Consortia

 AVEC communities – avg electric cost after PCE: \$.21/kWh

 Avg cost in stand-alone community with population under 200: \$.35/kWh

Percent of Regional Electric Generation by Source (2012)



What if your retirement account looked like this?

2012, Alaska Energy Statistics.



Hughes Renewable Portfolio Standard

- 50% renewables by 2025 or reduction in Diesel use by 50% over 2010 consumption in the powerplant
- At the <u>very least</u> our goal is diversity





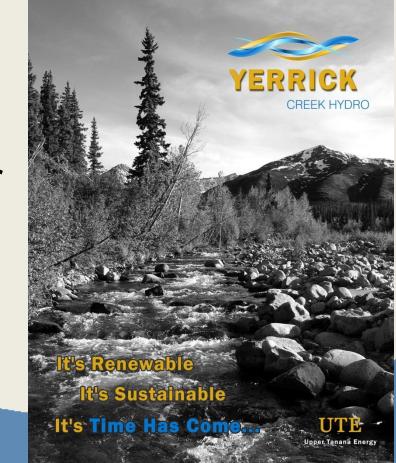
"Stronger Together for the Next 100 Years"

Yerrick Creek – Joint Venture

 Joint Partnership Between Tanacross Inc and AP&T

50 yr lifecycle, 1.5 MW

Could offset 375,000
 gallons of diesel per year



Looking into The Future...

(Traditional Athabascan Solar Array?)

