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## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

This Environmental Reconnaissance Survey of Huffman Road from the Old Seward Highway to Lake Otis Parkway was conducted for the State of Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities (ADOT&PF) by DOWL Engineers (DOWL) under Project No. (State/Federal) 53933/STP-0534(1). This Environmental Reconnaissance Survey is the initial scoping step of an environmental review of the study corridor.

The purpose of the Environmental Reconnaissance Survey is to determine the potential for environmental concern within the study corridor, to provide environmental consideration and requirements for the study project, and if necessary, to provide recommendations for further environmental review of the study corridor. The recommendations for further environmental review represent DOWL's opinion of the properties requiring additional environmental investigative assessments.

## **2.0 SCOPE**

The Environmental Reconnaissance Survey study corridor encompasses the Huffman Road right-of-way (ROW) and all properties adjacent to the Huffman Road ROW from the Old Seward Highway to Lake Otis Parkway. Refer to Appendix A, Figure 1, Vicinity Map and Figure 2, Location Map. The study corridor is divided into two discrete development portions; the area east of the New Seward Highway which is dominated by residential properties and the area west of the New Seward Highway which is dominated by commercial development. Though both the east and west sides are dominated by residential or commercial properties respectively neither end is completely without the other.

This report provides information gathered during DOWL's performance of the following activities:

- Review of selected current and historical aerial photographs of the study corridor.
- Review of ENSTAR as-built drawings of the study corridor.
- Review of Anchorage Water and Wastewater Utility (AWWU) Connect Cards.

