

An aerial photograph of a mountain trail. The foreground shows a dirt path winding through large, textured patches of snow on a rocky, grassy slope. Two hikers are visible on the trail. In the background, a wide, deep fjord stretches between dark, forested mountains. The fjord's water is a pale, milky blue. In the distance, more mountain ranges are visible, their peaks covered in snow under a clear, light blue sky.

Haines Huts and Trails

Agenda



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issues, Winter Grooming

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What's Next?

Hut systems, Trail Crew,
Haines - Skagway

Juneau Trail Mix

Sitka Trail Works



Haines Huts and Trails

Who are we?

- Non-profit founded in 2018
- Haines Huts (and Trails) progression
- 2022/23 Recreation Economies for Rural Communities
- Denali Commission Funding

A stylized landscape illustration in shades of blue and white. The background is a light teal color. In the upper right, there are white, fluffy clouds. On the left side, there are dark blue, jagged mountain peaks. In the foreground, there are two dark blue evergreen trees. The bottom of the image features a dark blue silhouette of a forest or field.

Denali Commission

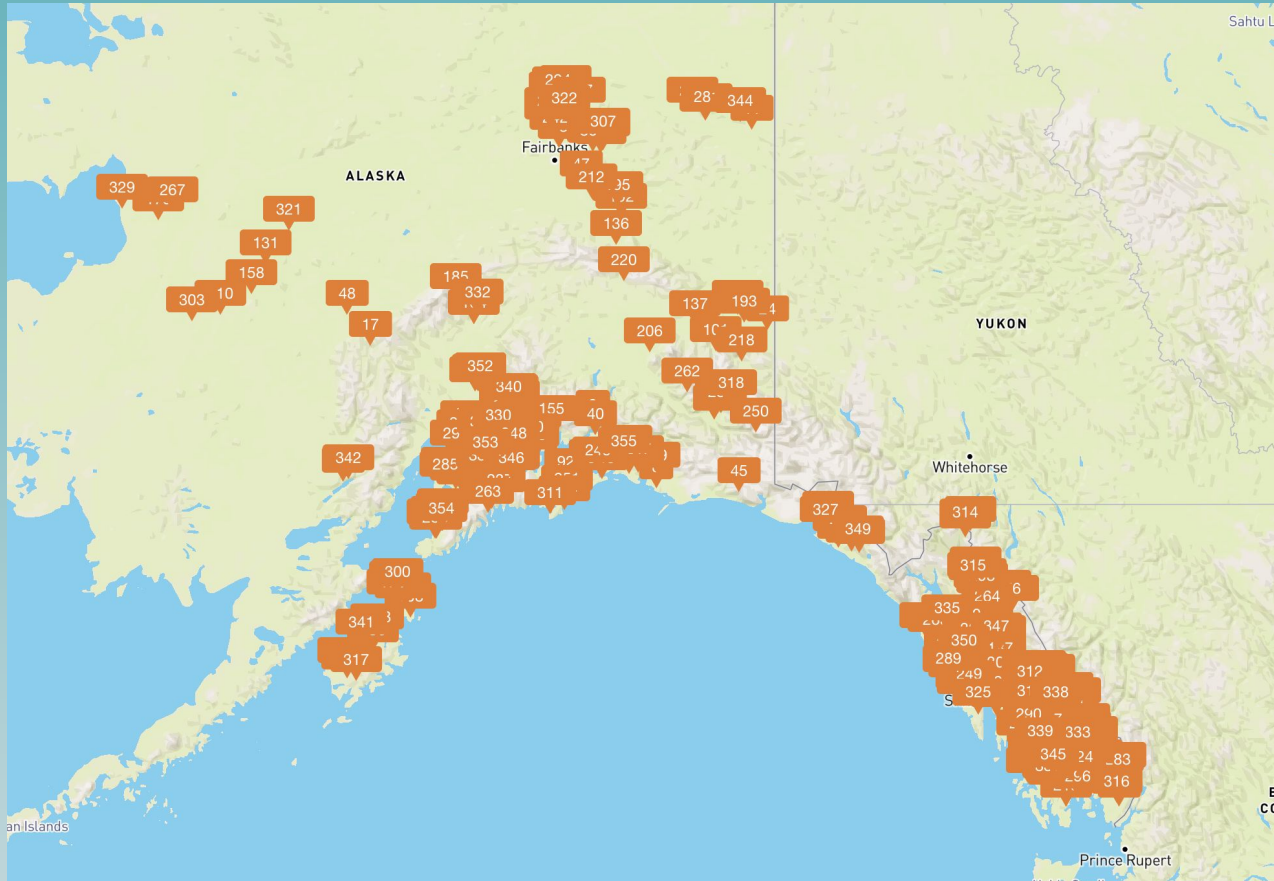
Received funding at the end of 2023 with the following objectives:

- Hire Coordinator
- Manage and Promote the Tukga Hut
 - Website, Reservation System
- Support outdoor recreation economy in Haines



Tukga Hut

Public Use Cabins in Alaska





Construction - Summer '23



Construction Cont...– Summer '23



Construction Cont...- Summer '24



Voilà – August 2024

Quick Facts:

- 100 volunteers ages 5-85
- 300+ Volunteer Days
- Under \$100,000











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Haines Huts and Trails

Building inclusive outdoor opportunities for our community and its visitors

We are living and recreating on Lingít Aani

Hut Reservations

Become a Member

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Easements and Leases

Haines Borough Lands

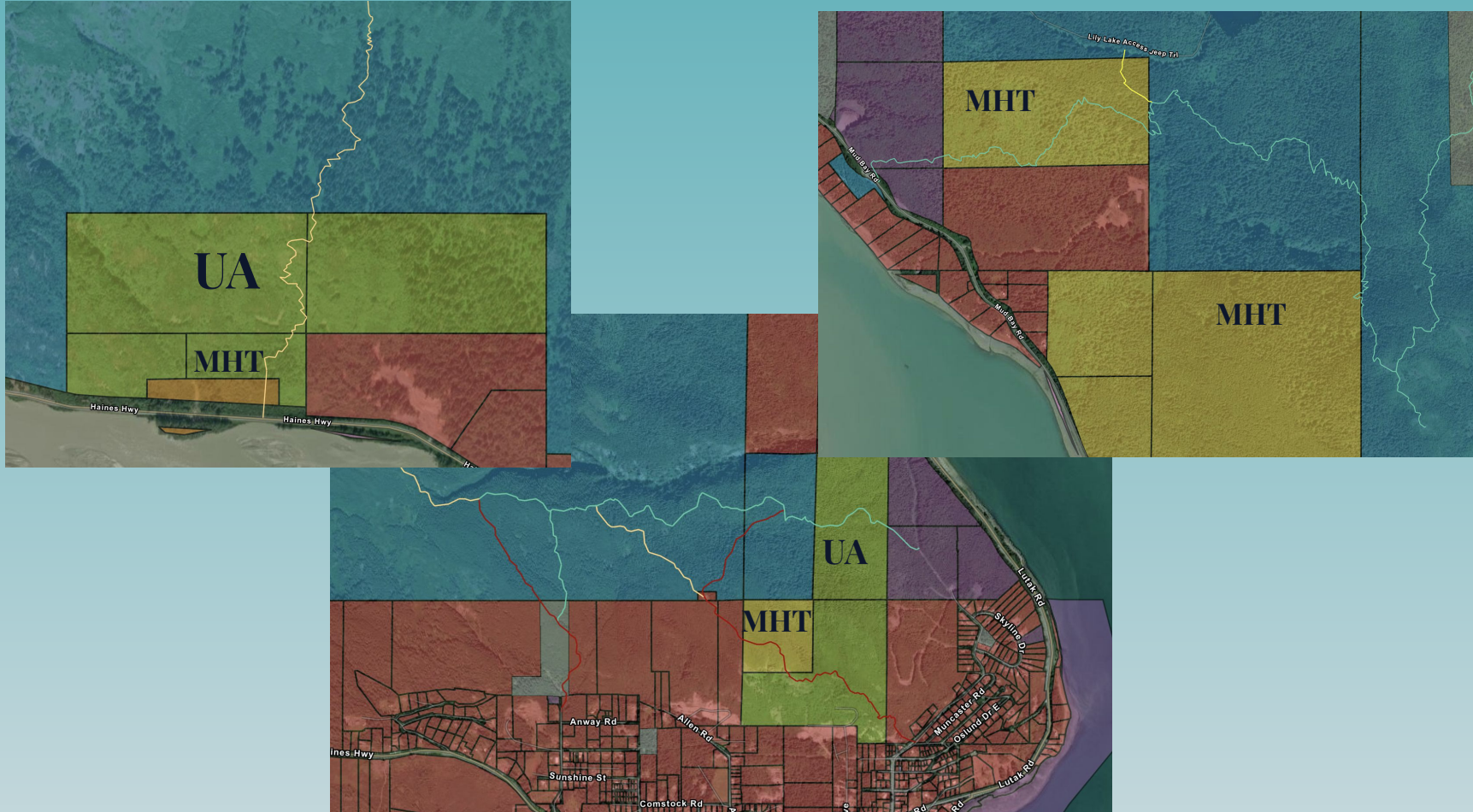
State Parks,
DNR, MHT

BLM

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Guess how many trails have perpetual use...



A stylized winter landscape illustration. The background is a light teal color. In the foreground, there are several dark teal evergreen trees of varying heights. Behind them are rolling hills and mountains in shades of teal and blue. The sky is light teal and features two white, fluffy clouds. The text 'Winter Trail Grooming' is written in a dark blue, serif font on the right side of the image.

Winter Trail Grooming

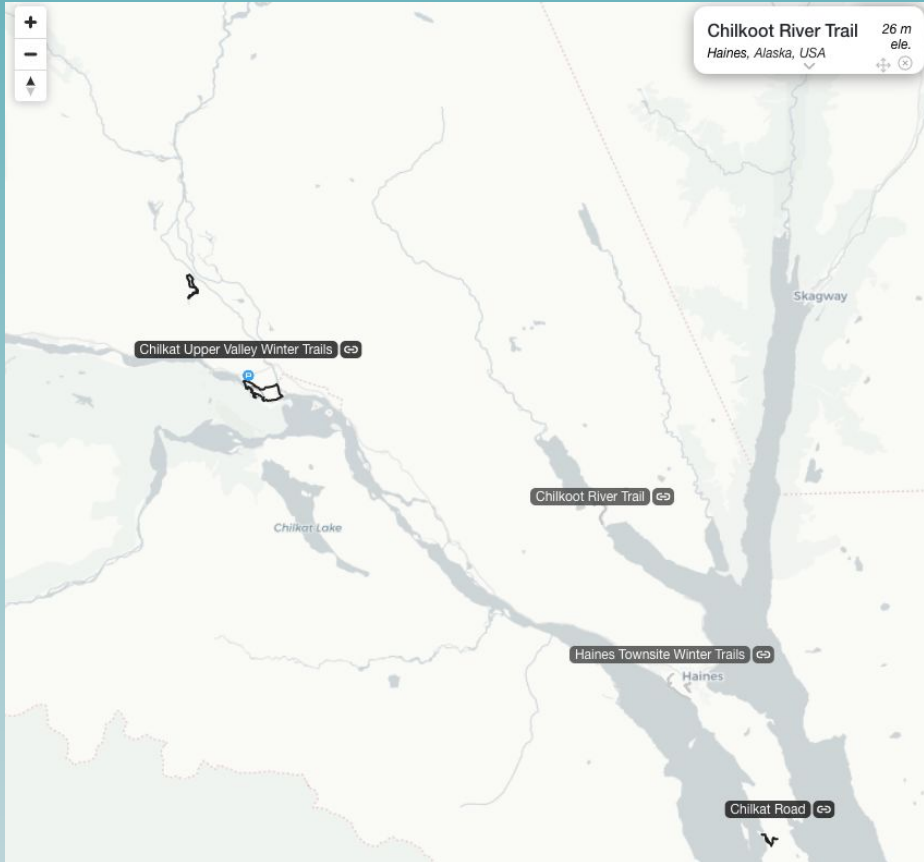
Volunteer Run with HHT Equipment



Youth Programs and Partners



Nordic Pulse - Winter Tourism



Search for a ski area in Chilkat Valley Winter Trails

Sort By View Order Collapse

<p>Chilkat Upper Valley Winter Trails Mar 8, 7:29 PM 50 m ele.</p> <p>Haines, Alaska, USA</p> <p>25 mile trails groomed this afternoon by State Parks. Mar 8, 6:25 PM</p> <p>Last Groomed Mar 8, 7:29 PM</p> <p>91 % 14+ Days Ago</p> <p>Total Trails: 14.04 km</p>	<p>Chilkat State Park Road Feb 7, 9:54 AM 114 m ele.</p> <p>Haines, Alaska, USA</p> <p>Waiting for snow! Patchy snow on chilkat state park road, time to head upriver Feb 20, 11:25 AM</p> <p>Last Groomed Feb 7, 9:54 AM</p> <p>100 % 14+ Days Ago</p> <p>Total Trails: 2.43 km</p>
<p>Haines Townsite Winter Trails 12 m ele.</p> <p>Haines, Alaska, USA</p> <p>Things are warming up in town, but some grooming is happening at the fair and busters ponds this evening in hopes of making skiing last as long through the warmup as possible Mar 8, 6:27 PM</p> <p>Total Trails: 4.8 km</p>	<p>Chilkoot River Trail 26 m ele.</p> <p>Haines, Alaska, USA</p> <p>Waiting for snow! During the warmup Chilkoot melted down to pavement in too many spots to be patched up. Great fatbiking and walking at the moment. Feb 8, 12:03 PM</p> <p>Total Trails: 2.41 km</p>



Future Projects

- Trail Tools
- Volunteer/Paid Trail Maintenance
- Continuation of Hut System
- Groomed trail expansion
- Accessible trails and alternative transportation around town

Haines - Skagway

- 20ish Miles
- 3000' above the Lynn Canal
- Private drop off, Skagway-Haines Ferry return
- 2 Tyrolean Traverse river crossings
- Promoting non-cruise ship tourism
- Easy Weekender



Haines - Skagway



Haines - Skagway









Thank you!
Questions?

