

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), in cooperation with U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural Utilities Service and the Denali Commission, has prepared a draft Environmental Assessment (EA), including a floodplain and wetlands analysis, to analyze and describe the potential environmental impacts associated with the:

Combined Power and Biomass Heating System Fort Yukon, Alaska DOE/EA-1922

DOE's Golden Field Office has prepared the draft EA in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA). DOE and its cooperating agencies are proposing to authorize the expenditure of federal funding to implement a community Combined Power and Biomass Heating System and wood harvesting program in Fort Yukon, Alaska. The draft EA is available for review on the following websites:

http://energy.gov/nepa/public-comment-opportunities http://www.eere.energy.gov/golden/Reading_Room.aspx

Public comments on the EA's analysis, including the floodplain and wetlands analysis, and results of the environmental impacts of implementing the proposed action will be accepted until **March 27, 2013.** Please send comments to Casey Strickland, Department of Energy Golden Field Office, 1617 Cole Blvd, Golden, CO 80401 or by email to gonepa@go.doe.gov