

Letter of Transmittal

I, Gladi Kulp, on behalf of the **Alaska State Library** transfer copies of the following tapes from the Alaska Historical Collections to the **University of Alaska Oral History Program**:

BLM—Iditarod Trail Project, 22 interviews, gathered in 1980-81, with attendant indexing, use agreements, and transcripts

As part of its deposit agreement with BLM, the **Alaska State Library** will retain the original tapes, use agreements, and other accompanying materials. The **Alaska State Library** understands that the **UAF Oral History Program** makes its materials available to students, scholars, and members of the general public.

[Gladi Kulp]

Gladi Kulp
(signature)

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IN REPLY REFER TO

United States Department of the Interior

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Iditarod

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Iditarod National Historic Trail Project Office
4700 East 72nd Avenue
Anchorage, Alaska 99507

18 SEP 1981



State of Alaska
Department of Education
Division of State Libraries
and Museums
Southcentral Regional Coordinator
ATTN: Peggy Cummings
650 W. International Airport Road
Anchorage, Alaska 99502

Dear Ms. Cummings:

Today, I turned over to you twenty-one original tape recorded interviews collected by the Iditarod National Historic Trail Project Office during the summer of 1980.

We have agreed that your office will establish a permanent repository for the original tape recordings at the State Library in Juneau. In addition, your office will make copies of the tape recordings, indexes, and instructions, available to interested libraries and museums for scholarly use.

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It is important to note that no consent forms have been received from Billy McCarty and Pete Larson, thus, neither these tapes nor the accompanying indexes should be circulated unless proper consent forms are signed. We have designated these tapes as RESTRICTED and have so marked the tapes, indexes, and storage boxes. It is the responsibility of your office to see that this information is not circulated without valid consent forms. Finally, it should be understood that our office assumes no responsibility for the contents of the tape recordings, or the accuracy of the information contained therein.

Please return to our office a signed copy of this letter which will acknowledge the receipt of the tape recordings according to our agreement outlined above, and the restrictions mentioned above. We greatly appreciate your help with our oral history project.

Sincerely yours,

Terry O'Sullivan
Project Assistant

ph: 267-1200 Anch

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These are the tapes that were located at the State Library in Juneau.

For the copies of these interview pages at the State Library in Juneau.

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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

15 DEC 1981

Ms. Phyllis DeMuth
Alaska Historical Library Pouch G
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Ms. DeMuth:

At last I am responding to your recent telephone inquiry regarding the Iditarod National Historic Trail (INHT) Oral History Project.

I am enclosing three oral history indexes:

80-02 Tony Gularte

This tape is largely inaudible due to mechanical failure. It has approximately 1¼ minutes of understandable dialogue. We recommended that it not be circulated.

80-10 Andy Peterson

This tape was not indexed due to 1) Mr. Peterson's heavy Finnish accent which is difficult to understand, 2) the area of discussion is only remotely related to the Iditarod Trail, and 3) Mr. Beck was unable to complete annotation and indexing of this tape due to lack of funds.

Mr. Beck, who is no longer employed by BLM, has volunteered to assist the Alaska Historical Library staff in completing the index. His Anchorage phone number is 272-8018.

81-01 John Aulaye

Mr. Aulaye was a "walk-in" interviewee. Robert Spude conducted an impromptu interview at the National Park Service Office in Anchorage. As with tape 80-10, this tape needs to be indexed. Mr. Spude, might be able to assist the Alaska Historical Library in the indexing. Mr. Aulaye has been sent a release form, but it has not been returned as yet. Until we receive this release, this tape should be restricted.

Enclosed is a copy of the Map Supplement which will accompany the INHT Comprehensive Plan when it is released to the public. Also included are INHT brochures which may be useful to you in the preparation of your tape brochure.

Finally, I am sending a copy of the official logo of the INHT as approved by the advisory council at their last meeting.

Please contact me anytime I can be of further assistance.

Thank you for all the support you have given to this project.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Terry O'Sullivan". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Terry O'Sullivan
Trail Coordinator

Enclosures