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5 AAC 92.530 (13). Management areas.
Expand the Healy-Lignite Management Area in Unit 20A as follows:

13 Healy-Lignite Management area

   (A) The area consists of that portion of Unit 20A that includes the entire Lignite Creek drainage, and that portion of the Nenana River drainage south of the Lignite Creek drainage and north of a boundary beginning at the confluence of the Nenana River and Healy Creek, then easterly along the south bank of Healy Creek to its confluence with Coal Creek, then northeasterly to the headwaters of Sanderson Creek at Usibelli Peak, from headwaters of Lignite creek northwesterly to the headwaters of Winter creek including the entire drainages of Winter creek and Bonanza Creek to the confluence at Marguerite Creek, the entire upper Marguerite creek drainage to the confluence at Emma creek on the western bank and then northerly to the confluence of Bonanza Creek on the Eastern bank of Marguerite creek;

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? I would like to see the Healy-Lignite Management Area expanded to the north. It is my understanding that the bow and arrow area was set up many ago to for the safety of the workers at Usibelli coal mine. Now that the active coal mine area has expanded, I believe it’s time for the bow and arrow area to follow.

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