



Alternative "D" applies Integrated Management Area(IMA), Yukon River Corridor(YRC) and Protected Area (PA) land use designations. The IMA zones have a multi-use focus; intensity of land use is managed according to thresholds on allowable activity. IMA-H zones would have a higher threshold of allowable activity than IMA-M and IMA-L zones; as well, reporting of Class I mining activity would be required in IMA-L. YRC zone is managed for multi-use access corridor (AC). PA designations and prohibition of some uses are applied to Tombstone Park, Miner River and White River units.



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Zoning	Permitted / Prohibited Resource Uses	Level of Activity	Access Management	Adaptive Management Provisions	Implementation
Protected Area Multiple Use Area Corridor Local Planning Area General	Placer Mining Hard Rock Mining Forestry Recreation Trapping Hunting Agriculture Oil and Gas Traditional Economic Activity Non Timber Forest Products Renewable Energy Fishing Cultural Practices Tourism Conservation / Natural Area Roads	Level or scale of use Level or scale of disturbance Reclamation rates Timing / Round / Focus / Permanency Duration Rate of development	Provisions for existing vs. new roads, trails Seasonal restrictions / allowances Enforcement Motorized vs non-motorized Water based transport Air based transport Access type, e.g. road versus trail Shared corridors Activity restrictions, e.g. forestry only	Key monitoring indicators Research Community monitoring initiatives	Conformity determinations Variances, amendments, etc. Consultation requirements Detailed planning Trusts / bonds / etc Best practices Amendment mechanism Dispute resolution mechanism Plan renewal cycle Research in support of future planning Regulatory Amendments

The primary implementation mechanisms are cumulative effects management thresholds and withdrawal of land from mineral staking in conservation areas. Thresholds on allowable activity may be based on disturbance (e.g. linear features density, surface disturbance) and would vary by landscape management unit. Areas of higher conservation focus within the working landscape (IMA-II and IMA-III) would have lower allowable thresholds, and IMA-III would require reporting of Class I mining activity. Uses within the Yukon River Corridor would be managed for multiple use. A new Protected Area would be established in the Miner River watershed, adjacent to the Fishing Branch Protected Area in North Yukon and in the White River and North Ladue River watershed. General Management Directions would establish over-arching objectives for the region. Regulatory changes may be required to facilitate reporting of Class I mining activity. Withdrawal of land from mineral staking and bans on recreational hunting would be required in new Protected Areas.