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Subject:	Sen. Revak Capital Project's Info
Attachments:	Anchorage Wildfire Exposure.JPG; Doil Dr.JPG; Norm Dr.JPG

Hi Chris-

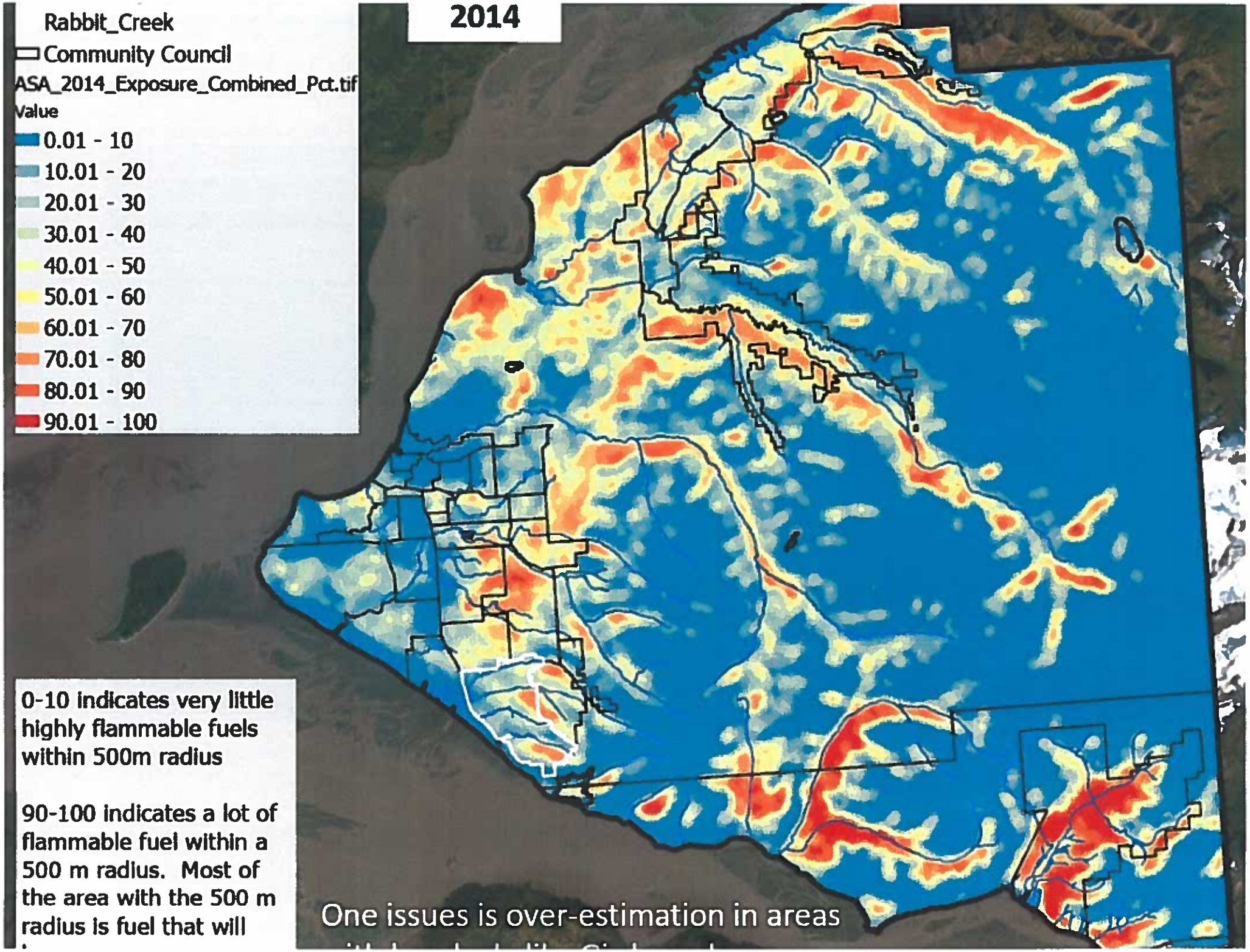
Below is some information on two projects requested by Sen. Revak in the capital budget.

Norm Dr/Doil Dr Area Road and Drainage Improvements
Total project cost: $2,300,000
Current funding in budget: $2,281,874
Project Status: Project has not started.
Project Scope:
This project will replace or reclaim the road surface and evaluate the storm drains with curb and gutter and repair or replace as needed.
Project Need:
These streets received a failing grade in the annual GASB survey. Curb jacking, alligator cracking, and potholing have become an everyday nuisance for area residents. Street Maintenance spends extra time and effort addressing the frequent potholes. A petition was circulated this last winter that gathered nearly 90 signatures requesting work be done on these roads.
The state grant will be used for design and construction expenses. Construction is anticipated to begin in 2022 depending on the availability of funding.
The grant funds may be used for design, permitting, right-of-way acquisition, utility easements or relocation, construction, and any other work associated with constructing road and drainage improvements in this area.

Hillside Fire Abatement
Total project cost: N/A
Current funding in budget: $40,000
Project status: In organizational phase. Team Rubicon and community wildfire plans scheduled for volunteer work in July.
Project Scope:
Assist community and Hillside Area Landowners Association with Firewise assessments and volunteer efforts in association with Team Rubicon in wildfire mitigation methods.
Project Need:
Trends in fire weather in Anchorage have increased as the total amount of fuel available for combustion has increased. The hillside has an especially high risk of wildfires. Reactively addressing the often tragic and expensive wildfires after the fact is counter intuitive. This funding seeks to be proactive and help leverage additional funding and volunteers in education and mitigation efforts.

Thanks for your help! Let me know if there's any other info I can provide.

Dirk Craft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Rabbit_Creek
Community Council
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Value
0.01 - 10
10.01 - 20
20.01 - 30
30.01 - 40
40.01 - 50
50.01 - 60
60.01 - 70
70.01 - 80
80.01 - 90
90.01 - 100
0-10 indicates very little highly flammable fuels within 500m radius
90-100 indicates a lot of flammable fuel within a 500 m radius. Most of the area with the 500 m radius is fuel that will
One issues is over-estimation in areas

Doil Dr

Norm Dr