COMMUNITY MAP

GAMBELL

63°47'N 171°45'W Elevation 28' (at airstrip)

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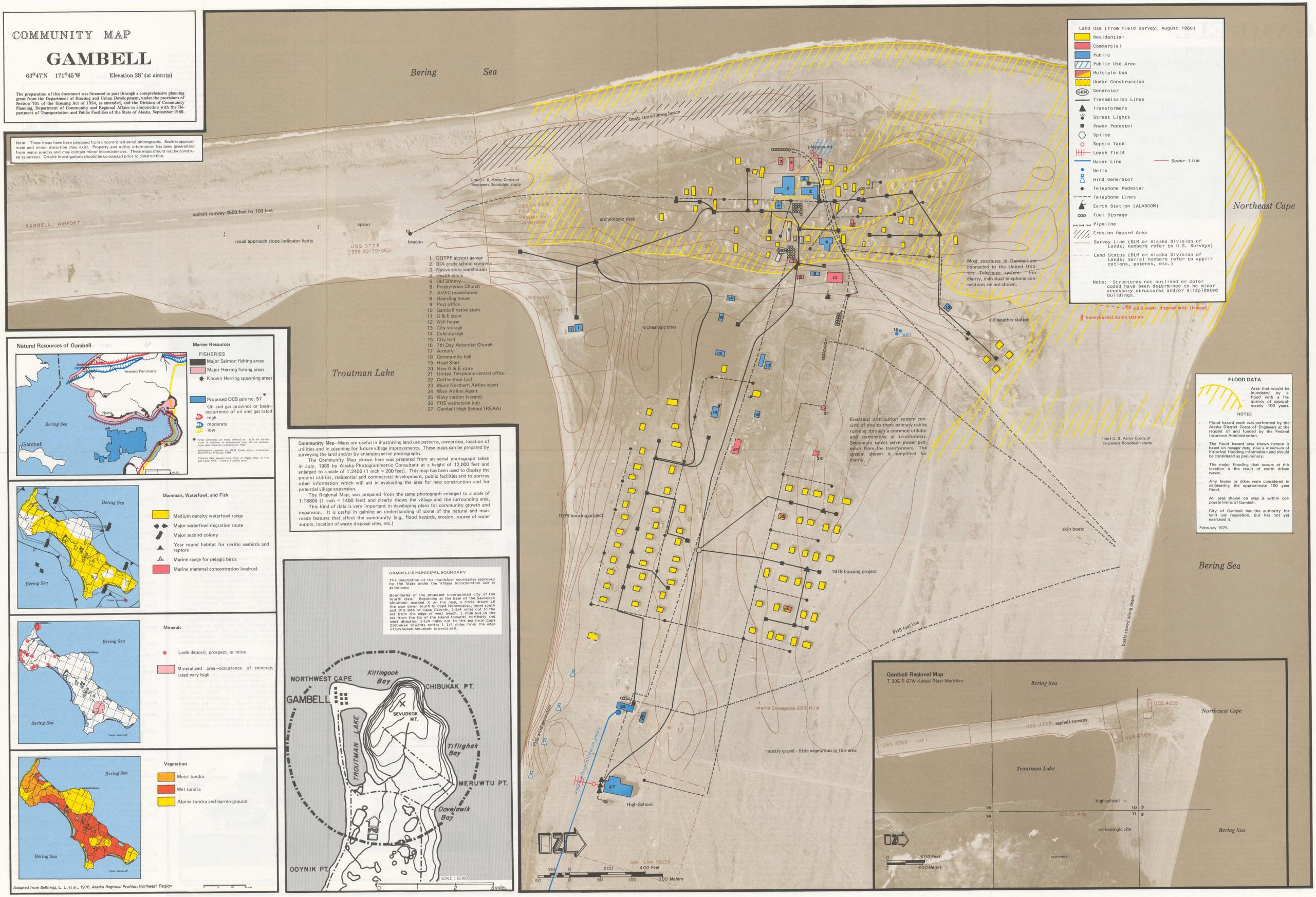
Note: These maps have been prepared from uncontrolled aerial photographs. Scale is approximate and minor distortion may exist. Property and utility information has been generalized from many sources and may contain minor inconsistencies. These maps should not be construed as surveys. On-site investigations should be conducted prior to construction.



Community Map—Maps are useful in illustrating land use patterns, ownership, location of utilities and in planning for future village improvements. These maps can be prepared by surveying the land and/or by enlarging aerial photographs.

The Community Map shown here was prepared from an aerial photograph taken in July, 1980 by Alaska Photogrammetric Consultant at a height of 12,000 feet and enlarged to a scale of 1:2400 (1 inch = 200 feet). This map has been used to display the present utilities, residential and commercial development, public facilities and to portray other information which will aid in evaluating the area for new construction and for potential village expansion.

The Regional Map, was prepared from the same photograph enlarged to a scale of 1:16800 (1 inch = 1400 feet) and clearly shows the village and the surrounding area.

This kind of data is very important in developing plans for community growth and expansion. It is useful in gaining an understanding of some of the natural and man-made features that affect the community (e.g., flood hazards, erosion, source of water supply, location of waste disposal sites, etc.)