

## Building Partnerships Building Trails

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# ALASKA TRAILS

# Recreational Trails Program RTP in a nutshell



- Roughly \$1.5 million for trail projects each year
- Bonus Round with applications due April 30<sup>th</sup>
- Applications due in the fall (Oct/Nov) for upcoming year
- Now is a great time to be thinking about and planning an RTP Grant application for the Fall for 2022!
- http://dnr.alaska.gov/parks/grants/trails.htm

# Alaska Trails RTP Projects

- 2006 Alaska Trail Steward Training Program: \$31,725
- 2008 Hillside Single-track: \$50,000
- 2009 ESTER DOME SINGLETRACK TRAIL: \$50,000
- 2009 HILLSIDE SINGLETRACK PROJECT, PHASE II: \$50,000
- 2010 HAPPY VALLEY TRAIL CONSTRUCTION PHASE II: \$50,000
- 2013 Government Peak Single Track: \$50,000 Tool Trailer: \$18,833 Alaska Trails 2014 Trails Conference: \$32,250
- 2016 Alaska Trails, Mirror Lake Phase I: \$50,000.00 Alaska Trails and Chugach Mountain Bike Riders
- 2018 Alaska Trails, Mirror Lake Phase II: \$50,000.00 Alaska Trails / CMBR
- 2019 Alaska Trails, South Fork Rim Trail: \$59,175.00,
- 2020 Alaska Trails, Bird to Gird Trail: \$42,339.00

#### 2021 – Something old and something new

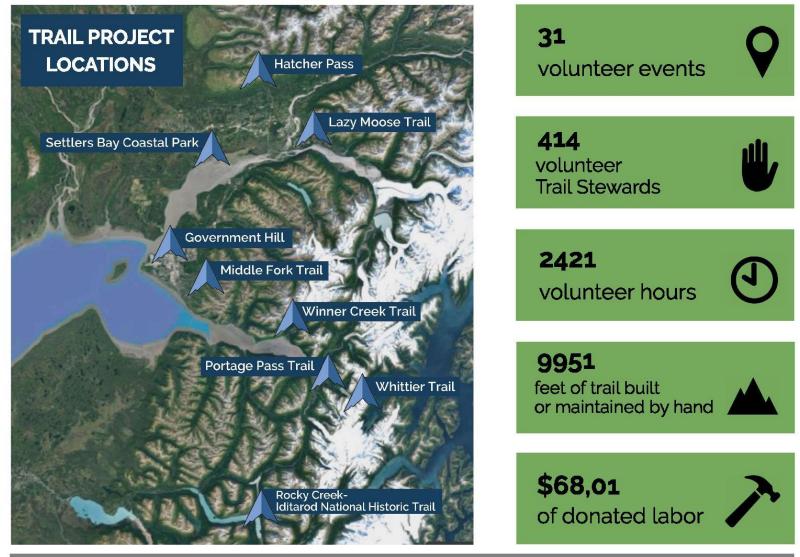
- **Contract Brushing at Eklutna Lake** similar to past years, with the same contractor as Bird to Gird.
- Little O'Malley Peak Trail Funding for our trail crew – which includes a Trail Crew Leader and five crew members. This is new and exciting for Alaska Trails.

# **ALASKA TRAIL STEWARDS**



The mission of the Alaska Trail Stewards Program is to provide volunteer-based trail maintenance services to public land managers and others who have responsibility for safely and sustainably maintaining trails throughout Alaska.

#### ALASKA TRAIL STEWARDS 2019 ACCOMPLISHMENTS —



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# 2020 Pivot to Trail Crew(s)









### <u>IN 2021:</u>

- Trail Crew in Chugach State Park to finish the Little O'Malley Peak Trail (RTP grant)
- A return to volunteer days in conjunction with this and other projects



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