

ALASKA

Alaska is the largest of the 50 U.S. states, with a total area of 591,004 sq mi (1,530,699 sq km), situated in the northwest extremity of the North American continent. No officially defined borders mark off the various regions of Alaska. For this project the whole area was divided to 4 parts, north-west, south-west, south-east, north-east, according to groups provided by Federal Aviation Administration.

MOTTO

“North to the Future” is the official state motto of Alaska by Juneau journalist Richard Peter, adopted in 1967 for the centennial of the Alaska Purchase. He stated that the motto “...is a reminder that beyond the horizon of urban clutter there is a Great Land beneath our flag that can provide a new tomorrow for this century’s ‘huddled masses yearning to be free’.” The motto represents an optimism for a state filled with promise.

BOOK

586 low quality images of Alaska made by web cameras on October 10, 2013 between 10:25 and 10:39 a.m. Alaska Daylight Time. The book is divided to 4 parts according to 4 geographical parts of Alaska. Each location contains from 2 to 4 images made by web cameras directed to different cardinals and a geographical coordinate (latitude and longitude). The locations are arranged in a sequence from north to south.

AWCP

“To improve safety and efficiency, Aviation Weather Camera Program provides weather visibility information through near-real-time camera images to aviation users. Weather images of airports and strategic en-route locations and civil places supply pilots and flight service station specialists. Images are updated every 10 minutes and are available through a user-friendly web-enabled application on a public website.”

