



4th Avenue Theatre, Anchorage

A prominent Deco style landmark located in the heart of downtown Anchorage, this theater was completed in 1947. It is significant for its association with Austin "Cap" Lathrop and as the best example of Art Deco style in Alaska.



Coastal Archaeological Sites Statewide

Although great efforts have been recently made to save sites, still, many Alaska coastal sites are being actively destroyed by erosion, a result of sea level rise, storm surges, and increased wave energy due to climate change. Erosion may expose archaeological remains, resulting in damage to the materials as well as increased chances of looting.

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AAHP publishes a quarterly newsletter; holds workshops; assists historic preservation projects across Alaska; monitors and supports legislation to promote historic preservation; and serves as liaison between local, statewide, and national historic preservation groups.

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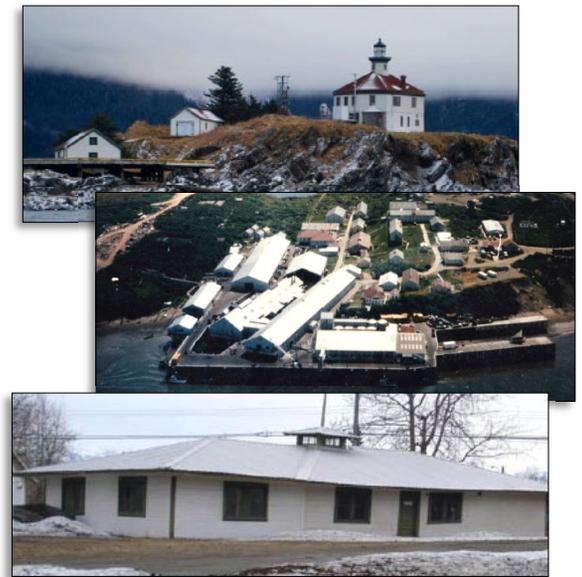
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2017 TEN MOST ENDANGERED HISTORIC PROPERTIES



Ten Most Endangered Historic Properties since 1991





<NN> Cannery, South Naknek

The cannery has operated almost continuously from 1895-2015 and has maintained architectural and cultural integrity; it remains one of the most historically significant remnants of the industry on the West Coast.



**Eldred Rock Lighthouse
Lynn Canal**

This iconic lighthouse, located about 17 miles south of Haines, is seen by more than a million passengers annually. Built in 1905, it is the oldest lighthouse in Alaska and the only remaining example of the octagonal frame structures from the period.

**Three
German
Bachelors'
Cabin
Talkeetna**



This log cabin was built in 1936 and is located at one of the most photographed locations in Talkeetna. The cabin is part

of the National Register of Historic Places-listed Talkeetna Historic District.



Chase-Chapman Building, Anvik

Built in the 1920s by the Episcopal Church and used as a school and orphanage into the 1930s, this National Register of Historic Places-listed building needs stabilization and repairs.



**Wireless Transmitter Site
Anchorage**

Constructed in 1917 by the Alaska Engineering Commission, the current site includes three buildings. It has been found eligible for the National Register of Historic Places for its role in early communication.



**Pratt
Museum
Homer**

The original museum building was designed by

Ed Crittendon for the Alaska Purchase Centennial in 1967. Maintenance has been inadequate and too-often postponed due to lack of finances.



Meiers Lake Church,

Richardson Highway Mile 170. Built by the original property owner Charles Meier in 1920, this unique tiny log chapel stands across the highway from a roadhouse established in 1910. A right-of-way expansion of the highway planned by the state of Alaska in this area would directly affect this building.



Polar Building, Fairbanks

Built in 1952, this 11-story residential tower was the first high rise in downtown Fairbanks. It is now threatened with demolition because redevelopment efforts have not proven successful.