AIA and Arctic Research

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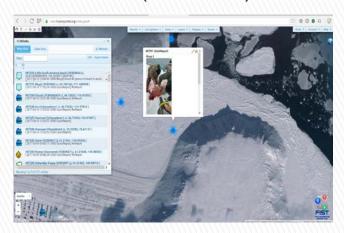
Aleut International Association

- Founded 1998
- Formed by the Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Association (APIA) and the Association of the Indigenous Peoples of the North of the Aleut District of the Kamchatka Region of the Russian Federation (AIPNADKR)
- AIA is governed by a Board of Directors that has four Alaskan and four Russian Aleuts as members
- AIA has three main purposes:
 - Establish close ties between Russian and Alaskan Aleut Communities
 - Engage in international activities through the Arctic Council that advocate for the interests of Indigenous Peoples and promote improvement of the Arctic environment
 - Promote community involvement in research, monitoring, and assessment
- AIA works with governments, scientists and other organizations
- AIA needs the involvement of the people of the region

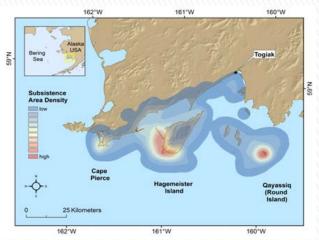
Community-Based Black Carbon and Public Health Assessment Project



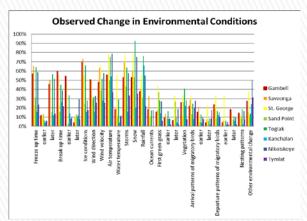
Community-Based Observer Networks for Situational Awareness (CBON-SA)



Arctic Marine Indigenous Use Mapping: Tools for Communities (AMIUM)



Community Observation Network for Adaptation & Security (CONAS)





Thank you! Jim Gamble, AIA

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