



Top Ten Reasons To Build the ROAD

10. You get to drive your own car on a real driving trip instead of paying dozens of state employee to transport it for you.
9. Cost to the traveler is less so travel is available to more people more often and especially to those who cannot afford to pay hundreds of dollars to take their family to Haines or Skagway for a spontaneous weekend getaway.
8. Opportunity to travel daily instead of only a couple days a week. No more worrying if the ferry is full or whether it is even running or not.
7. No more getting up at 5 am and waiting 2 hours to load the ferry and then 4+ more hours to get to Haines. Travel any day you want anytime during the day and arrive a few hours later.
6. Fossil fuel consumption is lower because less fuel will be used per vehicle. Driving the Road instead of ferrying reduces your carbon footprint in Lynn Canal and will make you a better steward of Mother Earth.
5. The Road will cost the State less to build than replacing a ferry.
4. With a 20-minute shuttle ferry ride available between Katzehin and Haines 8 hours per day, 7 days per week, the Road will cost less to maintain than any ferry-only option.
3. The Road will have far more capacity than any ferry-only option. It would take more than ten ferries to equal the capacity of the Road to handle traffic.
2. Building the Road will lower transportation costs, opening up opportunities for trade and commerce to improve the economic health of the region.
1. Building the Road will open up educational, cultural and recreational opportunities year round to improve our physical and mental well-being and our overall quality of life.