



*Seasons Greetings from
Wasilla, Alaska*

We hope your holidays are warm and joyful



*Harvey & Sandy Bowers
Mica, Topaz, Granite, Copper & Sapphire*

Reindeer don't worry about politics, climate change or even North Korea. The favorite pastime is eating, especially a variety of foods! **Mica** loves sweets, apple pie best. **Topaz** prefers rice and popcorn, while her daughter **Sapphire** wants all the whole wheat bread she can get. **Copper**, who thinks he is the alpha male with a big ego, likes more traditional reindeer treats...lichen. **Granite** just likes everything!

This is the time of year we notice the reindeer eye color change from brown to blue, just in time for getting their Christmas Eve flight permit.

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Activities for all ages!

Our reindeer are a definite favorite with guests visiting the Agate Inn. Walking with reindeer around the grounds is a special treat for guests and reindeer alike.

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Growing, growing and still growing.....

Surrounding the Agate Inn (aerial photo) there is steady new business growth, especially in the medical and retail sectors. Mat-Su Regional Hospital is starting an \$80 million expansion. The Hatcher Pass ski area recently received a \$500,000 grant to add a triple chair chairlift.



In addition to the great summer hiking in Hatcher Pass, the 4.5 miles of lighted cross country ski trails are a favorite in winter. [Keep Reading](#) for more information about hiking, skiing, biking and equestrian trails.



150,000 kWh.....Our solar panels have produced 150,000 kWh of electricity. Between solar electric and solar thermal generation, Agate Inn produces more than 50% of its annual energy needs. The Inn is one of the larger small power producers for our local electric utility.

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