

# Alpine Transportation Company



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Office of the Commissioners  
Regulatory Commission of Alaska  
701 W. 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 300  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Re: Alpine Transportation Company  
Tariff Advice Letter TL23-538

Dear Commissioners:

Enclosed for filing is the 9<sup>th</sup> revision of Sheet No. 5 to Alpine Transportation Company (ATC) Tariff No. 538 to be effective January 1, 2010. ATC will also make a filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) today, November 30, 2009 requesting a similar applicable interstate rate to be effective January 1, 2010. The new rate will result in a increase to \$.69/bbl due to reduced throughput.

The new tariff was calculated in accordance with the Settlement Agreement approved by the Regulatory Commission of Alaska. An original and ten copies of the Cost of Service Summary, in envelopes marked "Confidential" pursuant to Section I-5 of the Alpine Settlement Agreement, are attached. One copy of the disk showing the calculation, also marked "Confidential" pursuant to Section I-5 of the Alpine Settlement Agreement is attached in a similarly marked envelope.

ATC respectfully requests that the tariff filing be allowed to take effect on January 1, 2010, the same date as its FERC rates.

ATC requests that the Regulatory Commission of Alaska waive the applicable statutory filing period under AS 42.06.390 and 3 AAC 48.300 (a)(c) for good cause shown and permit this filing to become effective on shortened notice, if necessary.

A copy of the Tariff will be available for public inspection at the offices of ATC at 700 G Street, Room 986, Anchorage, Alaska 99501, and Attention Luke Kiskaddon at phone number (907) 265-6393. ATC shippers as well as state agencies will be notified of the filing via email.

Please call myself or Luke Kiskaddon if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

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Cancelling  
8th Revised

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FROM	TO	RATE
Colville Alaska Alpine Field	Kuparuk River Unit	\$0.69/bbl

Tariff Advice No. 23 Effective January 01, 2010

Issued By: Alpine Transportation Company

By: John M. Christal Title: Commercial Assets Business Manager

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