24-Month Community Timeline

- 30 Sept: Applications due
- Oct – Dec: Initial planning meetings between DoD and communities
- July: DoD notifies communities of selected projects
- April: Start mission season
Alaska Air Guardsmen build homes for Cherokee veterans

Alaska Air National Guardsmen with the 176th Civil Engineer Squadron stand alongside Brig. Gen. Anthony Stratton, 176th Wing commander, as they near the end of their participation in the Cherokee Veterans Housing Initiative in Tahlequah, Okla., May 27, 2021. The initiative is a collaboration between the Defense Department’s Innovative Readiness Training program and the Cherokee Nation to build new single-family homes and supporting infrastructure for eligible Cherokee Nation veterans and their families. (U.S. Air National Guard photo)
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After six years of hard work by sailors, soldiers, airmen and National Guard led by Marines the runway extension in Old Harbor, Alaska, was completed. Col Moses, LtCol Barborka, Sgt Lin and Cpl Abbenhaus completed the first mission on this new runway. They delivered a Codel to cut the ribbon on the transfer to Alaska Transportation office who will maintain it. 2600 Marines participated and the change made for both the village and the Marines will never be forgotten.