



# CORDOVA CENTER PROJECT

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## Project Update

### PLANNING

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- **2002-2004** Site and architectural design of the project developed through a series of community public meetings held
- **2005** Business and Economic Plan for the Cordova Center completed
- Construction documents are 85% complete

### BENEFITS

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- Provides ADA accessibility to all government services for the community.
- Provides space for an expanded museum, library and creates multi-use community education rooms
- Provides theatre/performance space for the community
- Provides conference and meeting space to spur economic development within the community and PWS Region
- Site creates transportation link and connection between Cordova's busy harbor and active business district

### COSTS AND FUNDING

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- Total Project Cost estimate \$20 million; \$12.2 million secured
- Land for the preferred site purchased by the City of Cordova in 2005
- Over \$25,000 raised within the community through special events, silent auctions, individual donations and other activities
- Commitment to sustainable, energy efficient design to assist in long term operations and maintenance costs

### PARTNERS

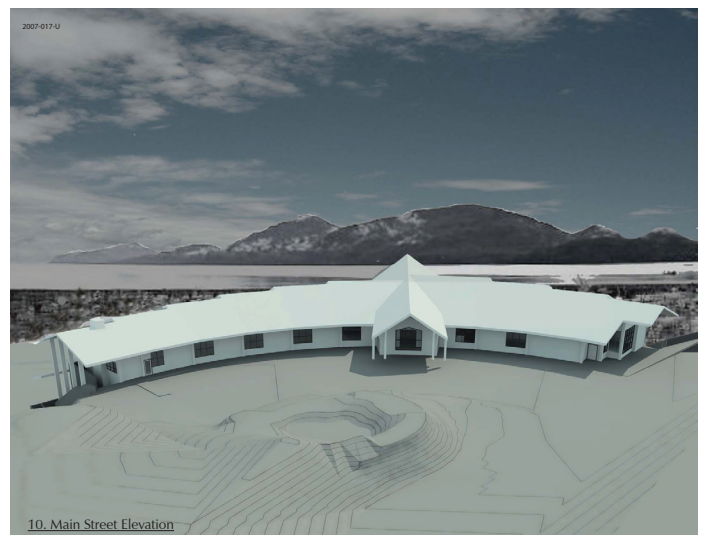
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Community partners include:

- Native Village of Eyak
- U.S. Forest Service
- Prince William Sound Science Center
- Cordova School District
- Cordova Historical Society
- Friends of the Cordova Public Library
- Tatitlek Corporation
- Eyak Corporation
- Stage of the Tides
- Cordova Arts and Pageants
- and many, many more

Other partners include:

- Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council
- The State of Alaska



The Cordova Center is a community-based project developed to address the needs of Cordovans and benefit the Prince William Sound Region and the State of Alaska.