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Juneau Hydropower, Inc. and Juneau District Heating Complete Land Purchase for District Energy Plant Location in Downtown Juneau.

On August 24, 2017, a key milestone was completed to fulfill the vision of building the first Seawater Powered District Heating System in North America that will provide heating and cooling for the businesses and residents in Juneau, when the parking lot property on Egan Drive across from the Juneau Arts and Culture Center was purchased by Develop Juneau Now from the Alaska Mental Health Trust.

The acquisition of this land will be followed by the construction of a District Energy Plant on the site and the installation of heating and cooling piping infrastructure throughout the downtown area. The Juneau District Heating owned plant will be powered by Juneau Hydropower's Sweetheart Lake Hydroelectric Plant, which is also moving forward into construction. The Heating District will be capable of heating the homes and businesses in Downtown Juneau by simply harvesting the energy of water flowing downhill coupled with energy from the sun heating seawater. This never before combination of clean, renewable energy will be a showcase for sustainability for the rest of the world to follow, as well as visitors to see along the future Juneau Sea Walk, which will pass right by the District Energy Plant.

The District Energy Plant will not only provide a less expensive alternative to burning fossil fuels, it will also displace millions of gallons of fuel oil used for heating and hot water every year in Juneau. "We look forward to creating jobs and contributing to the economic and sustainable energy development of Juneau" said Keith Comstock, CEO.

To learn more about how the combination of Renewable Electricity coupled with Seawater Heat Pump Technology will make a significant impact on the Juneau's future, please visit www.juneauhydro.com and <https://juneaudistrictheat.com/>

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