

# Manakotak

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Update

Took a trip to Manakotak on May 30, and met with the group from the Denali Comm. We toured the new health clinic first. Very nice facility. Large building, but as they explained, the heating fuel tank is not large enough. The building uses a lot of fuel in the cold months and they had to fill the tank weekly. Too bad they didn't build it closer to the power plant, they could have used waste heat. We next went over the power plant and Moses met with us and gave a tour to the group. It is a nice little plant. The group seemed impressed, especially with the way the plant PLC is set up to always run the engines to match the load the most economically. I talked to Kathleen Prentki, and she was talking to Moses about the lack of an official foreman. I think she understands a little better why it's so hard to get anybody to take the position. We then went to look at the buildings that are heated by waste heat from the plant.

I tried to call Moses today but the person who answered said he was out in his skiff today berry picking. I asked them to tell Moses I called and would call again later. Also the network camera for the plant is up and working now.