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**Supreme Court Request for Supplemental Information on
Kensington Permits**

Central Council Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska (Central Council) is disappointed that the Supreme Court has not yet ruled in favor of the regulatory agencies' decision to permit the Kensington Gold Mine. However, the Tribe is pleased the Justices have asked for additional information to clarify the permitting process.

Central Council's concerns remain for the many tribal citizens and other Alaskans who remain unemployed while this complex case is decided. A delay of a few months to several years can be devastating to those that are unemployed.

Central Council has always believed that this complex case is about regulatory jurisdiction and interpretations, and continues to remain confident that the permits for the Kensington Gold Mine and Goldbelt will be approved by the Supreme Court.

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