

Old Hope School (L20) which is currently the home of the community library was built on Block 11,

Lot 1 in 1938 using a standard Alaska Territorial school design. The Juneau contractor hired local labor included Ed Haun and Dennie McCart. The building served as the Hope School from 1938 to 1987. There was usually only one teacher, and teacher housing was on the second floor. Due to a shortage of students, there were no classes from 1958 to 1963, 1969 to 1970, and 1971 to 1977. There were two outhouses. The building had gas lights. A windmill was installed, but it produced only intermittent electric power. The building had indoor toilets by 1963...

