

Alaska Soil Orders Word Find

Soils are divided by type into 12 major groups, called orders. Seven of these orders of soils occur in Alaska: Andisols, Entisols, Gelisols, Histosols, Inceptisol, Mollisols and Spodosols. Within each of the orders, there are different soil series that have names, often named for places or sometimes people. Alaska's state soil is named for a major river in Interior Alaska. In the list of puzzle words, those in lower case are soil-related words; those in all capitals are the soil orders; those in initial capitals are Alaska soil series names. Solve the puzzle to learn the name of Alaska's State Soil.

T A N N O I T A R T L I F N I A N E G A N I A R D M J A G I
 S T H G R G T T O L S T O I E A A C H E N A H N E A I N L S
 E R A A I I N S S K A S N A G I L L I H C O E I R N I N T S
 L A E L N L V I O T M O S Q U I T O F E R N E V S L O O T E
 L I L V A T M E H R E Y M E S T E R I I A L I K T Y G D C O
 E A A L I R E O R C F T G O J L P D Z N S S L T C J A T E L
 T G N N S R E E R W A A A O L D O O A O Z O O L L O I L H P
 S N D T D L D N K E A E M B L L N S N S L M L K I O M M C B
 E T L P I I O E I L S S L R U D I S O L L E L S O O A M B O
 N V O W Y W S S L M A R H N E R S S L D E O S A N Y S M U P
 D K A T U L H O O I F T E K M P K T O O O V S U I D U B X H
 B E D R O C K S L T P B Q Y P N C L R L P P A I M C N K U E
 L A I V U L L A A S S K Z E A A J I I E S E S R L U A A U S
 S L O S I T N E J K I I A L U L V S C D A P B O G E H L S K
 D I S A P P O I N T Z T H B S L O S I X O M C G R H G X G H

ALFISOLS	Estelle	infiltration	mineral	Riverwash
alluvial	Ester	Jarvis	Minto	sand
ANDISOLS	GELISOLS	Jim	MOLLISOLS	silt
bedrock	Gilmore	Kashwitna	Mosquito	slope
Chena	glacial	Koyukuk	mottling	SPODOSOLS
Chilligan	Goldstream	Krubate	Nenana	subsoil
clay	gravel	layers	OXISOLS	Talkeetna
Disappoint	HISTOSOLS	leaching	peat	Tolstoi
drainage	horizon	loam	pedon	
Eielson	hummock	loess	permafrost	
ENTISOLS	humus	Lutak	Piledriver	

The majority of the organic (peat) soils in the United States are in Alaska.