Fisheries **Frederick Thrane Johnson**

General Information

Board/Commission and seat you are seeking:
Fisheries, Seat being vacated by Susan Jeffrey

Additional Boards/Commissions of interest:
None

State Boards/Commissions on which you have served:
Board of Fisheries, Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute

First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
Frederick	Thrane	Johnson

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Military Service		
NA		

Conflict of Interest

Full disclosure of personal financial data under AS 39.50.010 is required for certain boards and commissions. Are you willing to provide this information if required for the board or commission which you are applying?
Yes

Service in a public office is a public trust. The Ethics Act (AS 39.52.110) prohibits substantial and material conflicts of interest. Is it possible that you or any member of your family will benefit financially by decisions to be made by the board or commission for which you are applying? If you answer 'yes' to this question you MUST explain the potential financial benefit.
Yes

Please explain the potential financial benefit
Yes|Answering yes to this question is in recognition of the fact that the Board of Fisheries promulgates regulations affecting fisheries in which I currently participate, or those in which I might participate. It would be disingenuous to say that neither I nor any board member would nver be impacted positively or negatively by the Board's actions. However, Board actions are guided by policies that prohibit any individual board member's participation in deliberations, or voting on specific issues, which might benefit that member in a substantial or material way. Those policies constitute a prudent and reasonable check on conflicts of interest which the Board and the public, in my experience, recognize and enforce.

Employment History

Employment work history including paid, unpaid, or voluntary.
Currently self-employed commercial fisherman. Regional Fisheries Coordinator/Director 2008-2015, Bristol Bay Economic Development Corp.; Media Director Bristol Bay Native Association 2000-2008. Public Relations Specialist 1996-1999 Bristol Bay Housing Authority; Editor and Publisher Bristol BayTimes newspaper, 1980-1992; Owner, Mosquito Press, 1983-1994; Secretary, part-time, Marine Advisory Program, 1989-1993; Fairbanks Laborers Union 942, 1975-1978; General Assignment Reporter, All-Alaska Weekly, 1975, Tallahassee Democrat 1973-1975.

Education, Training, Experience & Qualifications

List both formal and informal education and training experiences:
35 years experience in Bristol Bay's near-shore fisheries: salmon, herring and halibut. Attended Florida State and Syracuse University (Journalism), Coast Guard OUPV training; UAF Better Process Control School (Thermal Processing, Retorts, etc.).

List any professional licenses, certifications, or registrations and dates obtained that may be used as qualifying criteria:
CFEC Bristol Bay Salmon Drift Permit; U.S. Coast Guard OUPV LIcense; HACCP Certification; Marine Drill Instructor Certification

List any community service, municipal government, and state positions held, and any awards received.
Alaska Board of Fisheries (2013-2016); Nushagak Electric & Telephone Director 2006-2016; Bristol Bay Campus Council volunteer 2010-2014; Bristol Bay Regional Seafood Development Association Director 2007 to present; Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute Director (2016)

Conviction Record

Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor within the past five years or a felony within the past ten years?
No

Conviction Circumstances

Certification of Accuracy & Completeness

By submitting this online application, I swear the information I have entered on this form is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if I deliberately conceal or enter false information on the form my application may be rejected, I may be removed from the list of eligible candidates, or I may be removed from the position. I agree that the Office of the Governor may contact present or former employees or other persons who know me to obtain an additional information about my skills and abilities. I understand that the information on this application is public information and may be released through a legal request for such information.

Type "I certify"
"I certify"

Resume Addendum:
Attached

Press Release Wording

Dillingham resident Fritz Johnson, 67, began fishing commercially in Bristol Bay in 1979. He founded the Bristol BayTimes weekly newspaper in 1980 which he owned and published until 1992, afterwards working in public relations for various non-profits in the Bristol Bay region, and as the Regional Fisheries Coordinator for the Bristol Bay Economic Development Corporation from 2008 until 2015.

Johnson served a previous three-year term as a member of the Alaska Board of Fisheries, and was appointed to a seat on the Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute board of directors in 2016. Other fisheries related work includes three terms as an elected volunteer director of the Bristol Bay Regional Seafood Development Association.

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Professional Resume

Frederick Thrane 'Fritz' Johnson

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1979 to Present: Commercial Fisherman, Bristol Bay; CFEC S03T Permit Holder since 2000; captain since 1989.

2013 to 2016: Board member, Alaska Board of Fisheries

2016 to Present: Director, Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute

April 2008 to October 2015: Regional Fisheries Program Coordinator, Bristol Bay Regional Economic Development Association, Dillingham, Alaska.

> Tasked with increasing the profitability and sustainability of Bristol Bay's near-shore small boat fisheries, principally salmon, herring and halibut, and the communities that depend on them, through quality improvements, new market development and regulatory oversight. (Salary plus summer fishing leave).

Jan. 2000 to April 2008: Media Director, Bristol Bay Native Association, Dillingham, AK

> Responsible for public relations and various special projects for the Bristol Bay Native Association and, concurrently since 1996, the Bristol Bay Housing Authority. Responsibilities include BBNA's web site, writing, editing, photography, design, layout and prepress work for newsletters, calendars, annual reports, posters, advertising and press releases. Supervises and mentors Media Services Assistant, and provides ad hoc assistance to staff with computer hardware and software problems, as well as graphic and research assistance for grant applications. Actively involved in promoting Internet connectivity and technical capacity building to Bristol Bay tribal offices. Extensive experience with web and graphic design software and Microsoft Office products. Salary plus summer fishing leave.)

1996–1999: Public Relations Specialist, Bristol Bay Housing Authority, Dillingham, AK

> Responsible for public relations for the Bristol Bay Housing Authority and, concurrently since 1997, the Bristol Bay Native Association. Duties include writing, editing, photography, design, layout and pre-press work for newsletters, calendars, annual reports, posters and advertising, press releases and special projects. (Salary plus summer fishing leave.)

Feb. - Mar. 1995: Event Coordinator, Bristol Bay Native Association Fisheries Conference, Dillingham, AK

> Successfully organized a four-day regional fisheries conference and trade fair for the Bristol Bay Native Association. Duties included working with a six-member

steering committee to develop the agenda, fund-raising, print and broadcast advertising and promotion, persuading a score of presenters from the public and private sectors to participate and arranging for their transportation, lodging and scheduling, reserving meeting halls and presentation equipment, soliciting door prize donations, plus coordination and ticket sales for a seafood banquet attended by more than 200.

1980-1992: Editor and Publisher Bristol BayTimes & Mosquito Press, Dillingham, AK

Founded and published a regional weekly newspaper and subsidiary print shop with annual sales nearing $300,000. Responsible for all aspects of management and production in addition to billing, accounts payable and payroll. Managed up to eight full and part-time employees.

1989–1993: Secretary, Marine Advisory Program, Dillingham, AK

Half-time nine month position as secretary to the University of Alaska's Marine Advisory Program Agent. Responsible for typical secretarial duties, plus writing and editing articles for the fishing industry, posters and advertising for classes and special events.

Public Service

- Alaska Board of Fisheries, 2013 to 2016.
- Director, Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute, appointed 2016.
- Elected Board Member, Nushagak Electric & Telephone Cooperative, Dillingham, AK, 2006 to 2016
- 2007 to Present, Elected Board Member, Bristol Bay Regional Seafood Development Association. Served as Vice President and President 2012 to 2015.
- 2010 to 2014, Volunteer member Bristol Bay Campus Council, Dillingham, AK
- 2001 to 2014, Volunteer Instructor, Rising Wind Dojo, Dillingham Cuong Nhu Oriental Martial Arts Association, Dillingham, AK

Education

- 1967 graduate Alexis I. duPont High School, Greenville, DE
- 1967–1969, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL: General Undergraduate Studies
- 1969-1971, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY, Newhouse School of Public Communications, focus on Magazine Writing and Latin American Studies.
- 2004 to Present: University of Alaska-Fairbanks Bristol Bay Campus: Continuing course work in grant writing, graphic and web design, outboard and diesel engine maintenance, welding and marine refrigeration.