### Commercial Fisheries Entry

Dale Kelley

#### General Information

Board/Commission and seat you are seeking: Commercial Fisheries Entry, Commissioner

> Additional Boards/Commissions of interest: None

State Boards/Commissions on which you have served:

PSC Transboundary River Panel, PSC Northern Panel, North Pacific Anadromous Fisheries

Commission, Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission

First Name Dale

Middle Name

**Last Name** Kelley

Military Service

#### **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. No

Please explain the potential financial benefit

## **Employment History**

Employment work history including paid, unpaid, or voluntary. Resume attached.

# **Education, Training, Experience & Qualifications**

List both formal and informal education and training experiences:

Resume attached.

List any professional licenses, certifications, or registrations and dates obtained that may be used as qualifying criteria:

Resume attached.

List any community service, municipal government, and state positions held, and any awards received. Former Hospice & Red Cross volunteer and 4H Leader

#### **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**

Note: I do not have a professional photo and would prefer not to submit one, if possible.

Dale Kelley, 61, of Juneau, Alaska is long-time executive director of the Alaska Trollers Association and occasional deckhand in the troll fishery. She serves on a number of fisheries related boards and commissions.

Submitted: 11/13/2017 8:09:44 AM

# Dale Kelley

P.O. Box 22710, Juneau, AK 99802 Email and references on request

# **Fisheries Experience**

1988 – Feb 2018 Alaska Trollers Association
Executive Director (1989) / Administrative Assistant (1988)
2008 – Present Pacific Salmon Commission, Transboundary Rivers Panel / Chinook Work Group
2015 - Present North Pacific Anadromous Fisheries Commission, Chair, U.S. Advisory Panel
1989 – Feb 2018 United Fishermen of Alaska, Board Member,
Offices Held: President, Vice President, Executive Committee
Committees Chaired: Fish Farm/Environmental; National Issues
2016 Governor's Working Group on Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission
2015 2017 Transboundary Citizen's Advisory Workgroup
2014 – 2017 Board Member, Resources for All Alaskans
2005 – 2012 Founding Board Member/Secretary, Commercial Fishermen of America
1994 – 2005 Alaska Commissioner, Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission
2009 – 2015 Co-Chair, Southeast Alaska Chinook Mitigation Task Force
2003 2004 Alaska Legislative Salmon Task Force Marketing Committee; Chair, Subcomm. Direct Marketing
2001 2003 Troll Representative, Southeast Sustainable Salmon Fund Stakeholder Panel
1996 – 2009 President, Salmon for Alaska's Future
1995 – 2008 President / Manager, Alaska Salmon Coalition
1998 – 2005 Editorial Board, National Fisherman Magazine
1989 – 1999 President / Manager, Allied Fishermen of Southeast Alaska
1996 – 1999 Member, Glacier Bay Working Group
1993 – 1997 Chairman, Alaska Citizen's Advisory Committee on Federal Reauthorizations
1994 Member, U.S. Office of Technological Assessment Committee, Technologies to Protect Fish at Dams
1989 – 1993 U.S. Northern Panel & Chinook Working Group, Pacific Salmon Commission

Fish Culturist, Prince William Sound & Southeast Alaska Commercial Fishing Deckhand

## **Other Experience**

Pharmacy Technician, Level A / Anesthesia Technician / Emergency Medical Technician Clinic & Hospitals in Valdez/Juneau, AK; Nassau Bay, TX; Richland, WA Accounting Clerk / Office Manager
Construction Laborer

1989 – 1992 Troll Representative, Treaty Hatchery Mitigation Planning Work Group

#### **Education**

University of Alaska – Attended; fisheries emphasis
San Jacinto College – Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)
Completed training necessary to attain Level A Pharmacy Technician in WA & TX

November 9, 2017

Governor Bill Walker Box 110001 Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Governor Walker:

I am writing to express interest in appointment to the Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission (CFEC).

For the past three decades I have been executive director of a commercial fishing organization representing fishermen who fish state and federal waters for salmon, halibut, and a number of other species. As a result, I have acquired extensive knowledge in fisheries and habitat conservation, resource management, and a wide array of state, federal, and international regulatory policies and relevant law that underpins them. I am familiar with the scope of work CFEC tackles, and throughout my career have both consulted and worked with CFEC commissioners and staff. I welcome a new challenge and opportunities for learning that a CFEC appointment would bring.

Of concern to me is the imminent departure of both current CFEC commissioners. The value of their combined experience and institutional memory cannot be over-stated; they will leave big shoes to fill. It is my hope that the knowledge and experience I bring to the table would be of assistance to CFEC, the state, and coastal communities. But no matter who is selected to fill the available commissioner seats, it is important that at least one of the appointees has a good understanding of the challenges confronting the seafood industry in general, and the harvesting sector in particular.

Healthy, sustainable fisheries are a source of pride for fishermen and the state's residents. Carefully developed limited entry programs administered by CFEC are a fundamental part of the formula for success that has led to the world class standing of Alaska's commercial fisheries. Working to help maintain Alaska's vibrant fisheries, and building upon the solid foundation laid by current and past commissioners, is what makes service at CFEC of particular interest to me.

I look forward to discussing with you the opportunity to serve in a commissioner's post at CFEC.

Best regards,

Dale Kelley

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