



# ALASKA LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION

Providing FREE high-quality civil legal services to Alaskans since 1967

## FACT SHEET: ALSC COMMUNITY IMPACT



**\$10.3M**

Annual Budget



**12 Offices**

Serving 204 Alaskan Communities



**6,203**

Cases Handled in FY24



**17,145**

Alaskans Helped in FY24



**86%**

ALSC Positive Case Results



**5 to 1**

Return on Investment for Alaska

Alaska Legal Services Corporation (ALSC) is a private nonprofit law firm offering free civil legal aid to low-income individuals. Committed to ensuring equal access to justice for all Alaskans, ALSC plays a vital role in supporting the state's most vulnerable populations.

ALSC generates millions in measurable economic benefits. Through partnerships with local governments, nonprofits and tribal partnerships, ALSC maximizes resources and maintains a crucial presence in both urban and rural Alaska.

As the only private provider of comprehensive legal services in these areas, ALSC ensures no Alaskan is left behind. Every dollar invested in ALSC creates five dollars in economic impact, benefiting clients, communities, and the state.\*

**"Rural areas face significant barriers to justice—geographic isolation, limited broadband access, unique cultural traditions, and, in tribal areas, their own legal systems. At its core, it's a numbers problem: there just aren't enough lawyers in rural communities."**  
— John Levi, Board Chair, Legal Services Corporation

## ALASKA'S JUSTICE GAP

The justice gap is the significant divide between the civil legal needs of low-income individuals and the availability of resources to meet those needs. This gap leaves many people without access to legal help for critical issues such as housing instability, domestic violence, or denial of essential benefits.

In Alaska, this challenge is amplified by its vast geography and remote communities, creating legal deserts where civil legal aid is scarce or entirely unavailable, leaving many to face complex legal issues alone.



**<50%**

ALSC's average acceptance rate due to limited resources



**182 Alaskans**

Could be served with \$100K in additional funding

\*For more information, see "An Analysis of the Economic Impacts and Social Benefits of Assistance Provided by Alaska Legal Services Corporation", a report prepared by The Resource for Great Programs, Inc., with Funding Provided by Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority.



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