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### Employment

Organization Name: Alaska Dept. of Transportation & Public Facilities  
Division of Program Development  
[REDACTED]  
Juneau, Alaska 99811-2500

JOB TITLE: Transportation Planner III

YEARS EMPLOYED: 2007 – 2010

As Chief for Surface Transportation, I reported to the Division Director, Division of Program Development and was responsible for providing direction and guidance for the full range of surface transportation programs. This involves coordinating and reviewing the submission of federally required planning documents for the State Transportation Plan and the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program to ensure Alaska's Federal transportation planning certifications and funding eligibility.

I was responsible for direct and indirect supervision of staff of 23 full-time employees and oversaw the allocation of a transportation capital budget that exceeded \$500 million annually. My duties included contributing to the leadership efforts of the division, contributing to the overall goals and strategies, identifying and solving programmatic problems, and acted for the Director whenever he was unavailable or on travel status.

JOB TITLE: Transportation Planner II

YEARS EMPLOYED: 2006 – 2007

As Capital Programs Manager, I was responsible for managing all Federal-Aid Highways funds received by the state. This is the largest funded program in the Department of Transportation and involves processing over 800 project agreements, worth approximately \$500 million annually. The Capital Programs section is responsible for assembling funding requests for each project into a three-year schedule of capital improvements called the State Transportation Improvement Program or STIP. I supervised the preparation of the STIP and subsequent tracking to ensure timely disbursement of federal funds for construction and maintenance of the entire state surface highway system, including allocations for the Anchorage and Fairbanks metropolitan planning organizations (MPOs). I also supervise the preparation of the Department's annual capital budget which is currently worth approximately \$1billion and funds all transportation projects within the state, including highways, airports, rail, ports, etc. The Capital Programs Section is also responsible for the scenic byways program and the preparation of the urban work planning program, which allocates federal planning funds to the Anchorage and Fairbanks MPOs. Currently, the Capital Programs staff includes six (6) planner IIIs, one (1) planner I/II and one non-permanent intern.

Organization Name: Alaska Dept. of Environmental Conservation  
Air Non-Point & Mobile Source Programs  
410 Willoughby Avenue, Suite 303  
Juneau, Alaska 99801-1795

JOB TITLE: Environmental Conservation Manager II

YEARS EMPLOYED: 1995 – 2006

As the program manager for the Air Non-Point & Mobile Source Programs, I was responsible for managing all air pollution control programs related to mobile sources (e.g., fuel specifications, I/M programs, emission inventory development, toxic emissions, inter-agency consultation related to transportation and air quality laws and regulations, etc.), area sources (e.g., snowmobiles, fireplaces, etc.) and radiation (former nuclear test site). In the absence of the Director, I or my mobile source section manager represented the Department on the Transportation Planning Policy Committee for the coordinated transportation processes

in Anchorage and Fairbanks. My duties involved: organizing, planning, coordinating and directing the activities of a staff of 21 planners, programmers, engineers and scientists; budgetary development and tracking of expenditures (including collection of program and permit fees) with an annual budget ranging from \$3,000,000 to 4,000,000; enforcement of program regulations; testifying before the legislature and local assemblies; and coordinating Federal legislative, regulatory and administrative issues regarding the non-point and mobile source programs.

JOB TITLE: Acting Environmental Conservation Manager II    YEARS EMPLOYED: 1994 – 1995

As the acting section chief for the Air Quality Management program from December 1994 till October 1995, I was responsible for all air quality programs for the State of Alaska, including but not limited to control programs related to mobile sources (e.g., fuel specifications, I/M programs, emission inventory development, toxic emissions, inter-agency consultation related to transportation and air quality laws and regulations, etc.), area sources (e.g., snowmobiles, fireplaces, etc.), industrial source permits, ambient monitoring, and program administration. During this time, I worked closely with the Director for the Division of Environmental Quality and the Commissioner to review program operations that ultimately resulted in a new organizational structure. My duties involved: organizing, planning, coordinating and directing staff activities; budgetary development and tracking expenditures (including the collection of program and permit fees); enforcement of program regulations; testifying before the legislature and local governing assemblies; and coordinating Federal and state legislative, regulatory and administrative issues regarding the air quality program.

JOB TITLE: Environmental Specialist IV    YEARS EMPLOYED: 1990 – 1994

As the project manager for the Mobile Source Program, I was responsible for managing all air pollution control programs related to mobile sources (e.g., fuel specifications, I/M programs, emission inventory development, transportation impacts on air quality, etc.), development and implementation of air quality plans to attain the national ambient air quality standards in accordance with federal laws and regulations. My duties involved: organizing, planning, coordinating and directing staff activities; budgetary development and tracking of expenditures (including program and permit fees); enforcement of program regulations; testifying before the legislature and local governing assemblies; and coordinating Federal legislative, regulatory and administrative issues regarding the mobile source program.

JOB TITLE: Environmental Specialist III    YEARS EMPLOYED: 1987 – 1990

As an environmental specialist III, I was the statewide program expert for all air pollution control programs related to mobile sources (e.g., fuel specifications, I/M programs, emission inventory development, transportation impacts on air quality, etc.), development and implementation of air quality plans to attain the national ambient air quality standards in accordance with federal laws and regulations. My duties involved: organizing, planning and coordinating program efforts with the department's regional offices and local programs; budgetary development and tracking of expenditures (including program and permit fees); development of policies and procedures to enforce program regulations; prepare briefing materials and testimony for management to testify before Congress, the legislature and local governing assemblies; and coordinating Federal legislative, regulatory and administrative issues regarding the mobile source program.

*Organization Name:*                      *Municipality of Anchorage*  
    *Department of Health & Human Services*  
    *Air Quality Program*  
    *P.O. Box 196650*  
    *Anchorage, Alaska 99501*

JOB TITLE: Program Manager    YEARS EMPLOYED: 1985 – 1987

As the program manager for the Air Quality Program, I was responsible for managing all air pollution control programs including monitoring; enforcement; permitting; air quality modeling; air quality planning,

policy and budget development; implementation of control programs; and transportation impacts on air quality.

JOB TITLE: Program Manager

YEARS EMPLOYED: 1984 – 1985

As the program manager for the Vehicle Inspection Program, I was responsible for implementing and managing the vehicle inspection program. Duties included: review and preparation of state and local legislation; enforcement; plan and supervise data acquisition and analysis; coordination with the State Division of Motor Vehicles and the Department of Environmental Conservation; develop and manage the program budget; prepare position descriptions, organization plans, schedules, and operational procedures.

JOB TITLE: Transportation Planner

YEARS EMPLOYED: 1981 – 1984

As a transportation planner, I was responsible for transportation and air quality modeling; evaluating transportation impacts on air quality; development of air quality plans and programs; and design of the vehicle inspection program for Anchorage. Work included assisting in the development of transportation plans (e.g., Long-range transportation plan, transportation improvement plan, etc.) The position required knowledge of federal regulations, public law related to transportation and impacts on air quality.

*Organization Name: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Alaska Operations Office  
701 'C' Street  
Box 19  
Anchorage, Alaska 99513*

JOB TITLE: Environmental Scientist

YEARS EMPLOYED: 1980 – 1981

As an environmental scientist, I analyzed air quality data; modeled air quality concentrations of carbon monoxide; evaluated various transportation control measures and their effectiveness to reduce emissions; and developed transportation plans to minimize emissions.

*Organization Name: Anchorage Christian Schools  
6575 E Northern Lights  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501*

JOB TITLE: Math and Science Teacher

YEARS EMPLOYED: 1977 – 1980

I taught high school math and science classes, including basic math, algebra I/II, plane geometry, trigonometry, general/physical science and chemistry.

*Organization Name: Municipality of Anchorage  
Department of Health & Human Services  
Air Quality Program  
P.O. Box 196650  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501*

JOB TITLE: Senior Air Resources Technician

YEARS EMPLOYED: 1976 – 1977

As senior air resources technician, I performed inspections of sources of air pollution; collected, analyzed and summarized air pollution data; conducted source inventories; and evaluated test data and specifications. I reviewed and evaluated transportation plans to assess impacts on air quality.

*Organization Name:* U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Alaska Operations Office  
701 'C' Street  
Box 19  
Anchorage, Alaska 99513

JOB TITLE: Chemist

YEARS EMPLOYED: 1974 – 1976

As a chemist, I evaluated discrete and area-wide discharges of airborne wastes; evaluated air quality status; prepared area-wide task plans for relief of standard violations; implemented and administered notifications, permits and inspection programs to comply with air quality standards; monitored and recommended enforcement actions; provided technical assistance to individuals and public entities to accomplish federal, state and local goals for air quality; maintained the statewide emission inventory; estimated point and non-point source emissions; and assisted in source testing.

*Organization Name:* Yakima County Clean Air Authority  
Yakima County Courthouse  
Yakima, Washington 98901

JOB TITLE: Acting Executive Director

YEARS EMPLOYED: 1972 – 1972

As Acting Executive Director, I was responsible for the maintenance of budget records; review of all applications for construction of new industrial facilities; preparation of budget requests for the county, state and federal agencies; inspection of existing industrial sources for compliance with air quality regulations; issuance of violations; preparation of program reports, organizational plans, schedules and operational procedures.

JOB TITLE: Air Quality Specialist

YEARS EMPLOYED: 1970 – 1972

As an Air Quality Specialist, I was responsible for performing routine field and office investigations and monitoring; facility inspections; collection, analysis and summarization of air pollution; and assisted in planning and conducting training programs for the operation of monitoring equipment.

## **Education**

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Granger High School, Granger Washington	1968
BS Chemistry from Central Washington State University	1974

## **Awards - Recognition**

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Environmental Merit Award Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation	1986
Public Service Award Municipality of Anchorage	1987
Exceptional Service Award Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation	1993
President Western States Air Resources Council	1999

## **References**

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The Honorable John Coghill, Senator

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