

General Information

Board/Commission and seat you are seeking:
Marijuana Control Board, Reappointment to Rural seat

Additional Boards/Commissions of interest:
None

State Boards/Commissions on which you have served:
Board of Marine Pilots; Marijuana Control Board (current member)

First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
Mark	Edward	Springer

Military Service	
US Coast Guard 6/1974 - 7/1978	

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.
Tribal Planner and Transportation Director, Tuluksak Native Community
Previous history on resume submitted for original appointment.

Education, Training, Experience & Qualifications

List both formal and informal education and training experiences:
Please see resume submitted for original appointment

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

List any community service, municipal government, and state positions held, and any awards received.
Please see resume submitted for original appointment

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.

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Resume Addendum:
Employed by Tuluksak Native Community as Tribal Planner and Transportation Director.

Press Release Wording

Mark Springer, 60, of Bethel, is Tribal Planner and Transportation Director for the Tuluksak Native Community. He is a 40-year resident of Alaska, a US Coast Guard Veteran and has been involved in local government and econoic development in Rural Alaska for much of that time.

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MARK EDWARD SPRINGER

Seeking Appointment as:

Rural Member, Alaska Marijuana Control Board

Personal Statement:

I believe we have a historic opportunity to develop a progressive system of regulation and revenue as a result of the passage of Ballot Measure 2. Alaskans have spoken and it is essential that an administrative framework be developed that does two things- First, it discourages Legislative action that might review Measure 2 in a way that diminishes the will of the voters, and second, protects individual Alaskans as entrepreneurs while empowering communities, particularly Rural communities, through real regulation and enforcement authorities to ensure community mores are respected while deriving the public revenue stream everyone legitimately anticipates.

Highlights of Qualifications:

- *Alaska Resident since 1976 in Tok, Fairbanks, Manley Hot Springs, Hooper Bay and Bethel*
- *City Council Member, Bethel*
- *2nd Vice-President, Alaska Municipal League*
- *Former City Administrator, Hooper Bay*
- *Responsible and high profile positions in local government and the non-profit sector*
- *Excellent communications skills- former journalist (Fairbanks Daily News-Miner and Alaska Commercial Fisherman newspapers)*
- *Thorough familiarity with Rural and Alaska Native issues*
- *Early and active advocate for the Community Development Quota Program*
- *U.S. Coast Guard Veteran*

References and letters of support are available upon request

Currently

Rural Strategic Consultants

Bethel, Alaska

Owner

- Providing grant writing and consulting services to Municipalities, Tribes and businesses.

Employment History

Orutsararmiut Native Council

Bethel, Alaska

May 2013 – August 2014

Director, Senior Services

- Managed the Eddie Hoffman Senior Center/Chrissie Shantz Adult Day Program (5 full-time employees) serving 70+ Seniors in Bethel. Assured program continuity, participant health and safety and effective and compliant provision of Nutrition and Transportation Services and Adult Day Services State-funded and Older Americans Act Title VI federal programs. Responsible for all aspects of program operation. The Senior Center was a State of Alaska Home and Community Based Waiver Medicaid services provider.
- Duties included facility and vehicle management, supervising five full-time employees, grant application preparation and submittal, and meeting all program funder requirements.

Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corporation

Bethel, Alaska

2002 – 2012

Director of Grant Development

- Responsible for submission of grant requests to State and Federal agencies and private foundations. Coordinated with Corporate Finance, Senior Leadership and managers at all levels on applications. YKHC received over \$200 million in program and capital grants during my tenure
- Maintained positive professional relationships with all departments receiving grant funding
- Maintained effective and positive relationships with funding agencies
- Hired and directed department staff and prepared annual budget for approval by Senior Leadership and Board of Directors.
- Prepared corporate correspondence on request of CEO
- Administered CITGO fuel donation to 48 communities in 2006-2007
- Made written and verbal reports to the Board of Directors
- Member of YKHC Human Studies Committee
- Represented YKHC at regional and community meetings
- Received regular and refresher training in HIIPA, Compliance and Privacy
- Worked closely with patient care and client care programs and departments

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City of Hooper Bay
City Administrator

Hooper Bay, Alaska 1989 - 2002

- Responsible to City Council and Mayor for operation of a large 2nd Class City. Performed all managerial functions providing reliable public services in Alaska's largest Yup'ik community.
- Maintained regular professional liaison with Department of Community and Regional Affairs, Legislative and Congressional offices.
- Resolved significant IRS issue on a handshake agreement
- Worked with Village Safe Water and contractors in developing new sewage lagoon and landfill and design of water system.
- Represented the City at meetings of the North Pacific Fishery Management Council in years prior to creation of the CDQ Program.
- Acted as Human Resources officer
- Supervised Village Police Department
- Responsible for operation and maintenance of all municipal facilities by supervising workforce and responding to urgent requirements or Council requests
- Had daily interaction with Citizens with any number of issues and concerns about City affairs
- Provided a variety "navigator" services to community members, including Elders, in dealing with Social Security, Public Assistance, Court System – in effect, I was Hooper Bay's only "social worker" for many years
- Served on formal and ad hoc committees advising YKHC Behavioral Health on provision of local services

Distance Delivery Consortium
Coordinator

Bethel, Alaska

1999-2000

- University of Alaska employee
- Managed an interagency group seeking to bring connectivity to the YK Delta
- Sysop for regional, interagency e-mail system
- Closed out USDA grant to DDC

Kuigpagmiut Community Development Corporation Mountain Village, Alaska
Executive Vice-President

- Developed program initiatives for a four-village Tribal Consortium on the Lower Yukon River - 501(c)(3)
- Served as KCDC's liaison to the Rural Local Initiatives Support Corporation (Rural LISC)

EDUCATION:

Plymouth-Carver Regional High School

Plymouth, Massachusetts

Class of 1974, Diploma

University of Alaska Fairbanks

1978 – 1981 Major: Political Science and Journalism

Full-time residential student

College of Rural Alaska, UAF, Kuskokwim Campus

1999-present

Degree-oriented coursework

Certified Public Manager Level I Program completion

MILITARY SERVICE:

United States Coast Guard

1974 – 1978 (Vietnam-Era Veteran)

Electronics Technician 3rd Class

Commissioning Crew, USCG LORAN Station Tok, Alaska

Honorable Discharge

COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC SERVICE:

Alaska Municipal League

2nd Vice-President (elected November 2014)

City of Bethel

City Council Member 2nd term, 2013-2015

Council Representative to Port Commission

Public Safety and Transportation Commission

Past Member and Chairman

Bethel Amateur Radio Klub, Inc.

Incorporator and Founding President

Alaska Growth Capital, Inc.

Member, New Market Tax Credits Advisory Committee

Alaska Board of Marine Pilots

Public Member (Hickel/Knowles administrations)

American Radio Relay League, Alaska Section

District Emergency Coordinator, Y-K Delta

Alaska Conservation Foundation

Community Sustainability Grant Program Advisory Board (late 1990's)