

### LAUNCH ALASKA

### House Energy Committee Presentation

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### About

### LAUNCH ALASKA

Founded in 2016 in Anchorage, Launch Alaska is a nonprofit organization on a mission to accelerate the energy transition and decarbonize the globe, starting in Alaska.

We cultivate partnerships to connect climate tech companies and customers, catalyze Alaska's clean energy economy, and build a regenerative future for all.

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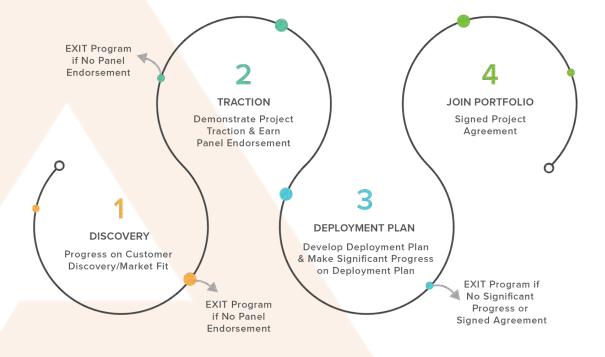
## Our Objective



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### Tech Deployment Track





### Technology Areas

#### Energy

- Clean Energy Generation Solutions: solar, nuclear, wind, thermal, ocean and hydro, waste-to-energy
- Grid Management and Resiliency
- Microgrid Technologies
- Long Duration Energy Storage
- Hydrogen
- Demand-Side Management and Energy Efficiency
- Battery/Solar Panel Recycling
- Biofue ls

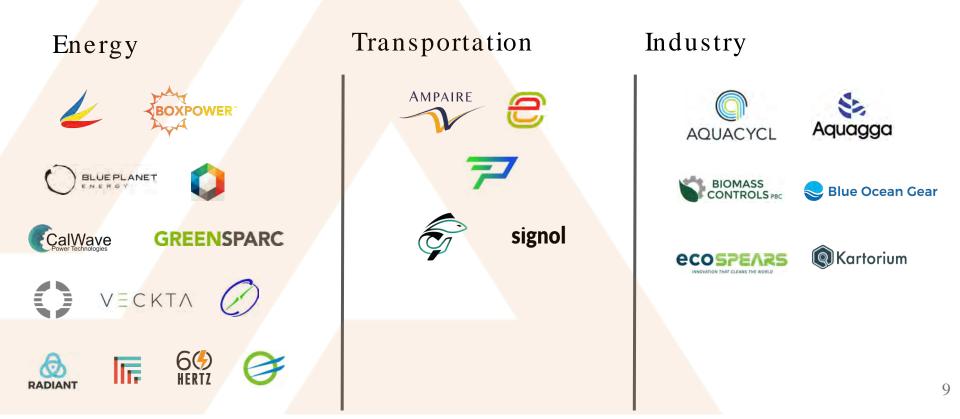
#### **Transportation**

- Autonomous Vehicles
- Unmanned Aerial Vehicles
- Electric Transportation
- Last Mile Transport
- Shipping and Logistics
- Mobility
- Aviation
- Maritime
- Alternative Fuels

#### Industry

- Industrial Internet of Things
- Robotics and Automation
- Carbon Tech
- Hydrogen
- Low-Footprint Industrial Processes
- Alternative Fuels
- 3D Modeling
- Augmented and Virtual Reality
- Predictive Maintenance
- Permafrost Management and Ice Engineering

## **Portfolio Companies**



### Launch Alaska Portfolio

2022 annual data

24 Active Companies 6 Projects Deployed in Alaska in 2022 in 8 Alaska communities

\$320k Total Revenue from Projects Deployed in Alaska in 2022

27 Project Commitments Secured in Alaska in 2022

\$3.8M Projected Revenue from Project Commitments Secured in Alaska in 2022

80k mt CO2 Lifetime GHG Emissions Reduction (all products and services sold in 2022)

## **Deployment & Innovation**

Examples of projects Launch Alaska supports:

- The award-winning Shungnak Community Microgrid project
- Kotzebue Electric Association Roadmap to 100% renewable energy
- Port of Alaska Power Plan and Microgrid
- Municipality of Anchorage Solid Waste Services fleet electrification support



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# Houston Solar Farm

#### Project Summary

Developed by Renewable IPP, this 8.5 MW solar array is Alaska's largest solar project to date.

- Provide power to Matanuska Electric Association (2023 start date)
- Will power 1,400 homes in the Mat-Su Borough
- More affordable than natural gas generation
- Stabilizes energy prices
- Creates 30-40 local construction jobs and 15-20 part-time maintenance jobs when complete

#### Launch Alaska

Supported project financing, sourced investor through a Joint Development Agreement.



"Launch Alaska was instrumental in connecting our Alaska-grown business with investors, enabling us to go from a startup to a real contributor to the Alaska economy." - Jenn Miller, CEO of Renewable IPP

At right: Gov. Mike Dunleavy, MEA CEO Tony Izzo, and Renewable IPP CEO Jenn Miller speak to a crowd of policymakers and business leaders during a groundbreaking ceremony at the Houston Solar Farm in September 2023.



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Thank You

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