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Alaska State Legislature
HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Agenda
8:30 AM

Tuesday, April 5, 2011

Department of Revenue
Bryan Butcher – Commissioner

Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Trustees
Mike Barton, Juneau
Russell Webb, Anchorage

University of Alaska Board of Regents
Jyotsna “Jo” Heckman, Fairbanks
Michael K. Powers, Fairbanks



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Date Referred: February 23, 2011

Committee: **Finance**

University of Alaska Board of Regents

Jyotsna "Jo" Heckman - Fairbanks

Appointed: 2/7/2011

Term Expires: 2/3/2019

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CONFIRMATION COMMITTEE REPORT

Action date: 4/5/11

The **Finance Committee** has reviewed the qualifications of the following Governor's appointee and recommends that this name be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

Commissioner – Department of Revenue

Bryan Butcher

Appointed: 11/24/2010

This does not reflect intent by any of the members to vote for or against this individual during any further sessions for the purposes of confirmation.

Signature:	Printed Last Name
<i>Anna L. Fairclough</i>	FAIRCLOUGH
<i>Sam O'Grady</i>	GRADY
<i>Jamie Wilson</i>	T. WILSON
<i>R. Soule</i>	Soule
<i>Michael Hawker</i>	Hawker
<i>Costello</i>	COSTELLO
<i>Spe Edgmon</i>	Edgmon
<i>Nike Doogan</i>	DOOGAN
Co-chair <i>Bob Stoltz</i>	STOLTZ
Co-chair <i>Wm. B. Thomas</i>	Thomas

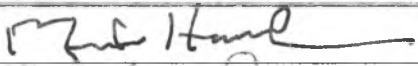
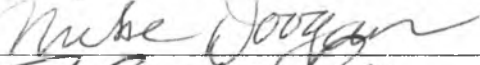
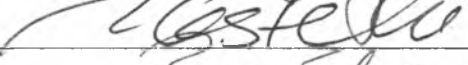
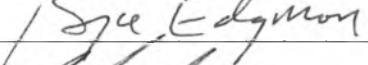
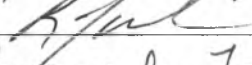
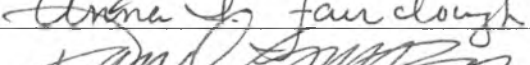
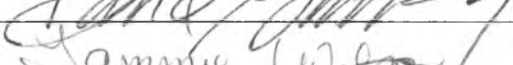




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Action date: 4/5/11

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Signature:	Printed Last Name
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	DOOGAN
	COSTELLO
	Edgmon
	Soule
	FAIRCLOUGH
	GOTTENBERG
	T. Wilson
	C. Gare
Co-Chair: 	Staltee
Co-Chair: 	Thomas

Please attach appointee Referral for Confirmation form(s) and return to the Chief Clerk's office.



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REFERRAL FOR CONFIRMATION

Date Referred: February 2, 2011

Committee: **Finance**

Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Trustees

Mike Barton – Douglas

Appointed: 12/9/2010 Term Expires: 3/1/2014

Action Date: 4/5/11
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Russell Webb – Anchorage

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MEMORANDUM

Date: 2011

To: All Committees

From: Suzi Lowell
Chief Clerk

Subject: Confirmation Committee Report (Signature Page) for Governor's
Appointments

The attached Confirmation Committee Report (signature page) should be used in conjunction with the Referral for Confirmation form for the Governor's appointments to boards and commissions requiring legislative confirmation. After a committee has reviewed the qualifications of the appointee(s), the Referral for Confirmation form(s) should be dated and attached to a signature page. Have members sign the signature page and return the confirmation packet to the Chief Clerk's office.

Please use a single signature page for multiple appointees if the names of all members signing the report are the same for each attached referral. This allows members to sign once for multiple appointments.

Except Bryan Butcher - one committee report All members sign.

Attached are several signature pages for your use. We used colored paper to make them easier to identify. If you anticipate needing more forms or need assistance, please call Nancy McMullen at 465-6809.

Note: A separate report, including the signatures, will be used for department commissioners.

Attachments



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MEMORANDUM

Date: February 23, 2011

To: Representative Stoltze, Co-chair
Representative Thomas, Co-chair
Finance Committee

From: Suzi Lowell, Chief Clerk 

Subject: Governor's Appointment(s)

The Speaker referred the following Governor's appointment(s) to the Finance Committee:

University of Alaska Board of Regents

Jyotsna "Jo" Heckman - Fairbanks

Appointed: 2/7/2011 Term Expires: 2/3/2019

Michael K. Powers - Fairbanks

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The appointments have also been referred to the Education Committee.

The Referral for Confirmation page(s), resume(s), and a signature page are attached for your use. In addition, copies of the resume(s) are also being sent electronically.

Attachments as noted

Jyotsna Heckman

Education

BBA, MBA from UAF, Alaska

Graduate School of Banking, Georgetown Univ. Washington DC

Graduate School of Lending, Southern Methodist University, Dallas TX

Bio

President and CEO

Denali State Bank

Jo Heckman, born and raised in India, came to Fairbanks in 1975 in order to attend the University of Alaska, Fairbanks. Her academic career culminated in 1985 and includes a Master's degree in Business.

One of the original founders of Denali State Bank, which opened its doors in 1986; Heckman occupied various positions within the bank including administration, operations, information systems, marketing, and human resources. In 2003 Heckman succeeded Gary Roth as bank president and thus enjoyed the unique distinction of becoming the first female bank president and CEO in Alaska. That very same year, U.S. Banker magazine declared Heckman one of 25 women to watch in banking. Today, she oversees over 90 employees and five branches in interior Alaska.

In addition to her professional accomplishments, Heckman is active in various community and civic organizations, including the United Way, Foraker Group, Alaska Community Fund, UAF Alumni Association, Rotary, and Greater Fairbanks Chamber of Commerce. Heckman also sits on UAF Chancellor's Board of Visitors.

Jo Heckman has received recognition throughout her professional career, including the University of Alaska Alumni Association's William Cashen Service Award, the Farthest North Girl Scouts Council's Woman of Distinction honor, and the University of Alaska Fairbanks Distinguished Alumnus Award. In 2008, the University of Alaska Fairbanks Associated Students of Business organization honored Heckman with the Business Leader of the Year Award.

MICHAEL K. POWERS, MBA, FACHE, FHFMA

EDUCATION

1984 MA - Business, University of Wisconsin, Madison WI

1980 HD - Anglo-Irish Literature, University of Dublin Trinity, Dublin, Ireland

1978 BA - English Literature, Lawrence University, Appleton, WI

EXPERIENCE

1986 BANNER HEALTH - Fairbanks Memorial Hospital & Denali Center,
Fairbanks, AK

A non-profit 152-bed hospital and 90-bed skilled nursing facility. Gross revenue of \$350M, 250,000

Present square mile service area, and over 1,200 employees. FMH/DC is owned by the Greater Fairbanks Community Hospital Foundation, and leased to and operated by Banner Health.

CEO/ Administrator (1995 to Present); CFO/ Associate Administrator (1986-1995)

Responsibilities: Provide overall strategic, operational and financial direction and analysis of FMHDC activities to ensure stability and access to acute patient care in Interior Alaska. FMHDC was awarded the American Hospital Association's "Living the Vision Award" which was one of two such awards given to American hospitals in 2006 based on their outreach and support to their communities.

Accomplishments:

- Led Fairbanks Memorial Hospital through four unique 3-year strategic planning cycles, helping to transform a 152-bed acute care hospital into a vertically integrated health system providing acute, long term, and critical outpatient care with affiliation with the state's largest primary care clinic.
- Championed master site planning efforts to construct and design a new diagnostic imaging center. Opened \$36M, 57,000sf, Fairbanks Imaging Center on July 1, 2005. Met all targets for timing and project budget. Nationally recognized in 2008 as the single Vista Award Recipient for New Construction by the American Society for Healthcare Engineering of the American Hospital Association and American Institute of Architects Academy of Architectures for Healthcare. This is a distinction and honor recognizing the importance of teamwork in the design and construction of healthcare facilities.
- Cultivated positive workplace culture that engages direct reports as indicated by steady rise in employee satisfaction, placing FMHDC in the 98th percentile of all hospitals nationwide in the Gallup organization database. The Alaska Journal

of Commerce named FMHDC back-to-back in 2008 and 2009 as one of the Top 10 Workplaces for Alaska, based on eight key criteria:

- Creating a culture of fair treatment
- Satisfaction and belief in the organization
- Confidence in leadership
- Creating a clean, safe place to work
- Positive relationships with supervisors
- Support for training and education
- Fair pay and benefits
- Employee commitment to the organization

- Partnered with the University of Alaska-Fairbanks to create nursing and radiology schools on campus, as part of our "Grow Our Own" workforce initiative. Since 2003, Nursing has graduated five nursing cohorts of 15 students. Hired 80%+ of these students, reducing our nurse vacancy rate from 17% to 7% and saving FMH roughly \$4M in recruiting and training costs. Radiology class graduated 5-6 students in May of 2004 -- 2009.

- Championed a hospital-wide update of the facility's Information Technology systems, creating a fully functional electronic medical record, including numerous Cerner clinical applications, upgrades to Seimens MedSeries 4, and Fuji Synapse PACS, lifting FMHDC into the top 10% of hospitals nationwide with electronic patient care records.

- Championed through a master facility plan, efforts for the \$38M remodel and expansion for the ED and IP/ED Imaging project. Construction began June 12, 2006 completed in 2008 phases with little or no disruption to existing operations.

- Lobbied successfully to preserve and strengthen state health planning regulations. Successful CON submissions for Laboratory expansion, Imaging Center, and ED and IP/ED Imaging remodel and expansion.

Administrative Fellow (1985 to 1986)
Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, VA.

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

American College of Healthcare Executives - Fellow (2006)
Healthcare Financial Management Association - Fellow (2004)
State of Alaska Nursing Home Administrator License - (1997)
Certificate - Health Care Financial Planning and Control; UW-Madison, WI (1984)

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & AWARDS

- Fairbanks Distinguished Citizen, Midnight Sun Council of Boy Scouts (2010)
- Northern Leadership Council Advisory Committee, UAF School of Management (2010)
- Alaska State Hospital and Nursing Home Association, Chairman (1999, 2009)
- American College of Healthcare Executives Service Award (2009)
- Honorary Chair of the Fairbanks Summer Arts Festival's Jo Scott Legacy Fund (2009 to present)
- University of Alaska Fairbanks, Board of Visitors (2008 to present)
- Fairbanks Concert Association, Executive Committee (2009 to present)
- KUAC Public Radio & Television Leadership Council, Chair (2006 to present)
- Regent for Alaska - American College of Healthcare Executives (2006 to 2009)
- University of Alaska Foundation (2009 to Present)
- Record-setting American Red Cross Heart Walk, Co-Chair (2003)
- Record-setting United Way of the Tanana Valley Campaign, Co-Chair (2001)
- Boy Scouts of America, Midnight Sun Council, Treasurer (2001 to 2005)
- American Hospital Association's Regional 10 Policy Board, Member (2001 to 2005)
- Interior Neighborhood Health Center, Executive Committee (2000 to Present)
- University of Alaska Fairbanks Summer Research Academy, Advisory Committee (2000 -- 2002)
- Alaska Hospital Association, Executive Committee (1995 to Present)
- Tanana Yukon Historical Society, Member (2005 to present)
- Fairbanks Youth Hockey & Soccer, Coach/Treasurer (1994 to 2006)



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BRYAN D. BUTCHER

VICE PRESIDENT

Anchorage, AK

Alaska Gasline Development Corporation

2010

Worked as the Vice President for the newly established Alaska Gasline Development Corporation that was tasked with developing a plan on how an in-state gas pipeline can be designed, financed, constructed and made operational by December 31, 2015. This plan is due to be submitted to the legislature by July 1, 2011. Was in charge of the Corporation's budget, as well as working on the financing and outreach aspects of the task. Worked in concert with the Commercial Manager in meeting with gas pipeline construction companies, investment banks and gas producers to gauge interest in this project as required by state statute.

LEAD COORDINATOR

Alaska

The Transition Team of Alaska Governor Sean Parnell

2010-2011

In charge of putting together eight policy transition teams that included over 100 Alaskans in developing a transition team report on recommendations in the policy areas of Education, Health Care, Science and Technology, Public Safety and Justice, Resources, Energy and the Environment, Infrastructure, Financial Services and Business Investment and the Military.

SPECIAL ASSISTANT

Anchorage, AK

Alaska Governor Sean Parnell

2009-2010

Worked on issues in the broad policy area of economic development for the Governor, including the establishment of policy teams that met to advise the Governor on issues of importance to that particular sector of the economy.

DIRECTOR OF GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Anchorage, AK

Alaska Housing Finance Corporation

2005-2010

Responsibilities include all communications with the Governor, Legislature, Congress and the federal government on issues affecting the Corporation. Accomplishments include getting more flexibility for the Public Housing Division by having Congress include Alaska in the Moving to Work program and establishment of the Weatherization and Home Energy Rebate programs in the Corporation. Responsibilities included preparing and giving presentations on the Corporation's fiscal health and outlook to the credit rating agencies on Wall Street and assisting in virtually all areas of the Corporation's policy management, including Finance, Public Housing and Mortgage Operations. Also was responsible for all marketing, press relations and public outreach, including the successful educational campaign for the 2010 Veterans mortgage loan program general election vote.

Responsible for successful legislation passed including the establishment of the Alaska Housing Capital Corporation for the funding of future capital projects, expansion of the Teachers and Nurses Housing Loan program to include all health care professionals and expanding the Corporation's statutes to allow it to do more for homeless Alaskans.

MEMBER**Governor Sarah Palin's AGIA Gas Pipeline Team****Alaska
2007-2008**

Worked on the evaluation aspects of the team focused on the financing and bonding proposals included in the applications received during the AGIA process.

CHAIR**Department of Revenue Transition Team****Alaska
2006**

Was in charge of developing and compiling the recommendations for the Department of Revenue transition team document for the Administration of Alaska Governor Sarah Palin.

LEGISLATIVE LIAISON**Alaska Housing Finance Corporation****Anchorage, AK
2003-2005**

Was in charge of relationship with the Governor and the Legislature in all communications, including passing of AHFC transfer plan legislation that resulted in an upgrade in the Corporation's credit rating from Standard and Poor's. Also successfully worked to get a \$25 million AHFC bond bill passed by the legislature to fund sewer and water projects.

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE AIDE**Alaska State Senator Pete Kelly, Co-Chair****Anchorage and Juneau, AK
2001-2003****Senate Finance Committee**

- Worked on the development of the \$227 million transportation bond bill and \$237 million education bond bill for the Senate Finance Committee that passed the legislature and was approved by voters in the November 2002 election.
- Was the Finance Committee staff person responsible for the development of the \$1.4 billion state capital and public works budget, including road, port, school construction and public sanitation projects.
- Fiscal analysis and oversight of \$2.3 billion State of Alaska operating budget, including the preparation of State Senate versions of state agency budgets for the \$151 million Department of Community and Economic Development and the \$134 million Department of Fish and Game.

Policy Development

- Development of strategy resulting in the successful passage of the State's operating and capital budgets by the legislature and subsequent signature into law by the Governor.

HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE AIDE**Alaska State Representative Gene Therriault, Co-Chair****Anchorage and Juneau, AK
1999-2001****House Finance Committee**

- Was the Finance Committee staff person responsible for the development of the \$1 billion state capital and public works budget, including road, port, school construction and public sanitation projects.
- Fiscal analysis and oversight of \$2.3 billion State of Alaska operating budget, including the preparation of the State House version of the state budget for the \$1.07 billion Department of Health and Social Services.
- Developed the missions and measures for the Department of Health and Social Services for the legislature. This included better defining the missions of the divisions in the department

and generating measures that would allow for the increase in the effectiveness and the efficiency of those divisions.

CHIEF OF STAFF

Anchorage and Juneau, AK

Alaska State Representative Terry Martin

1998

House Finance Committee

- Fiscal analysis and oversight of \$2.3 billion State of Alaska operating budget, including the preparation of State House versions of state agency budgets for the \$140 million Department of Revenue and the \$28 million Department of Law.

Policy Development

- Development of legislation in the area of public finance, intended to produce a more “honest” budgetary method of accounting for the state’s general fund.

Public Affairs Management

- Development of public outreach programs targeting constituents, community councils, trade organizations and special interest advocacy groups using direct mail, contact with the press and public appearances.

MANAGER OF CLIENT DEVELOPMENT

Los Angeles, CA

Global Stratagem Group

1997

Led efforts to develop private sector clients for strategic planning consulting firm, with an emphasis in infrastructure development and public affairs advocacy. Clients included Montgomery Watson Americas, Inc., Nelson NamePlate Co. and the City of Vernon, CA.

LEGISLATIVE COORDINATOR

Anchorage, AK

American Cancer Society/American Heart Association

1997

Public Affairs Management

Worked with executive directors of the American Cancer Society, the American Heart Association and their lobbyists to develop and execute a strategic plan to pass legislation that would fund children’s programs by substantially increasing the tobacco tax in the State of Alaska. A primary component in executing the plan was targeting individuals who had strong relationships with individual legislators in order to gain those legislators’ support. Activities included direct contact with influential political and community leaders in order to get them to personally lobby for the legislation. After unsuccessful attempts in the prior three legislative sessions, the legislation was successfully passed and signed into law by the Governor during the 1997 legislative session.

CHIEF OF STAFF

Anchorage and Juneau, AK

Alaska State Senator Steve Rieger

1993-1997

Senate Finance Committee

- Fiscal analysis and oversight of \$2.6 billion State of Alaska operating budget, including the preparation of State Senate versions of state agency budgets for the \$425 million Department of Health and Social Services, the \$370 million University of Alaska, the \$320 million Department of Transportation and the \$91 million Department of Public Safety.
- Assisted in the development of the yearly state capital budget, ranging in size from \$100 million to \$325 million general funds.

Policy Development

- Development of legislation in areas of health and social services and public safety, including legislation reducing the overpayment of welfare amounts, a budget cutting matter, and a bill to extend state police protection coverage to parts of Senator Rieger's district not covered at the time.
- Oversight of the development of legislation dealing with the prioritization of the investments of the Alaska Permanent Fund, the Senator's top priority, a fund of approximately \$24 billion.

LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT

Anchorage and Juneau, AK

Alaska State Senator Rick Uehling

1989-1993

Senate Finance Committee

- Fiscal analysis and oversight of the \$3.1 billion State of Alaska budget, including the preparation of State Senate version of the state agency budget for the \$102 million Department of Corrections budget and assisted in the development of the state senate version of the \$760 million Department of Education budget.
- Assisted in the development of the yearly state capital budget, ranging in size from \$100 million to \$500 million general funds.

Policy Development

- Development of legislation in areas of health and social services, natural resources and revenue, including passage of legislation dealing with the protection of workers from sexual harassment in the workplace. Also worked on a resolution urging Congress to open the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge to oil and gas exploration. Worked on legislation that came through the Senate Finance Committee for the Senator.

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

Eugene, OR

Bachelor of Science degree, Speech: Rhetoric and Communication, 1987.

WEST ANCHORAGE HIGH SCHOOL

Anchorage, AK

Graduated 1982.

Butcher, Bryan

Commissioner - Department of Revenue

Commissioner Bryan Butcher

Commissioner Bryan Butcher was appointed to this position beginning in January, 2011 by Governor Sean Parnell. Mr. Butcher was the Director of Governmental Relations and Public Affairs for the Alaska Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC) for the last eight years and in a dual role was also Vice President of the recently formed Alaska Gasline Development Corporation (AGDC) since 2010. In 2009 Mr. Butcher served as a Special Assistant working on Economic Development issues for Governor Parnell. Mr. Butcher also served as a member of former Governor Sarah Palin's gasline team through the AGIA process.

Before joining AHFC in 2003, Mr. Butcher previously worked for the Alaska State Legislature as a Finance Committee Aide for the House and Senate Finance Committees for 12 years.

Mr. Butcher is also currently serving as the coordinator for Governor Sean Parnell's statewide transition team.

A lifelong Alaskan born and raised in Anchorage, Mr. Butcher holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Speech Communications from the University of Oregon.

Mike Barton

Relevant Experience

Executive- The Rise Group (08/07- present)

Responsible for developing and maintaining relationships with public and private entities that utilize construction management services. Primary focus is the Alaska Natural Gas Pipeline as well as Federal construction activities. Position became half-time in 2009 because of the national economic situation.

Commissioner of Transportation and Public Facilities - State of Alaska (7/94-12/94; 12/02-12/06)

Provide executive leadership and direction for 3500 employees located throughout Alaska with a \$450 million annual operating budget and a capital construction program of a billion dollars per year. Responsible for determining and accomplishing objectives including budgeting and allocation of resources. Activities included construction and/or maintenance of over 6000 miles of state roads; operation of the eleven ships of the Alaska Marine Highway serving 33 ports of call and 3300 miles of routes; operation of Anchorage and Fairbanks International Airports; operation of 259 other airports throughout Alaska; maintenance of over 600 public buildings throughout Alaska. Served on the Boards of the Alaska Railroad, the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority, and the Alaska Energy Authority. Extensive dealings with members of the state legislature and staff, members of Congress and staff, federal agency officials, local officials, other state agencies, the public, special interest groups, and the media. Experience in legal matters including litigation and labor relations.

Chairman of the Board- Juneau International Airport (8/95-12/02)

Served as the first Board chairman. Worked with the City Assembly, other Board members, staff, tenants and airport users to coordinate the development of policies for the operation of the airport. Provided direction for the airport manager to ensure policies of the City Assembly and the Board were implemented and that the airport was operated in a safe, secure and cost-effective manner. Extensive dealings with airport tenants including airline representatives, local officials, FAA and the Transportation Security Administration. Non-paid position.

Regional Forester - US Forest Service (8/84-4/94)

Served as one of the nine Regional Foresters in the Forest Service. Provided executive leadership for 1000 employee organization with annual budgets ranging from \$70-120 million. Established and accomplished objectives that contributed to hundreds of private sector jobs. Included was the production of commodity outputs from the national forests in Alaska such as timber, fish, subsistence wildlife, and minerals as well as non-commodity outputs such as wilderness, recreation use, and aesthetics. Responsible for all support activities to accomplish objectives including budgeting and allocation of resources, procurement, road construction, wildfire prevention and suppression, aircraft and boat operations, computer operations, labor relations, equal employment opportunity and affirmative action programs, employee safety programs, law enforcement, and other administrative activities. Represented Secretary of Agriculture on the five member federal Subsistence Board. Served as Dept. of Agriculture trustee on the six member Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council which oversees the expenditure of the billion dollar Exxon settlement for the restoration of the spill impacted area. Extensive dealings, including Congressional testimony, with national and state legislators and staff, other federal, state, and local officials, the public, special interest groups, the media, users and permittees of the National Forests, and private landowners. Experience in legal matters including litigation. Served as lead negotiator with agency sign-off authority in the negotiation of national union contract for the Forest Service with 20,000 member employee union.

Skills

- executive leadership
- program development and administration
- budgeting and allocation of resources
- dealing with government processes and officials
- dealing with the legal system
- public involvement and public relations including the news media
- negotiations

Awards

- US Dept of Agriculture Superior Service Award, 1969- "Extraordinary action in the preservation of water quality in wilderness"
- US Dept of Agriculture Superior Service Award, 1989- "Efforts to improve the Forest Service national fisheries program"
- Numerous performance bonus awards

Community Service

- Juneau International Airport Board, elected chair 1995-2002
- Gastineau Channel Little League Board; elected Treasurer twice, President twice
- Rotary
- Golden North Salmon Derby Co-chair, 5 years
- Mayor's Task Force on the Diamond Park Aquatic Center 2008-present
- Other individual projects

Education

- Bachelor of Science, University of Michigan, 1961
- Master of Forestry, University of Michigan, 1965

Military

- Officer, US Army, 1961-1963

EXPERIENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- Thirty-two years experience in government service, 30 in Alaska.
- Twenty-five years experience developing, analyzing and executing state government agency operating and capital budgets providing health and social services to Alaskans.
- Twenty-five years experience representing executive agencies in all aspects of state legislative processes including: policy development and drafting of legislation, analyzing program and fiscal impact of proposed legislation, testifying in legislative hearings, preparing and presenting formal position papers and other informational materials, informal work with legislators and staff.
- Twenty years experience managing and directing state agencies and statewide service systems providing behavioral health, public health, child and adult protection, juvenile justice, developmental disabilities, and senior services.
- Twenty-five years experience managing and implementing statewide and community-specific planning efforts involving state public health, child protection, juvenile justice, behavioral health, developmental disabilities, and senior program services.
- Twenty-five years experience designing, writing, awarding, and managing grant programs and contract services provided by local government agencies, tribes, community non-profit organizations, private citizens, and for-profit organizations.
- Twenty-five years experience managing development and implementation of capital projects.
- Twenty-five years experience managing and performing program and fiscal analysis of statewide health and social service programs - translating service objectives into resource requirements, forecasting outcomes, preparing and presenting analysis.
- Twenty-five years experience developing and implementing quality control processes, analyzing program functioning, measuring outcomes, developing and projecting impacts of alternative action plans and implementing necessary improvements.
- Twenty years experience managing design, development, implementation, and operation of information systems including one of the first microcomputer-based management information systems and one of the first web-based systems in Alaska state government.
- Managed combined program planning efforts and capital project planning for replacement of Alaska Psychiatric Institute (Anchorage) and facilitated new facility providing integrated behavioral health treatment (Fairbanks) involving state and local government agencies, the Trust, non-profit and tribal organizations, and Trust beneficiaries.
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Deputy Commissioner	Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Jan 1997 – Dec 2002
Deputy Director	Division of Public Health, Department of Health and Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Mar 1994 – Jan 1997
Health Planner	Division of Alcoholism & Drug Abuse Department of Health & Social Services Juneau, Alaska	Nov 1991 – Mar 1994
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