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**SENATE
CONFIRMATION COMMITTEE REPORT**

Date: 1/29/13



In accordance with AS 39.05.080, the Transportation Committee reviewed the following and recommends the appointment be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

Commissioner – Department of Transportation and Public Facilities

Patrick Kemp

Appointed: 12/22/2012

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

Signature:	Printed Last Name
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Cliff Bishop	Bishop
Anna Fairclough	FAIRCLOUGH
Fred Dyson	Dyson
Chair: 	EGM

Please return to the Senate Secretary's Office (Room 211).

RESUME

Patrick J. Kemp, P.E.
Juneau, AK

SKILLS SUMMARY

Senior manager with extensive experience dealing with the planning, design, construction and maintenance of public infrastructure. Excellent knowledge in the design development and construction administration of heavy construction and facility projects. Excellent knowledge in the planning, programming and maintenance and operations of public infrastructure.

EMPLOYMENT

Acting Commissioner and Commissioner, Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities
Juneau, AK October 2012 - Present

- Executive Officer of the Department with broad oversight over a variety of programs.
- Executive oversight of a \$600 million operating budget and billion dollar capital budget.
- Executive briefings to the Chief of Staff and Governor.
- Member of the Governor of Alaska's executive cabinet.
- Interface with legislators to help build Alaska's transportation and facility system.

Deputy Commissioner, Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities
Juneau, AK January 2011 - December 2012

- Executive oversight of the Highways, Facilities and MSCVE divisions of the Department.
- Developed programs and projects for the Commissioner and Governor.
- Testified on various issues to the Alaska State Legislature.
- Met with Mayors, private organizations, lobbyists, legislators and others to discuss issues.
- Oversaw the Roads to Resources program.
- Briefed the Chief of Staff and Governor on major projects and initiatives.

Private Consultant, KEMP ENGINEERING, LLC
Juneau, AK 1981 - January 10, 2011

- Part time business owner performing civil engineering professional services.
- Consulting services for heavy construction contractors and mining companies.
- Value Engineering services for heavy construction contractors.
- Perform a variety of other miscellaneous civil engineering tasks for public and private entities.

ARRA Engineer, Federal Highway Administration
Juneau, AK Sept 1 - Dec 31, 2009

- Part time temporary employee for the Alaskan Division Office of FHWA
- Performed inspections and reports for Alaska's 2009 Recovery Act construction projects.
- Reviewed Plans, Specifications and Estimates for Recovery Act projects.

Special Assistant, Lynn Canal Highway Project
Alaska DOT/PF - Juneau, AK August 2006 - April 2007

- Oversaw design, geotechnical, right-of-way and construction disciplines of a \$300 million, 53-mile new highway project.
- Coordinate with federal, state and local agencies for permitting and land use requirements.
- Managed several professional consultants.

- Coordinated technical assistance with construction contractors.

Preconstruction Engineer
Alaska DOT/PF - Juneau, AK

May 1993 - June 2006

- Directed a staff of 80 professional and sub-professional employees charged with developing capital improvement projects for construction.
- Section developed medium to complex public projects ranging in value from \$50,000 to \$300 million.
- Responsible for an average annual capital budget of \$70 to \$90 million and an operating budget of \$9 million.
- Dealt with difficult personnel issues, difficult ROW negotiations, municipal governments, state and federal agencies, private consultants and a variety of other entities necessary to coordinate the design development of capital projects.
- Briefed governors, legislative delegation, state legislators, commissioners, Chambers of Commerce and various other entities for project status, legislative issues or complex issues in need of resolution.
- Developed standard operating procedures and delegations of authority.
- Developed the Southeast regions project scheduling system to coordinate timing, required resources and advertising dates for construction bidding.
- Contracting officer for professional services contracts.

Construction Chief
Alaska DOT/PF - Juneau, AK

January 1986 - May 1993

- Managed a group of on-site project engineers who oversaw contract administration for highways, airports, facilities and marine facility projects.
- Negotiate large change orders, settle potential claims and dealt with other issues elevated above the project engineer level.
- Traveled extensively throughout Southeast Alaska and developed many contacts.
- Implemented standards and SOP's for project management.

Project Engineer
Alaska DOT/PF - Juneau, AK

June 1971 - January 1986

- On-site project engineer for a number of capital improvement projects.
- Project engineer for Gastineau Bridge, a post tensioned balanced cantilever concrete segmental structure in Juneau.
- Supervised project staff including materials testing, surveys, inspections, etc.
- During summer breaks from college performed engineering technician duties such as inspection, surveying, materials testing, geotechnical investigations, etc.

EDUCATION

Juneau Douglas High School
Centralia College, AA Liberal Arts
Centralia College, AS General Engineering
University of Washington, BS Civil Engineering
Many technical and personnel training sessions

OTHER

Juneau Parks and Recreation youth basketball coach
Juneau Little league baseball coach
Past President of Juneau-Douglas High School Fast Break Club
Juneau Lions Gold Medal Hall of Fame
Volunteer design of baseball bleachers at Miller Field and Melvin Field

Employee of the year awards 1984, 1988, 1994

Board member of Thunder Mountain high school Falcons basketball booster club

FAMILY

Wife - Becky

Jennifer - Engineer Technician, Juneau

Joseph - Civil Engineer, Fairbanks

Angela - Assistant District Attorney, Juneau