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Experience

University of Alaska Statewide System.

Vice President for Finance, 1988-

Chief financial, business and information technology officer for the three-university system. Responsible for \$350-million operating budget, stewardship of over \$1-billion in physical and financial assets. Lead system office staff in finance, accounting, budget, facilities, computing, telecommunications, risk management, investment land management, and financial systems development. Lead campus-statewide groups to develop system policies for business services and information technology. Responsible for financial presentations to Board of Regents and presentation of fiscal issues to the legislature and state executives. Serve as treasurer for University of Alaska Foundation (\$25-million endowment funds) and as only non-academic officer on the Systemwide Academic Council. Major accomplishments include: diversified endowment funds; increased income generation from university cash balances; revised debt management policies; restructured statewide offices with transfers to campuses; increased land management profits; implemented human resource system; migrated financial systems to open systems platforms; led budget transition from 75% to 48% state funding.

Director of Budget Development, 1984-1987.

Member of the President's management team, active in all major financial policy decisions during 25% reduction in state appropriations. Participated in restructuring from 14 universities and community colleges to new three-university system. Developed and presented annual budget to Regents, Governor and Legislature.

Assistant Director, Taft Seminar for Teachers, UA Fairbanks, 1985-1991.

Assisted director in developing proposal and teaching biennial public policy seminar for social studies teachers.

Lecturer, Political Science and Alaska Native Studies. UAF and TVCC, 1981-1987.

Taught courses in State Budget Process, State & Local Government, Parliamentary Procedures.

Superior Court, State of Alaska.

Special Master, 1992

With two other special masters, in accordance with instructions from the Superior Court, developed and mapped Interim Reapportionment Plan for Alaska's Legislative districts for the 1992 election.

Brian Rogers and Associates.

Principal, public policy consulting firm, 1977-1984.

Major clients included: Alaska Energy Extension Service (program audit), RuralCAP (rural energy advocacy program), University of Alaska-Fairbanks (organized research public relations), Interior Village Association (program audit), Fairbanks North Star Borough (agricultural policy survey), Alaska Committee (campaign), Alaska Pulp and Resources (legislative advocacy program), Alaska Legislative Digest (legislative newsletter), Alaska House Permanent Fund Committee (appropriate technology research), and Alaska Energy Policy Committee (energy policy research).

Alaska State House of Representatives.

State Representative, Fairbanks District 20, 1979-1982.

Chaired University Budget Subcommittee, Workers' Compensation Study Commission, Constitutional Convention Committee, Power Alternatives Committee; served on Finance, Labor and Commerce, Permanent Fund, Transportation, Oil and Gas Taxation and Leasing Policy Committees.

Various Staff Positions, 1975-1978.

Staff positions included Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Committee Aide for Permanent Fund and Royalty Natural Gas Committees, Legislative Information Officer and Secretary to the Speaker.

Brian Rogers

Education and Continuing Education

Masters in Public Administration, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, 1984.

Attended Trinity College, Brown University, University of Alaska.

Continuing education at NACUBO, CAUSE, AGB, WACUBO, NASULGC.

Selected Papers and Presentations

Gaylord, T., B. Rogers and J. Lynch, "Improving Systemwide Planning: The Use of Project Management Techniques in Higher Education," presented to Assoc. for Institutional Research, 1985.

Rogers, B., and T. Gaylord, "Restructuring the University of Alaska Statewide System of Higher Education," presented to the Society for College & University Planning, Toronto, Ontario, 1988.

Rogers, B., "Alaska's Budget Process: 1959-1984," paper for UAF political science classes, 1985-1987.

1990 Facilities Conference, "Saving Alaska's Public Buildings," session moderator.

1987 Arctic Science Conference, "Alaska's Fiscal Policy Choices," symposium moderator.

1982 Alaska Budget Conference, sponsored by Alaska Public Interest Research Group and Alaska League of Women Voters, conference director.

Speeches, lectures and presentations on higher education, governmental processes, the budget process, the legislature, energy policy, workers' compensation, the constitution and political autonomy, appropriate technology and cottage industries, child custody, science and technology, and telecommunications.

Awards

Demonstrated Leadership in Promoting Minority Employment Award, University of Alaska, 1990

Outstanding Faculty Member, Associated Students of the University of Alaska Fairbanks, 1985.

Lucius Littauer Fellow, J. F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, 1984.

Lincoln Institute for Land Policy Fellow, Harvard University, 1983-1984.

Selected Civic and Professional

Trustee, Magadan International Pedagogical University (Magadan, Russian Far East) (1992-)

Troop Committee Chair, Troop 78, B.S.A. (1994- , scoutmaster 1993-94, ass't scoutmaster 1991-93)

Chairman, Golden Valley Electric Association Energy Efficiency Advisory Committee (1991-)

Member, Creamer's Field Migratory Waterfowl Refuge Advisory Committee (1990-)

Member, Fairbanks Downtown Rotary (1989-)

Board of Directors, Fairbanks Community Food Bank (1987-93, 1994- ; treas. 1988-90, 92-93, pres. 1990-92)

Board of Directors, Martin Luther King, Jr., Foundation (1985- , treas. 1989- , chair 1987-88)

Member, Mayor's Task Force on Revenue Alternatives, City of Fairbanks (1987)

Vice Chairman, Governor-elect's Budget Transition Team (1986)

Chairman, Fairbanks Utilities Task Force (1986)

Member, Alaska Land Use Advisors Committee (1983-84, chair 1983)

Chairman, Democratic State Convention (1982)

Member, Alaska Statehood Commission (1980-83, initial chairman 1980)

Board of Directors, Alaska Energy Center (1980-81)

Personal

Born July 25, 1950 in Blue Hill, Maine. Married, two children.

BK

THOMAS K. WILLIAMS
3511 Amber Bay Loop
Anchorage, AK 99515
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(907) 344-0773 (hm)

February 27, 1995

The Honorable Tony Knowles
Governor
P. O. Box 110001
Juneau, AK 99811-0001

Re: Appointment to HCR 1 Budget-Planning Commission

Dear Governor Knowles:

Please forgive the forwardness of this letter, but I am interested in serving on the long-range state fiscal-planning commission to be established under House Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

As a former Commissioner of Revenue for the State of Alaska, former house counsel for an Alaska Native Regional Corporation (namely, CIRI), and now from my perspective as an employee of a major oil company in Alaska (BP Exploration), I believe I offer a unique combination of perspectives to the commission. A more detailed résumé of my background and experience is enclosed. I will be out of state from March 1 through March 14, but you can call me at my work number above to leave a message, as I'll be checking my phone messages while I'm away.

I greatly appreciate your consideration and hope you will name me to the Commission.

Very truly yours,

Tom

Thomas K. Williams

Enclosure

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Thomas K. Williams — Résumé

BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.
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P.O. Box 196612
Anchorage, AK 99519-6612
(907) 564-5955

3511 Amber Bay Loop
Anchorage, AK 99515
(907) 344-0773

Employment History

Dec. 1993 - present
BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.

Alaska Tax Counsel. Responsible for developing company positions on tax matters, coordinating with other companies, and negotiating with state officials.

Sept. 1992 - Dec. 1993
BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.

Director, Gov't & Public Affairs. In charge of corporate advertising, public relations, media relations, state lobbying, employee briefings, and corporate political involvement.

Oct. 1987 - Sept. 1992
BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.

Manager, Alaska Tax. Develop legal analysis of state tax assessments, draft briefs and presentation materials explaining/supporting company position in disputed tax assessments, provide advice on new tax questions, make presentations to state officials and participate in tax settlement negotiations.

April 1984 - Oct. 1987
Cook Inlet Region, Inc.

Vice President & General Counsel. Chief legal officer of Native regional corporation created under Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act ("ANCSA"). Review inheritance of corporate stock, develop principles for valuing oil and gas interests received under ANCSA for purposes of depletion allowance and ultimately for sales of tax losses exceeding \$100 million, prepare and review annual meeting materials and deal with dissident proxy campaigns, attend and advise board of directors meetings, provide general legal advice to and defense of the corporation and its officers.

July 1983 - April 1984
Bogle & Gates

Attorney "of Counsel". General legal practice in Anchorage office of a major Seattle law firm. Some special work in banking and real estate areas.

April 1979 - Dec. 1982
State of Alaska

Commissioner of Revenue. State cabinet officer, chief state financial officer and tax administrator. Responsible for state treasury, pension fund and Permanent Fund investments. Established Permanent Fund Dividend program. Obtained legislation reforming state investment statutes and transforming AHFC and AIDA into major sources of affordable housing and commercial loans for Alaskans at a time when interest rates hit record highs. Administration spokesman and principal draftsman for major oil and gas legislation in 1981, including the proposals that

Résumé of Thomas K. Williams (cont.)

didn't pass as well as the bill that did. Made presentations to bond rating agencies (Moody's, Standard & Poor's), and planned state debt service to fit "Prudhoe curve" of expected state petroleum revenues.

Sept. 1975 - April 1982
State of Alaska, Dept. of
Revenue

Director, Division of Petroleum Revenue. Administered state oil and gas taxes, including production \ taxes, separate-accounting income tax, and state property tax. Assessed Prudhoe Bay and Cook Inlet oil and gas facilities and Trans Alaska Pipeline — also Prudhoe and Cook Inlet oil and gas reserves for temporary 2-year state reserves tax. Draftsman of extensive tax regulations (most still on the books). Led successful state effort to block attempt to use price-controls and entitlements treatment of Prudhoe Bay oil to depress its price and subsidize Lower 48 production.

Aug. 1973 - Sept. 1975
State of Alaska, Dept. of Law

Assistant Attorney General. Specialized in oil and gas matters, including Cook Inlet royalty litigation and issuance of state right-of-way for Trans Alaska Pipeline System. Settlement of Cook Inlet royalty case with 8 of 11 producers in mid 1975 was largest oil and gas monetary settlement and one of the largest settlements of any type in Alaska history to that time.

Boards and Commissions Served

Anchorage Chamber of Commerce (Board Member, 1993 - present; Board Vice Chair, 1994 - present; chair of Legislative Committee, 1993 - present)

Finalist for Gold Pan Award for most outstanding contribution to the Chamber - 1994

Hospice of Anchorage (Board Member, 1990 - 1994)

Anchorage Parking Authority (Board Member, 1984 - 1990; Chair, 1984 - 1989)

Alaska Public Interest Research Group (Board Member, 1983 - 1985)

Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation (Trustee, 1980 - 1982; Vice Chair, 1980 - 1982, one of the original Trustees of the Corporation)

Alaska Housing Finance Corporation (Board Member, 1980 - 1982)

Alaska Industrial Development Authority (Board Member, 1980 - 1982; Chair, 1980 - 1982)

Alaska Medical Facilities Authority (Board Member, 1979 - 1982; Chair, 1979 - 1982)

Alaska Municipal Bond Bank Authority (Board Member, 1979 - 1982)

Résumé of Thomas K. Williams (cont.)

Alaska State Bond Committee (Member and Secretary, 1979 - 1982)

Multistate Tax Compact Commission (1979 - 1982)

Education

Holland High School (public), Holland, Michigan — valedictorian, 1965

Princeton University - A.B. (history), 1969
(National Merit Scholar, Koren History Prize)

Harvard University, Graduate School of Arts & Sciences — M.A. (history), 1970
(Harvard Prize Fellowship)

Stanford University, School of Law — J.D., 1973

University of Pennsylvania, Wharton School of Economics — 3-day seminar on managing risk in oil and gas business on the basis of statistical analysis of risk and risk aversion, 1978

ALASKA STATE

HOSPITAL & NURSING HOME
ASSOCIATION

March 1, 1995

The Honorable Tony Knowles
Governor, State of Alaska
Capitol Building
Juneau AK 99801

Re: Nominee Long Range Planning
Commission (HCR 1)

Dear Governor Knowles:

Community hospital and nursing home administrators support the creation and goals of the Long Range Financial Planning Commission (SCSHCR 1).

We encourage you to consider appointing a representative of the health care industry as one of the nine public members.

Health care is a major component of Alaska's economy. The availability, quality and cost (\$1.6 billion) of health care has a great impact on Alaska's economy and the State of Alaska's budget.

15,000 health professionals working in Alaska are also an important part of our economy and deserve representation in the development of a long range fiscal plan.

ASHNHA would like to nominate Mr. James H. (Jim) Gingerich, Administrator, Fairbanks Memorial Hospital & Denali Center, 1650 Cowles Street, Fairbanks AK 99701 (PH: 458-5300) as a public member on the Long Range Financial Planning Commission.

Jim has worked with Commissioner Boyer & Commissioner Perdue.

Enclosed is a background information on Jim. We are also recommending Jim to President of the Senate Pearce and Speaker of the House Phillips.

Sincerely.



Harlan R. Knudson
President/CEO

cc: Commissioner Mark Boyer
Commissioner Karen Perdue

Encl: (1)

James H. Gingerich, Administrator
Fairbanks Memorial Hospital
and Denali Center
1650 Cowles St
Fairbanks Ak 99701
Phone (907) 458-5300
FAX (907) 458-5324

Jim Gingerich began his career by graduating from Emporia University, Emporia, Kansas with an Undergraduate Degree in Business Education and then moved on to graduate from the University of Kansas with a Masters Degree in Business Administration.

He worked a number of years in teaching and education, followed by going to work for Lutheran Health Systems. His first assignment with LHS was a hospital in Colorado in 1980. In 1984 Jim moved to Kodiak as administrator of the hospital there. In 1987 Jim became administrator at Fairbanks Memorial.

Jim served as the Chair of the Alaska State Hospital & Nursing Home Association in 1989-90.

Jim belongs to a number of civic, community and professional organizations; participated in the 1992 Alaska Economic Summit and on Governor Knowle's Human Services Transition Team.

Jim is currently the CEO of Fairbanks Memorial Hospital(a 177 bed hospital) and Denali Care Center (a 100 bed nursing home).

He is married and his wife, Janet, is an elementary school teacher. They have two children, ages 15 & 19.

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February 21, 1995

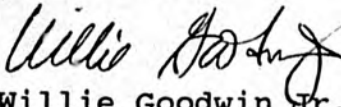
Marla Huss
Office of the Governor
State of Alaska
Box 110001
Juneau AK 99811

Dear Marla:

I am interested in being a member of the newly formed Fiscal Policy Commission. I believe that I would contribute much needed information and facts regarding fiscal problems rural communities face that are and dependent on state funding. I have gained experience on these issues through my involvement in local government and various task forces that deal with fiscal policy. These include but not limited to: over 20 years in local government for the City of Kotzebue as Mayor, councilman and planning commission, Alaska Municipal League president, member of AML Legislation committee, president of Alaska Conference of Mayors, president of Kotzebue IRA council, member of Economic Summit organized by Governor Hickel.

Currently I am the Land Manager for Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corporation and have been for the past 17 years. I have four children and I was born and raised in Kotzebue.

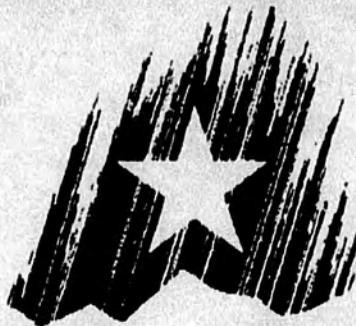
Sincerely,


Willie Goodwin Jr.
Box 334
Kotzebue AK 99752

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(907) 442-3276 (Home)

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Anchorage • Star of the North
Chamber of Commerce

Governor Tony Knowles
3rd Floor, State Capitol
Fax: 465-3532
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March 3, 1995

Dear Governor Knowles:

The Anchorage Chamber of Commerce would like you to consider the nomination of Tom Williams to a seat on the Long Range Fiscal Plan Commission. Tom is currently vice chair of the chamber. Tom has served the chamber, his current employer BP Exploration and the State as Commissioner of Revenue under Hammond extremely well. Tom has a keen mind that understands the fiscal as well as political workings of the state.

Attached is his resume to provide further information.

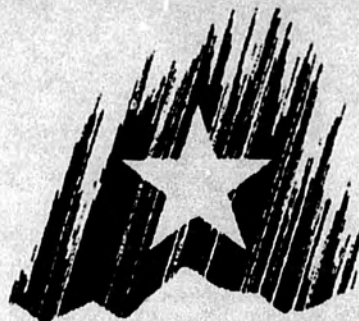
Thank you for your consideration of Tom Williams and if you have any questions please call me at 272-2401.

Sincerely,

Carol Heyman
President

cc: Marla Huss

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Tom Williams
Tax Counsel
BP Alaska
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Anchorage, Alaska 99519-6612
Phone: 564-5955 Fax: 564-4094

Vice Chair, Anchorage Chamber of Commerce, Director since 1992
Chairman, Chamber Legislative Committee

**Other Board/Committee Experience: Alaska Permanent Fund, AHFC, AIDEA,
Alaska Municipal Bond Bank, Alaska Medical Facilities, Alaska State Bond
Committee, Anchorage Parking Authority, Hospice of Anchorage, Resource
Development Council**

THOMAS K. WILLIAMS

Personal: Born and raised in Michigan, 46 years old; came to Alaska in 1973

Education: Went to college at Princeton, A.B. degree in history 1969. Honors: National Merit Scholar; Koren History Prize.

Enrolled in history Ph.D. program at Harvard, but left in 1970 after earning a master's degree in history, in order to go to law school. Honors: Harvard Prize Fellowship

Law school: Stanford; J.D. received 1973; member of Stanford Alpine Club, 1970-73 (vice president, 1972-73 term)

Employment: Came to Alaska to work for the state Attorney General's Office on litigation over the value of state royalty oil from Cook Inlet fields. Worked almost exclusively on oil and gas matters, 1973-75.

Because of oil & gas knowledge acquired in the Cook Inlet Royalty Case, became first Director of Petroleum Revenue in Sept. 1975, with direct responsibility for administering the state's oil and gas taxes -- production tax, separate-accounting income tax, ad valorem property tax and a temporary 2-year reserves tax. "Father of the ELF" (enacted in 1977).

Commissioner of Revenue, April 1979 - December 1982 for Gov. Hammond. One of the original trustees of the Alaska Permanent Fund Corp. Implemented the Permanent Fund Dividend program. Also served on the boards of directors of Alaska Housing Finance Corp., Alaska Industrial Development Authority, Alaska Municipal Bond Bank, Alaska State Bond Committee. Member of the executive committee of the Multistate Tax Commission. Actively involved in enactment of statutes reforming state investment statutes, expanding role of AHFC and AIDA, and establishing the Permanent Fund Corporation. Also extensively involved in controversial legislation in 1981 to revise state oil and gas taxes.

Private practice of law, Bogle & Gates: 1983-84

Vice President and General Counsel for Cook Inlet Region, Inc.: 1984-87

BP Tax Dept. 1987-91

BPXA Government and Public Affairs
Director - 1991



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The Honorable Tony Knowles
Governor
State of Alaska
PO Box 110001
Juneau AK 99811-0001

Dear Governor Knowles, *Tony,*

I recently received the enclosed letter from Mr. James Swick relaying his willingness to serve as a member of the Long Range Financial Planning Commission as established by SCS CSHCR 1(STA) am S.

I would respectfully request that you consider Mr. Swick as one of the three public members to be appointed by the Governor to the Commission.

Thank you for your consideration of Mr. Swick for this position.

Sincerely,

Randy Phillips
State Senator

cc: Mr. James Swick

THE HONORABLE RANDY PHILLIPS
THE STATE SENATE
JUNEAU, AK

DEAR *Randy*
RANDY

THIS LETTER IS TO EXPRESS MY INTEREST IN PARTICIPATING AS A MEMBER ON THE LONG RANGE FINANCIAL PLANNING COMMISSION. MY QUALIFICATIONS DO NOT INCLUDE A DEGREE IN ACCOUNTING OR FINANCE FROM ANY PRESTIGIOUS UNIVERSITY HOWEVER I HAVE 45 YEARS EXPERIENCE AS A ALASKAN COUPLED WITH A STRONG SENSE OF LESS GOVERNMENT.

I HAVE BEEN A CONTRIBUTING MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC SECTOR ALL MY LIFE AND WOULD BRING THE SAME AMOUNT OF ENTHUSIASM AND DEDICATION TO THIS PANEL.

I ONLY HOPE THAT MY POLITICAL AFFILIATIONS WOULD NOT PRECLUDE ME FROM CONSIDERATION.

SINCERELY

[Signature]
MIKE SWICK
8100 E. 4TH AVE
ANCHORAGE, AK 99504
907 333 3696 (PH/FAX)

March 21, 1995

Mr. James Swick
8100 East Fourth Avenue
Anchorage, AK 99504

Dear Mr. Swick:

As you may already know, Governor Tony Knowles has made his appointments to the Oil and Gas Policy Council and the Long-Range Fiscal Planning Commission. We would have liked to have many other groups represented, but we had to limit the size for function.

The governor appreciates your willingness to participate on these councils, and would encourage your views as the councils address the issues of Alaska's future. I will be passing copies of your letter of interest on to Ester Wunnicke who will be chairing the Oil and Gas Policy Council, as well as Melissa Fouse who will be the contact for the Long-Range Fiscal Planning Commission. I would also encourage you to contact them if you wish to have further input. Ms. Wunnicke can be reached at (907) 279-4996, and Ms. Fouse can be reached at (907) 258-8170.

Thanks again for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Marla Huss
Director of External Affairs

cc: Ester Wunnicke
Melissa Fouse

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March 21, 1995

Mr. Thomas K. Williams
3511 Amber Bay Loop
Anchorage, AK 99515

Dear Mr. Williams:

As you may already know, Governor Tony Knowles has made his appointments to the Long-Range Fiscal Planning Commission. We would have liked to have many other groups represented, but we had to limit the size for function.

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Thanks again for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Marla Huss
Director of External Affairs

cc: Melissa Fouse

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March 21, 1995

The Honorable Willie Goodwin, Jr.
P.O. Box 334
Kotzebue, AK 99752

Dear Mayor Goodwin:

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Thanks again for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Marla Huss
Director of External Affairs

cc: Melissa Fouse

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March 21, 1995

Mr. James H. Gingerich, Administrator
Fairbanks Memorial Hospital & Denali Center
1650 Cowles Street
Fairbanks, AK 99701

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Thanks again for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Marla Huss
Director of External Affairs

cc: Melissa Fouse

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RESUME

DAVID A. HAMMOCK

733 West Fourth Avenue, #660
Anchorage, Alaska 99501
(907) 274-4566

Experience Summary

As a project planner and manager for public and nonprofit communications agencies, I have been responsible for the design, funding, construction and operation of broadcast and media production facilities across Alaska. I have provided technical and design support to projects and ongoing programs aimed at applying communications and information technology to the legislative and public policy development process. My broadcast credits include live radio coverage of the response to the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill and statewide public affairs programs on both radio and television. I have managed radio stations, sightseeing enterprises and transportation companies. I have had operational responsibility for several pioneering tourism programs and for the start-up phase of several media and public telecommunications projects or facilities.

Awards

Alaska Press Club, "Award of Excellence - Second Place: Best Coverage of a Live Event", 1991

Alaska Press Club, "Award of Excellence - First Place: Best Coverage of a Live Event", 1990

Alaska Public Radio Network, "Elaine B. Mitchell Award", 1989

Prince William Sound Community College, "Community Service Award", 1988

Valdez Chamber of Commerce, "Chamber Member of the Year", 1988

University of Alaska Fairbanks, "Outstanding Student of the Year - Dept. of Speech, Drama and Radio", 1973

Current Employment

Alaska World Affairs Council, Anchorage, Alaska. (since November, 1990)

As Executive Director for the Council (a half-time, permanent position), I recruit noteworthy speakers, coordinate logistic and meeting details, and manage Council membership services and communications, including liaison with national and international speakers bureaus and policy organizations. I provide support to foreign visitors in conjunction with the USIA's Visitor Program Services (VPS) office. As the Council's only employee, I work directly with a thirty-member volunteer Board of Directors.

Organizational Service

Secretary and Director, Alaska Public Radio Network, 1989

Station Member, Long Range Planning Committee, Alaska Public Broadcasting Commission, 1988-89

Chairman and Director, Valdez Economic Development Committee, 1988-89

Vice-President and Director, Capital Community Broadcasting, Inc., 1974-75

Member, Board of Directors:

Valdez Chamber of Commerce, 1989

Valdez Convention & Visitor's Bureau, 1987-89

Juneau Symphony, 1978

Juneau-Douglas Lyric Opera Association, 1974-76

Education

East Anchorage High School

Graduated 1970

University of Alaska

109 credits

Professional History

KAKM-TV/Alaska Public Television, Inc., Anchorage, Alaska. (1990, '91, '92, '93, '94)

I was the contract Producer/Host of "RUNNING", the annual election coverage television series produced by Anchorage PTV, for five years. In 1990, I interviewed 100 candidates for local and statewide office and moderated a series of 41 political debates, some of which were broadcast statewide on the Public Television Network of Alaska (PTvNA) and the Rural Alaska Television Network (RATNET). In 1991 I covered the Municipal elections (five programs). I produced and hosted both primary and general election coverage for KAKM-TV again in the 1992 race (fourteen programs with 146 candidates), including two programs carried statewide on RATNET and PTvNA. The 1993 series consisted of three programs featuring the candidates for municipal office in Anchorage's first April Municipal Election. During the 1994 Anchorage Municipal Election I produced six programs featuring candidates for Mayor (14) and school board. The 1994 State Primary and General Elections were featured in 22 programs of over 40 hours total duration, broadcast in July, August, October and November. All programs featuring Statewide candidates were simulcast or re-broadcast by all four Alaska PTV stations and statewide on RATNET.

KBYR-AM & KNIK-FM/Northern Television, Inc., Anchorage, Alaska. (1992-94)

As producer/Host of "DAYBREAK", the morning drive program on KBYR, I was responsible for developing news and community information programming segments, including live interviews. I also produced, engineered and anchored periodic live radio call-in/talk shows on international affairs topics and did occasional on air and promotion work for KNIK-FM, The Breeze.

Alaska Public Radio Network, Anchorage, Alaska. (1990, 1991-92)

As Director of Broadcasting, a half-time position, I coordinated news program production for a statewide network consisting of twenty-four stations and had oversight responsibility for capital projects and facility maintenance. My responsibilities included supervision of the programming and technical departments. In 1990 I served for six months as Program Host of "Alaska News Nightly", in this capacity I conducted interviews, coordinated the efforts of reporters at network member stations, and anchored a daily statewide news magazine heard throughout Alaska.

KCHU-AM/Terminal Radio, Inc., Valdez, Alaska. (1985-89)

As the first General Manager of a community-licensed, public radio station, I was responsible for planning, funding and construction of a new broadcast facility. KCHU went on the air in 1986, achieved CPB Qualification and extended service via translator to Cordova in 1988 and provided broadcast coverage, statewide and nationally, of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill in 1989. My responsibilities included membership and fundraising, lobbying, and grant writing as well direct oversight of all broadcast operations.

Yukon River Cruises, M/V Klondike, Dawson City, Yukon Territory, and Eagle, Alaska.

(1985) As Purser/Passenger Service Supervisor on the first scheduled Yukon Riverboat in service between Dawson and Eagle since 1946, I managed daily operations on a 150 passenger sightseeing vessel in seasonal service, coordinated with tour operators and developed and presented tour narrations.

Holland America Westours, Seattle, Washington. (1984-85)

As Marketing Specialist/Driver for the "Alaska Travel Show, I coordinated marketing and presentation schedules with regional sales managers, produced and participated in 128 multi-media, two man travel programs (over four months) while driving an MC-9 motorcoach 14,000 miles through thirty states and two Canadian Provinces. I presented tour package information and assisted agencies in selecting appropriate programs for client groups.

TourAlaska, Midnight Sun Express, Anchorage, Alaska. (1984)

As Conductor/Railcar Manager during the first season of private railcar service on the Alaska Railroad, I was responsible for the safe operation of a restored 30 year-old Superdome Railcar. My duties included coordination with Alaska Railroad yard crews and train crews, training and supervision of food and beverage service staff, development and delivery of tour narrations, passenger and tour operator relations and compliance with Alaska Railroad Operating Rules and Regulations. Additionally I served as Anchorage Rail Terminal Manager for TourAlaska, managing and coordinating car maintenance and cleaning crews.

KBRW-AM/Silakkuagvik Communications, Inc., Barrow, Alaska. (1983)

As Interim General Manager of a community-licensed, public radio station in a remote arctic community, my task was to re-establish compliance with FCC, IRS and state regulations, reform fiscal management and assist my licensee board in recruiting a permanent manager. During my tenure, KBRW secured city land for a new facility, developed a design for its new studio building, published the RFP for the construction project and started daily news coverage of local and regional government.

Legislative Teleconferencing Network, Juneau, Alaska. (1977-82)

In 1977 I assisted the Legislative Teleconferencing Task Force as a volunteer in developing the original plan for the LTN. As a staffer for the House Rules Committee in 1978, I provided technical design and support during the network's first year. I was employed by the Legislative Affairs Agency as a Teleconference Network Moderator and VideoTeleconferencing Specialist in 1979-80. In this capacity I designed and built the Legislative Media Center, an audio and video production center in the Alaska State Capitol. In 1981-82, as a consultant to the legislature's Division of Public Services, I produced an evaluation study of the legislature's teleconferencing and information networks.

American Sightseeing of Alaska, Juneau, Alaska. (1978)

As General Manager I was responsible for hiring, training, and scheduling a staff of 25 full and part-time drivers. My duties included marketing, management of a sales office, maintenance shop and eighteen motorcoaches and vans involved in cruise ship shore excursions, scheduled sightseeing service, contract commuter service, airporter bus service and motorcoach charters.

KTOO-FM/Capital Community Broadcasting, Inc., Juneau, Alaska. (1975-76)

I was the first General Manager of a community licensed, public radio station in the state capital. During my tenure as manager, KTOO provided a daily legislative news program to Alaska's other public radio stations, doubled its operating budget and secured state support to move to a new location and build a television production center.

Governor's Office of Telecommunications, Juneau, Alaska. (1973-75)

As Program Assistant for the ATS-6 Health/Education Telecommunications Experiment, my duties included public information, preparation of grant performance reports, management of a television production studio, production of interactive, instructional television programs delivered by NASA's ATS-6 satellite to fifteen remote village schools, and on site village training for program participants.

I have additional broadcast experience as a radio announcer, newscaster, sportscaster and copy writer at commercial radio stations in Anchorage and Juneau. I was the senior cameraman on the crew of "Capitol '77," the state's first daily TV coverage of a legislative session. I served my broadcasting basic training at KUAC-FM & TV at the University of Alaska Fairbanks (1970-73). I worked as campaign volunteer on the Cowper and then Sheffield Gubernatorial campaigns in 1982. I have been a session employee of the House Rules Committee (1978, Chair, Rep. Sam Cotten) and the Senate Rules Committee (1981, Chair, Sen. Tim Kelly). I have also been employed as a Legislative Aide to a minority House member.

Due to the seasonal nature of my employment with the Alaska State Legislature, in various tourism enterprises and as a contract employee on start-up projects, I have held a variety of temporary or short-term jobs "between assignments". I have held temporary or part-time positions as a security guard, a microfilm technician, an oil field laborer, a community college instructor, a bartender and a computer systems manager. My experience as a tour driver is summarized below.

Motorcoach Diver/Guide. My responsibilities included motorcoach servicing and operation, development and presentation of tour narrations and, in most years, training of new drivers. Each year I worked the season, May through September. An asterisk (*) indicates part-time employment.

American Sightseeing of Alaska,
Juneau Division (1977, 1980*)

Holland America Westours, d/b/a Grayline of Alaska.
Juneau Division (1979*, 1980, 1982)
Skagway Division (1981)
Anchorage Division (1983, 1984*, 1990*)
Valdez Division (1986*, 1987*, 1989*)

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