

# Aleutian Islands Waterways Safety Committee Roster

Last updated: March 4, 2024

## Voting Members

Stakeholder Seat	Primary	Exp.	Alternate	Exp.
At Sea Fish Processors (a)	<b>Chris Woodley</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
Commercial Fishing (b)	<b>Frank Vargas</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
Commercial Fishing Vessels (c) <60 feet	<i>vacant</i>		<i>vacant</i>	
Passenger Vessels (d)	<b>Steven Gabelein</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
Cargo Ships (e)	<i>vacant</i>		<i>vacant</i>	
Tank Vessels (f)	<b>Ingo Rose</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
Barges (including cargo & petroleum) and associated tugs (g)	<b>Captain Seth Chase</b>	2026	<b>David Ridge</b>	2025
Assist Tugs (docking/rescue) (h)	<b>Captain Chris Iszler</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
Port Director, Harbor Master, Local Government (i)	<b>Ernie Weiss</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
Terminal Operators (j)	<b>Jennifer Tungul</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
Oil Spill Response (k)	<b>Matthew Odum</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
P&I Clubs (l)	<i>vacant</i>		<i>vacant</i>	
Salvage (m)	<b>Todd Duke</b>	2026	<b>Kyle Watson</b>	2027
Alaska Native Interest (n)	<i>vacant</i>		<i>vacant</i>	
Conservation Organizations (o)	<b>Andrew Hartsig</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
Marine Pilots (p)	<b>Captain David Arzt</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
Ship's Agents (q)	<b>Andrew Mew</b>	2026	<b>Morgann Machalek</b>	2025
Subsistence User (r)	<b>Karen Pletnikoff</b>	2026	<i>vacant</i>	
At Large (t)	<i>vacant</i>		<i>vacant</i>	
Vessel Monitoring and Tracking (u)	<b>Captain Steve White</b>	2027	<i>vacant</i>	

## Managing Board of Directors

Director	Seat
<b>Mayor Joe Bereskin</b>	Member At Large
<b>Shari Coleman</b>	Secretary/Treasurer
<b>Captain Buddy Custard</b>	President
<b>Peggy McLaughlin</b>	Vice-President/HSC Chair

## Ex-Officio (Non-Voting)

Member	Organization
<b>Bernie Nowicki</b>	ADEC
<b>Ethan Nichols</b>	ADF&G
<b>Jeanette Alas</b>	ADF&G
<b>LT Caroline Wilkinson</b>	NOAA
<b>Aaron Poe</b>	ABSI

## Ex-Officio continued (Non-Voting)

Member	Organization
<b>Jeff Williams</b>	USFWS
<b>Bridget Crokus</b>	USFWS
<b>Captain Christopher Culpepper</b>	US Coast Guard
<b>CDR Scott Farr</b>	US Coast Guard
<b>CDR John Downing</b>	US Coast Guard
<b>LT Tyler Justus</b>	US Coast Guard
<b>LT William Mason</b>	US Coast Guard
<b>BMC Stephen Braun</b>	US Coast Guard
<b>MST2 Elizabeth Burges</b>	US Coast Guard
<b>Daniel Payne</b>	US Coast Guard