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Age:

61

Place of Birth:

Arlington, VA

Occupation:

Self-employed veterinarian for 28 years at Raven Veterinary Service

Length of Residency in Alaska:

Anchorage 1977-1986; North Pole 1986-present

Education:

Danville High School, Iowa; University of Alaska, Anchorage, Bachelors of Biological Sciences, cum laude; Colorado State University, Doctor of Veterinary Medicine; International Veterinary Acupuncture Society Certification; American Veterinary Chiropractic Certification

Military Service:

U.S. Air Force 1975-1980; Dover AFB & Elmendorf AFB; Aircraft Maintenance Specialist, E-5; NCO of the Year 616th CAMS

Political and Government Positions:

Civilian Industrial Hygienist, MEDDAC-AK, U.S. Army; Veterinarian/Manager FNSB Division of Animal Control; Election Poll Worker; FNSB Assembly Budget Review Committee

Business and Professional Positions:

Alaska Rural Veterinary Outreach; Alaska Spay/Neuter Assistance Program; Interior Alaska Veterinary Association; Veterinarian for Yukon Quest, Copper Basin 300, Tok Race of Champions, and other events; Romanian Animal Rescue

Service Organization(s) Membership:

100+ Professionals; Fairbanks Climate Coalition; Citizens for Clean Air; Aging at Home Fairbanks

Special Interests:

Healthy living options; Animal rescue and welfare; Community activism, Music; Reading; Discovering Alaska

Statement:

In the words of John F. Kennedy, "Let us not despair, but act. Let us not seek the Republican or the Democratic answer, but the right answer. Let us not seek to fix the blame for the past-let us accept our own responsibility for the future."

Steering Alaska's financial and political affairs towards a fiscally-sound course has never been so vital. It's time to elect representatives with business experience, who can think independently of political parties, who are willing to plan our future based upon what is right for Alaskans.

Employing common sense, frugality, integrity, and vigilance, I am a passionate advocate of the following:

Our Government Develop a stable fiscal plan based upon sustainable revenue streams. Wise and prudent funding of essential services. Protect the Permanent Fund for Alaskans. Term limits for Legislators. End per diem benefits beyond actual expenses.

A Diversified Economy Maximize the benefits of our natural resources for Alaskans. Balance our budget, employing responsible development of oil, gas, fishing, timber, minerals, farming, and tourism.

Education Provide adequate funding for the future, our children. Efficient K-12 and higher education budgets. Capitalize on University research funding that enhances our economy 5-fold.

Clean Energy Diversified and affordable energy including natural gas, solar, wind, and geothermal are necessary for future economic development.

Healthy Family Environment Clean air, water, and soils. Food security. Access to affordable, available, and quality health care.

Arctic Policy/Research Alaska must lead the way, recognizing the opportunities as the only U.S. state in the Arctic.



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