

**Mike J. Dunleavy—Governor—Alaska Republican Party Primary Candidate**

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**Age:** 57

**Place of Birth:** Scranton, Pennsylvania

**Spouse's Name:** Rose. Married 31 years

**Children's Name(s):** Maggie-Lynn 26, Catherine 21, Ceil Anne 19

**Length of Residency in Alaska:** 34 years

**Alaskan Communities Lived in:** Koyuk, Fairbanks, Kotzebue, Fairbanks

**Education:** Graduated Scranton Central High School 1979. Graduated College Misericordia B.A. History 1983. Educational Endorsement Program College Misericordia 1984. Masters in Education UAF 1992.

**Political and Government Positions:**

State Senator, 2012 to 2018  
Senate Finance Committee Member  
Chair, Senate Education Committee  
Chair, State Affairs Committee  
Chair, Labor & Commerce Committee  
School Board President/Member, Mat-Su Borough School District, 2009-2012

**Business and Professional Positions:**

Public school teacher, principal, and superintendent of schools, Project Manager Alaska Teacher Mentor Project, Education consultant Dunleavy Educational Services.

**Service Organization(s) Membership:**

Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Life Member NRA, Alaska Outdoor Council, Association of Alaska School Boards, Safari Club International

**Special Interests:** Rafting, snowmachining, fishing, camping, hiking, hunting, horses/mules, dogs.

**Position Statement:**

I am running for governor because Alaska needs bold new leadership, now more than ever.

**Reduce spending:** Alaska has the nation's highest per capita government spending—double or triple the amount in many other states. This is unsustainable. As Governor, I will introduce significantly lower budgets, and use my veto pen to reduce the footprint of government.

**Declare war on criminals:** The explosive growth in violent and property crime demands an aggressive response. SB 91 has made crime worse, and I support a full repeal of this troubled policy. We must end the “catch and release” of criminals, and instead deliver swift and severe consequences for criminal behavior.

**Protect the PFD:** Alaskans' PFDs should be paid in full using the formula that has worked for decades, and the PFD should be protected in the constitution. No candidate for governor has filed more bills and amendments to protect the PFD. For example, I sponsored SB 1 to restore the PFD cuts made by Governor Walker in 2016.

**Restore public trust:** Too many politicians have squandered the trust of the people with broken promises on the PFD, taxes, the budget, and other issues. I am committed to earning that trust back, the only way I know how: by keeping promises and commitments. By saying what I mean and meaning what I say.

With the right leadership, Alaska can once again be a land of opportunity for anyone willing to work hard. I'd be honored to have your vote.



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