

**Jonathan S. Kreiss-Tomkins—House District 35 Representative—Alaska
Democratic Party Primary Candidate (D)**

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Age: 29

Place of Birth: Sitka, AK

Occupation: Nonprofit administrator

Length of Residency in Alaska: 29 years

Alaska Communities Lived in: Sitka, 1989-present

Education:

Sitka High School, 2003-2007 (class of 2007)
Yale University, 2008-2012 (left early to run for Alaska House of Representatives)

Political and Government Positions:

Legislator, Alaska House of Representatives, 2013-present
Chair, Sitka Solid Waste Advisory Committee, 2014-2015
Chairman, State Affairs Committee, Alaska House of Representatives

Business and Professional Positions:

Founder and project lead, Outer Coast College project, 2014-2016
Trustee, Outer Coast College project, 2016-present
Founder, administrator, Alaska Fellows Program, 2014-present

Service Organization(s) Membership: Eagle Scout

Special Interests: Outdoors (mountain running, trail marathons, camping), music, fishing

Position Statement:

I love Southeast Alaska and I love our region's way of life. As a representative of Southeast Alaska, I love that my job description is to help make our region more vibrant, sustainable, prosperous, and a better place to live.

I can't imagine a better job description. That's why I'm running for reelection.

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To get a sense of who I am, let me share a few but important principles I believe in:

I believe in the politics of humility: good ideas are good ideas no matter where they come from, and good people are good people no matter what party they belong to.

I serve as an Alaskan, not as a Democrat or a Republican; I believe bipartisanship and civility are as important to our politics as salmon and oil are to our economy.

The bipartisan coalition, to which I belong and which I worked to help create, has been very good for coastal Alaska. I will help it continue.

I really like hard work.

I care about the people I represent. I find meaning in working on an individual, case-by-case basis, and believe in the importance of attention to detail and follow through.

I am grateful for your consideration, and I would be more grateful yet for your support.

