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- 8:00 Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 Introduction and Overview
 - Michael C. Dotten, Esq., *Program Co-Chair***
Heller Ehrman LLP ~ Portland, OR
 - David Marquez, Esq., *Vice President and COO, Program Co-Chair***
Nana Development Corporation ~ Anchorage, AK
- 8:45 Opening Address: Local Government Perspective on Energy's Role in Alaska's Economic Future
 - The Hon. Mark Begich, Mayor**
Municipality of Anchorage ~ Anchorage, AK
- 9:15 Update on Federal Energy Policy
 - The current state of national energy policies and an outlook on what the future holds
 - Thomas Roberts, Esq.**
Van Ness Feldman ~ Washington, DC
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 Update on State Energy Policies
 - State regulatory policy initiatives and the fit between Alaska's unique situation and federal energy policies
 - James S. Strandberg, P.E.**
Alaska Industrial Development & Export Authority (AIDEA)
Anchorage, AK
- 11:00 Resource Extraction Issues
 - Current policy directions; practical considerations in implementing the Alaska Gas Line Inducement Act: Update on the Request for Applications (RFA) process; permitting issues; what to expect next in terms of price and delivery
 - Martha K. Rutherford, Deputy Commissioner**
Alaska Department of Natural Resources ~ Anchorage, AK
- 11:45 Lunch (on your own)

- 1:00 Natural Gas Markets: Who Else is Competing for Available Supplies? How High Will They Drive Prices? What's Really Available for Generation? Pipeline Update
 - Overview of global markets; competing North American demand from other uses such as the tar sands project in Alberta; how Alaskan gas fits into the overall mix; delivery issues and progress towards solutions
 - Harold Heinze, CEO**
Alaska Natural Gas Development Authority ~ Anchorage, AK
 - Gas pipeline operator perspective
 - Tony Palmer, Vice President, Alaska Business Development**
TransCanada PipeLines Limited ~ Calgary, AB
- 2:15 Break
- 2:30 LNG Development and Natural Gas Storage Issues
 - The Hon. John K. Norman, Commissioner, Moderator**
Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ~ Anchorage, AK
 - Industry perspective
 - Scott Jepsen, Cook Inlet Manager**
ConocoPhillips ~ Anchorage, AK
 - T. Mitch Little, Production Manager - Alaska Production Region**
Marathon Oil Corporation ~ Anchorage, AK
 - Potential user storage perspective
 - Harold Heinze, CEO**
Alaska Natural Gas Development Authority ~ Anchorage, AK
 - Landowner perspective
 - Kurtis K. Gibson, Acting Deputy Director**
Alaska Department of Natural Resources ~ Anchorage, AK
 - Gas utility/consumer perspective
 - Anthony Izzo, CEO**
TMI Consulting ~ Anchorage, AK
- 5:00 Reception for Faculty and Attendees Sponsored by Heller Ehrman LLP and Nana Development Corporation



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For 30 years, Alaska's North Slope and the Kenai Peninsula have been significant sources of energy export. In that same period, energy loads in Alaska have grown significantly. Due to the dispersed nature of Alaska's loads, the state has necessarily been an innovator in distributed generation.

Alaska is at several crossroads. Should it begin the importation of LNG to serve the railbelt utilities, or should some of the North Slope gas be used to serve the railbelt and perhaps enhance the area's ability to export LNG? What will the impact of new gas storage projects be on the deliverability problems in the Cook Inlet? In the face of historically high natural gas prices, will the producers, a state agency or Canadian or domestic pipelines be able to build the Alaska portion of the Alaska Natural Gas Transportation System, or some variation of that system envisioned by the United States and Canada nearly 30 years ago? And will the development of coal gasification and other techniques reduce the environmental effects of burning coal and encourage more coalfield development in Alaska? Will Alaska follow the national model and see the merger of electric utilities that seek to take advantage of economies of scale?

This conference will address these and other questions facing Alaska, and by extension, the portions of the United States that might look to Alaska to help meet the growing domestic demand for energy.

~Program Co-Chairs: Michael C. Dotten, Esq. and David Marquez, Esq.



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- 8:30 Introduction and Overview**

Michael C. Dotten, Esq., *Program Co-Chair*
David Marquez, Esq., *Program Co-Chair*
- 8:45 Prospects for Use of Alaska's Coal Resources**

The status of Alaska's coal industry

Steven C. Borell, P.E., *Executive Director*
 Alaska Miners Association ~ Anchorage, AK

Progress report on the Western Cook Inlet Coal to Liquids Project

Richard Peterson, *President and CEO*
 Alaska Natural Gas to Liquids (ANGTL) Company
 Anchorage, AK

Energy development with Native Corporations and coal-fueled transportation

Hal B.H. Cooper, Jr., Ph.D., P.E.
 Firetail Energy Systems ~ Kirkland, WA
- 10:30 Break**
- 10:45 Finding the Optimal Business and Operational Structures: The Potential Anchorage Municipal Light and Power/Chugach Merger**

First steps and initial lessons learned on how to evaluate synergies between utilities and determining the best business structure for joint operations

Elizabeth Vazquez, *Board Chair*
 Chugach Electric Association, Inc. ~ Anchorage, AK
- 11:30 Current Environmental Challenges for Energy in Alaska**

Recent environmental regulatory developments and dealing with an aging infrastructure

Svend Brandt-Erichsen, Esq.
 Heller Ehrman LLP ~ Seattle, WA
- 12:15 Lunch (on your own)**

- 1:30 Climate Change and Energy Policies**

Climate change as the coming primary driver for public policy towards energy

Christopher W. Rose, Esq., *Executive Director*
 Renewable Energy Alaska Project (REAP) ~ Anchorage, AK

Overview of projects and renewable portfolio standards in Washington, Oregon and California and whether they make sense for Alaska; federal renewables portfolio standards legislation and whether there will be federal preemption if there are standards

Peter D. Mostow, Esq.
 Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati ~ Seattle, WA

3:00 Evaluations and Adjourn

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Faculty: Energy in Alaska Conference

Michael C. Dotten, Program Co-Chair, is a shareholder and Co-Chair of Heller Ehrman LLP's Energy Practice Group, who arbitrates and mediates energy disputes. He was General Counsel and Assistant Secretary to PG & E Gas Transmission, Northwest Corporation and principal rate attorney for BPA.

David Marquez, Program Co-Chair and Vice President and COO of Nana Development Corporation, was Alaska's Attorney General under Governor Frank Murkowski. Previously Chief Counsel for Phillips Alaska and ARCO Alaska and General Counsel for Alyeska Pipeline Service Company, he was a trustee for the Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation and state trustee of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Fund.

The Hon. Mark Begich, the first municipal mayor born and raised in Anchorage, was re-elected as Anchorage's Mayor in April 2006. He focuses on improving public safety, upgrading transportation and keeping the economy healthy.

Steven C. Borell, P.E. is Executive Director of the Alaska Miners Association (AMA), an industry support organization with more than 1000 members.

Svend Brandt-Erichsen, shareholder at Heller Ehrman LLP, advises clients regarding a variety of environmental regulatory matters, including project permitting and representation before agencies. He handles environmental litigation.

Hal B.H. Cooper, Jr., Ph.D., P.E., engineer with Firetail Energy Systems, specializes in coal and wind power projects, electric transmission and electrified railroads. He prepared a British Columbia-Alaska railroad feasibility study.

Kurtis K. Gibson is Acting Deputy Director, Alaska Department of Natural Resources, Division of Oil & Gas. Previously he was in natural gas trading and marketing and brings a unique blend of commercial and technical

experience to the State's continuing efforts to optimize its oil and gas assets.

Harold Heinze, CEO of the State of Alaska's Natural Gas Development Authority (ANGDA), leads the planning, engineering, and development of Alaska's North Slope natural gas lateral pipeline(s). Previously he was Commissioner of Natural Resources.

Anthony Izzo, CEO of TMI Consulting and former CEO of ENSTAR Natural Gas Company, has extensive experience in the natural gas, distribution and transmission industry.

Scott Jepson is Manager of ConocoPhillips' Cook Inlet Business Unit, which consists of interests in the Beluga River Unit, the North Cook Inlet Unit and the Kenai LNG plant.

T. Mitch Little, Production Manager for Marathon Oil Corporation's Alaska operations based in Cook Inlet, has technical experience ranging from the Knox Field in southwest Oklahoma, to the Alba and Tchatamba Fields located offshore West Africa.

Peter D. Mostow, partner in the Cleantech and Renewable Energy Group at Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati, works with emerging and mature wind, geothermal, solar, ocean, biomass and biofuels companies on project development and finance matters.

The Hon. John K. Norman is Chairman of the Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission, an independent, quasi-judicial agency of the State of Alaska that oversees oil and gas drilling, development and production, reservoir depletion and metering operations. Previously he practiced natural resource law in Anchorage.

Tony Palmer is Vice President, Alaska Business Development, TransCanada PipeLines Limited, where he leads the Corporation's efforts on the Alaska Highway

Pipeline Project. He is also President and CEO of Foothills Pipe Lines Limited.

Richard Peterson, President and CEO of Alaska Natural Gas to Liquids Company, has devoted his company and personal resources to communicating the benefits of "clean diesel" to North Slope natural gas decision makers.

Thomas Roberts, member at Van Ness Feldman, provides strategic, legal, policy, and political guidance to clients on federal and state energy issues. Previously he was Legislative Director for the Environmental Protection Agency and served as Chief Counsel and Legislative Director to Senator Frank H. Murkowski (R-AK).

Christopher W. Rose is Executive Director of Renewable Energy Alaska Project (REAP). A columnist for the Anchorage Daily News, he previously practiced environmental and natural resources law, including representation of Native Alaskans.

Martha (Marty) K. Rutherford, Deputy Commissioner, Alaska Department of Natural Resources (DNR), is the lead for the State's gas line negotiation team. Previously she was on the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill (EVOS) Restoration Team and Deputy Commissioner of the State's Department of Community and Regional Affairs.

James S. Strandberg, P.E., Project Manager for Electrical Interties at the Alaska Energy Authority, focuses on existing rail-belt interties. Previously he was a Utility Commissioner with the Regulatory Commission of Alaska.

Elizabeth Vazquez is Chair of Chugach Electric Association, Inc., the largest utility in the state. She is an attorney with an MBA who focuses on providing the best value to ratepayers and in creating dynamic changes within Alaska's energy infrastructure.

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- Potential use of Alaskan coal
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