

Position Sought: House District 22 Representative

Name and Political Affiliation: Ted J. Eischeid, Registered Democrat

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Biographical Information

Age: 65

Place of Birth: Dubuque, Iowa

Spouse's Name: Hedy

Occupation: Legislator

Length of Residency in Alaska: 10+ years

Alaskan Communities Lived in:
Anchorage, 2016 - Present.

Education:
1979: High School Diploma, Dubuque (IA) Senior High School;
1984: BS Degree, Fisheries & Wildlife Biology, Iowa State University;
2005: MS Degree, Teachers In Geosciences, Mississippi State University.

Political and Government Positions:
2025 - Present: Alaska State House Representative, HD-22/North Muldoon.
2012 - 2016: Fond du Lac County Board Supervisor (two terms).

Business and Professional Positions:
2021-2024: Board member, National Fish Habitat Partnership.

Special Interests:
I love all things outdoors, including hunting, fishing, hiking, camping, boating, bicycling, skiing, and training my Labrador Retrievers. I've been a recreational and competitive runner for nearly 48 years. I also enjoy reading, gardening, working on old vehicles, off roading, and music - including playing guitar.

Other (Biographical Information):
Currently I serve on these Alaska State House committees:
Education; Judiciary; Chair, Military & Veteran Affairs;
CoChair, Transportation.

My bill sponsorship and voting record can be found on my biography page at:
<https://akleg.gov/>

Position Statement

I believe that the best representation starts with talking to your constituents, asking them what they want you to focus on, and then doing that work. Since 2022 I have knocked on over 10,000 doors in HD22, North Muldoon, asking that question. Consistently I have heard that the top three issues for my neighbors are education, public safety, and transportation. Here is how I have represented these concerns in Juneau.

For education, most have said they want increased and stable funding for our schools and our students. In Juneau I voted to increase education funding, and then helped override a veto of some of that funding. For those that wanted education reform I have worked to improve education by sponsoring a bill to require financial literacy education in high school, and cosponsored a bill requiring a civics education class for graduation.

For public safety and transportation I worked to fill the many vacant state and local first responder positions and in the State Department of Transportation by voting for HB78, a conservative defined benefit pension bill. This bill would help government agencies attract and retain talented employees. We need a fully staffed and functioning Alaska State Troopers, Anchorage Police and Fire Departments, and an Alaska Department of Transportation. This would improve these critical services.

Other issues I have fought for has been a bigger PFD to deal with our affordability crisis, funding early childhood and childcare needs, and creating energy solutions.

I would be honored to continue serving you. Thanks!

Current Photo



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