

House District 28 Representative

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AGE: 77

PLACE OF BIRTH: Syracuse, NY

OCCUPATION: Retired

LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: 14 years 8 months

ALASKAN COMMUNITIES LIVED IN:
Wasilla: March 2012-2026

EDUCATION:
Cazenovia Central School 1967
SUNY Buffalo 1968-1970
San Diego Mesa College AA degree 1996

POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:
Pharmacy Technician Veteran’s Administration: Palo Alto, San Francisco and San Diego

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:
Pharmacy Technician VA and private hospitals 1976-1997
Systems Administrator Federal Contractor 1995-2016 and 2018-2022

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS MEMBERSHIPS:
California Society of Health-Systems Pharmacists Technician Division Liaison and Chairperson 1985-1997
San Diego Society of Health Systems Pharmacists Technician Division Liaison 1985-1995
Crime Victims Fund San Diego Board of Directors 1992
Outdoor Heritage Foundation Board of Directors 2015-1017
Big Cabbage Radio 2026
Mat-Su United for Progress 2026

SPECIAL INTERESTS:
Hiking, reading

OTHER:
I came to Alaska in 1998 to install software at the Medical Group at Ft. Wainwright. It took 14 more trips to Alaska before I finally found employment and moved here in 2012 with my dog and three cats.

STATEMENT:
It’s time for change. Alaskan families deserve an economy that rewards their hard work, not one where corporate greed raises costs while they struggle.

Alaskans deserve affordable healthcare. No one should lose their home, or go into debt, because they were hospitalized. Medical debt is purchased by private equity; they buy medical practices, and fire those who built the practice through years of hard work. When elected, I will propose a bill to protect everyone from these vile practices.

Energy costs are rising daily. Fossil fuels are running out, damaging our fisheries and destroying the climate. We need to investigate and subsidize alternative energy sources (wind, solar and hydroelectric), while being cautious and ensuring they do not impact our fisheries, wildlife or forests.

Our public schools were failed by years of underfunding. Some of our children cannot read or write, class sizes are huge, schools are closing and infrastructure is crumbling. Public employees, including teachers and first-responders, need a livable wage and better retirement. I will fight to fully fund our public schools so every student is ready to succeed.

Private equity purchases hundreds of units for vacation rentals, causing hard-working families to pay exorbitant rents. I will fight for low-income housing in every new project, and limit private equity involvement.

Food prices rise during disasters but never go down; I will work to ensure prices return to normal after temporary cost spikes.

I will fight to ensure Alaskan families receive the maximum benefit from our natural resources.

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