

Senate District I Senator

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ALASKAN COMMUNITIES LIVED IN:
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EDUCATION:
Löki Gale graduated from Nome-Beltz Jr/Sr High School, has a dual BA degree from the UAA, has a MA in rural development from the UAF Peace Corps Master's International Program, and is currently working towards a PhD in Indigenous Studies.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:
Löki Gale spent 15+ years working in the nonprofit sector, most recently as a certified fund-raising executive for an arts and culture non-profit.

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS MEMBERSHIPS:
She is a member of the Anchorage Concert Association Board of Directors, NAACP, and volunteers regularly with her community council. She is the Incoming Chair for the Council of State Governments West and serves

as Vice Chair for the Standing Education Committee of the National Conference of State Legislatures.

SPECIAL INTERESTS:
Löki is an avid bicycle commuter, co-hosts a podcast about Alaska politics, and has a deep love affair with her trusty All-American pressure canner.

STATEMENT:
As a dedicated advocate for our children, I am firmly committed to investing in and defending public education and promoting high-quality early learning opportunities for our youngest citizens.

I believe in protecting Alaskans' right to privacy and bodily autonomy. I will challenge unjust laws that target vulnerable children and marginalized adults who have a constitutional right to thrive as their authentic selves.

Equity and inclusion in government are essential; we must work towards a representative system that reflects the diversity of our population. I support voting rights as a fundamental pillar of democracy, ensuring every voice is heard and every vote counts.

I am passionate about promoting renewable energy to create a sustainable future, and I am unabashedly pro-union. I believe a strong public health infrastructure is vital for the well-being of our community, and I am committed to enhancing access to healthcare for all.

Affordable housing is a basic necessity, and I will work tirelessly to develop solutions to meet this need. I believe in implementing a comprehensive fiscal plan that does not balance the budget through regressive tax policies.

Community-focused public safety is critical for building trust and collaboration between law enforcement and the communities they serve. I am also dedicated to fostering a diverse bench of future community leaders, encouraging a variety of voices and perspectives in the decision-making process.

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