

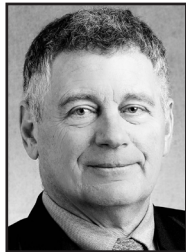
# Leslie C. "Fritz" Krusen III

Member for: 18 years

Occupation: Engineer (retired)  
Employer: Formerly with Alaska Gasline Development Corporation and ConocoPhillips

Education: B.S. Electrical Engineering, University of Kansas

Nominated by: Nominating Committee  
Incumbent: No  
Declarations: None



## Candidate Statement

I am running for the CEA Board to help CEA attain a higher level of service. I believe that CEA currently provides reliable and cost-effective electrical supply, due to the capabilities of its employees and Board. However, as a retired electrical engineer with 42 years of oil & gas industry experience, I can assist CEA to serve their members even better.

I do not have any pre-conceived notions about what is right or wrong with CEA, nor do I have "an axe to grind." However, I can help CEA as it navigates through a number of possible challenges:

1. Improving cost structure, considering the high cost of doing business in Alaska
2. Ensuring reliable and cost-competitive natural gas supply for power generation, while also pursuing de-carbonization
3. Developing renewable generation and energy storage opportunities that are truly environmentally-friendly and that make economic sense
4. Ensuring that CEA/ML&P merger synergies are attained or exceeded
5. Improving Railbelt intertie reliability and efficiency
6. Developing new industrial, commercial, and residential loads, to better distribute fixed costs; which would result in reduced cost to existing members

If elected, I would assist CEA in delivering the highest level of cost-effective and reliable service. Thank you.