

Engineering requests speed construction

While winter is around the corner, we know Alaskans are already planning construction projects for next spring and summer.

When planning a project that involves new service, an upgrade or relocation, right of way, or easement approvals, be sure to include Chugach in the preliminary process to avoid delays. Involving Chugach early in the project development process can also help avoid costly changes to project scope.

The Chugach website has an electronic Engineering Request form on the Member Services page to provide us the information that we need to work with you on your project.

Using the form allows a streamlined process from start to finish. There are also several information sheets and checklists to help your project go well.



Use our online form to let us know your construction plans.



Engineering Request

Applicant

First Name

Last Name



Chugach employees Mark Henspeter, Kate Ayers and Scarlett Masten were on hand to accept the Top 49ers award at the 2022 award luncheon.

Chugach among top employers

Chugach is proud to once again be among Alaska's Top 49ers in business. Ranked by revenue, Alaska Business Monthly magazine annually lists the top 49 Alaska companies that are 51% or more Alaska-owned and have operations in Alaska. In the 2022 listing, Chugach comes in at #15, up six spots from last year.

Our 460 employees all live and work in Alaska, and we are proud to provide affordable, reliable electricity for our members' homes and businesses.

Where's Wattson?

As part of National Drive Electric Week (Sept. 23-Oct. 2) we took our electric vehicle, Wattson, on a road trip to highlight the benefits of EVs. We drove Wattson, our 2017 Chevy Bolt, a total of 170 miles during the week including to Girdwood, up the dirt road to the Crow Pass trailhead, and to the Eklutna Power Plant. {1176059}

Using current Chugach rates, the cost to fuel Wattson for the week was about \$12. To travel the same mileage in an average gas-powered vehicle using recent gas prices in Anchorage would cost about \$36. EVs also have lower carbon emissions and require less maintenance than gas-powered vehicles.



In the community | PAIDEA Cooperative students get lesson in electrical safety



Our Safety City program helps Anchorage students to learn the best ways to stay safe around electricity. Our Manager of Safety, Vincent Perez, recently brought the program to the students at PAIDEA Cooperative

School, a home school program that uses space at Central Middle School. The program, targeted toward fourth to sixth graders, includes safety information, demonstrations, and time for questions and answers.

CHUGACH EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

From Engineering to Operations to Member Services, all of Chugach's roughly 460 employees live and work in Alaska.

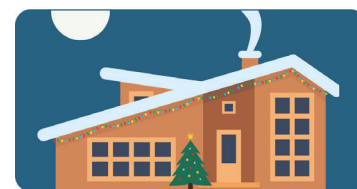
Each month we will introduce you to one of our employees who work every day to provide safe, reliable power to our members.



Name: Hans Thompson
Position: Analyst, Fuel Planning, Contracts & BRU
Time at Chugach: 2 years

Hans, who started in the utility field with ML&P, produces fuel schedules for power plants and helps manage the power pool with Matanuska Electric Association. He finds it rewarding to work across departments to implement improvements to existing processes.

Green Corner Reducing our carbon footprint



Trim holiday energy costs by choosing energy efficient LED lights. LEDs use less energy, can last up to 40 seasons, and are easier to install. You can connect up to 25 LED strings without overloading a wall socket.

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