

Alaska Region Technology Interchange Consortium (ARTIC) Annual Meeting

2024 ARTIC Annual Meeting

April 30 - May 2, 2024

Federal Building Annex (*Social Security Administration Office*) | 222 West 8th Avenue, Anchorage, AK

MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, April 30, 2024	
8:30 - 9:30 a.m.	Registration Open - Federal Building Annex (<i>Social Security Administration Office</i>) - 222 West 8th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska – Mod G (<i>Conference Rooms A-C</i>)
9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Alaska Peering Exchange Meeting (<i>invitation-only</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> “N-Wave infrastructure & Initial Plans for the Alaska Peering Exchange” Robert Sears, N-Wave Director, Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO)/National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) “Trusted Internet Connection Access Point (TICAP) Infrastructure” Chi Kang, Deputy Director, Operations, Cyber Security Division, OCIO/NOAA “Alaska Peering Exchange Management” Jason Iannone and Andrew Lee, N-Wave Transport Network Architect/Engineers - N-Wave Network Operations Center (NOC), GlobalNOC at Indiana University
12:00 - 1:30 p.m.	Lunch (<i>on your own</i>)
1:30 - 4:00 p.m.	Vendor Exhibit Showcase (<i>open to all attendees</i>) Visit with representatives from Alaska Communications (ACS), Arctic Slope Telephone Association Cooperative (ASTAC), GCI Communications Corporation, Greensparc, MTA Solutions, Pacific Dataport and Quintillion Global.
4:00 p.m.	Day 1 Concludes
Wednesday, May 1, 2024	
8:00 - 9:00 a.m.	Registration Open - Federal Building Annex (<i>Social Security Administration Office</i>) - 222 West 8th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska – Mod G (<i>Conference Rooms A-C</i>)
9:00 - 9:10 a.m.	Opening Remarks CAPT Joseph Baczkowski , N-Wave Engagement & Outreach Manager, OCIO/NOAA
9:10 - 10:00 a.m.	NOAA N-Wave “Current Infrastructure and Alaska Network Modernization Efforts” Robert Sears , N-Wave Director, OCIO/NOAA
10:00 - 10:30 a.m.	Networking Break
10:30 - 11:00 a.m.	Ilisagvik College Amanda Sialofi , Dean of Administration

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11:00 - 11:30 a.m.	Tanana Chiefs Conference Dave Messier, TCC Infrastructure Director
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch (<i>on your own</i>)
1:00 - 1:25 p.m.	Cordova Telecom Cooperative Jeremiah Beckett, Chief Executive Officer
1:30 - 1:55 p.m.	Marine Exchange of Alaska Chris Coutu, Assistant Director
2:00 - 2:30 p.m.	University of Hawai'i Chris Zane, Director of Network Services
2:30 - 3:00 p.m.	Networking Break
3:00 - 3:25 p.m.	International Trade Administration (ITA) Debra Franklin, State Office Director - Alaska, U.S. Commercial Service, Global Markets
3:30 - 4:00 p.m.	Daily Wrap Up Day 3 Preview CAPT Joseph Baczkowski, N-Wave Engagement & Outreach Manager, OCIO/NOAA
4:00 p.m.	Day 2 Concludes
Thursday, May 2, 2024	
8:00 - 9:00 a.m.	Registration Open - Federal Building Annex (<i>Social Security Administration Office</i>) - 222 West 8th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska – Mod G (<i>Conference Rooms A-C</i>)
9:00 - 9:25 a.m.	Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta Tribal Broadband Consortium Kevin Hamer, General Manager
9:30 - 10:00 a.m.	Panel Discussion: “Broadband and Funding Projects” Moderator: CAPT Joseph Baczkowski, N-Wave Engagement & Outreach Director, OCIO/NOAA Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Natalie Kovach, General Field Representative, U.S. Department of Agriculture’s (USDA) Rural Utilities Service (RUS) Telecommunications Program ● Thomas Lochner, Director, Alaska Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development/Office of Broadband ● Tyler Sachtleben, Federal Program Officer/Alaska, National Telecommunications & Information Administration’s Broadband Equity Access and Deployment (BEAD) Program/Office of Internet Connectivity & Growth
10:00 - 10:30 a.m.	Networking Break

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10:30 - 10:55 a.m.	NOAA National Ocean Service Office for Coastal Management "NOAA Tribal Engagement" Jacquelyn Overbeck , CFM, Alaska Regional Geospatial Coordinator
11:00 - 11:30 a.m.	Alaska International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW) Local 1547 Julius Casquejo , Business Representative
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch (<i>on your own</i>)
1:00 - 1:25 p.m.	NOAA National Weather Service Alaska Region Scott Lindsey , PhD, Regional Director
1:30 - 1:55 p.m.	Pacific Northwest Gigapop (PNWGP) Steve Smith , Chief Executive Officer (CEO)
2:00 - 2:30 p.m.	Geographic Information Network of Alaska (GINA) University of Alaska Fairbanks & Snow, Ice, and Permafrost Group - Geophysical Institute Jennifer Delamere , Director (GINA) and Associate Research Professor (Geophysical Institute)
2:30 - 3:00 p.m.	Networking Break
3:00 - 3:30 p.m.	Tlingit and Haida Chris Cropley , Director of Tidal Network
3:30 - 4:00 p.m.	Closing Remarks Meeting Wrap-Up CAPT Joseph Baczkowski , N-Wave Engagement & Outreach Manager, OCIO/NOAA Robert Sears , N-Wave Director, OCIO/NOAA
4:00 p.m.	Meeting Concludes

*All meeting times are in Alaska Daylight Time (AKDT) | Meeting agenda subject to change without notice