APPENDIX D. MEMBERS OF THE AAG AND AAG TWGS

Members of the Alaska Climate Change Adaptation Advisory Group

The Alaska Climate Change Adaptation Advisory Group (AAG) comprises representatives from Alaska’s business community, utilities, petroleum producers and other key industries, environmental organizations, public interest groups, universities and research institutions, military installations, and state, local, and tribal government. The Governor’s Office selected the following individuals to serve on the Alaska Climate Change Adaptation Advisory Group:

Elaine Abraham, Alaska Native Elder & Board member, Alaska Native Science Commission
Taunnie Boothby, Planner & State Coordinator, Floodplain Management Programs, Division of Community & Regional Affairs, Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development
Bruce Botelho, Mayor, City and Borough of Juneau; former Alaska Attorney General
Michael Cerne (Captain), Chief, Planning and Force Readiness, U.S. Coast Guard
Stuart (Terry) Chapin, Professor, Ecology, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Billy Connor, Director, Alaska University Transport Center, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Jeffrey Demain (Dr.), Founder, Allergy, Asthma, and Immunology Center of Alaska
Stan Foo, Manager, Barrick Gold Corporation
Amy Holman, Alaska Regional Collaboration Team, National Ocean & Atmospheric Administration
Larry Hinzman, Director, International Arctic Research Center, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Steve Ivanoff, Planner, Transportation, Kawerak
Randy Hagenstein, Director, The Nature Conservancy
Marilyn Leland, Director, Alaska Power Association
Stephanie Madsen, Director, At-Sea Processors
Denise Michels, Mayor, City of Nome
Anthony (Tony) Nakazawa, Professor, Economics, Natural Resources and Agricultural Sciences, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Bob Pawlowski, Director, Alaska Fisheries Development Foundation; member Alaska Climate Impact Assessment Commission, Immediate Action Workgroup
Buck Sharpton, Vice Chancellor of Research, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Jeffrey Short, Pacific Science Director, Oceana
Orson Smith (Dr.), Chair, Civil Engineering, University of Alaska Anchorage
Bill Streever, Manager, Marine Mammal Program, British Petroleum Alaska
Dale Summerlin, Vice President, Health, Safety and the Environment, ConocoPhillips
Mead Treadwell, Chair, United States Arctic Research Commission
Fran Ulmer, Chancellor, University of Alaska Anchorage
Steve Weaver, Senior Director, Division of Environmental Health and Engineering, Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium
Father Thomas Weise, Rector, Catholic Cathedral
Also invited to participate:

John Binkley, President, Alaska Cruise Association; and Chair, Alaska Railroad Corporation
Patricia Cochran, Chair, Inuit Circumpolar Council
Bryce Edgmon (Representative), State Legislator, Western Alaska House District 37
Richard Glenn, Vice President, Arctic Slope Regional Corporation and Whaling Captain

Members of the AAG Technical Work Groups

The Alaska Climate Change Adaptation Advisory Group (AAG) was advised by four Technical Work Groups (TWGs), comprised of representatives from Alaska’s business community, utilities, petroleum producers and other key industries, environmental organizations, public interest groups, universities and research institutions, military installations, and state, local, and tribal government and AAG members. The Governor’s Office selected the following individuals to serve on the Alaska Climate Change Technical Work Groups:

Public Infrastructure

David Atkinson, Assistant Professor, International Arctic Research Center, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Mike Black, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development
Taunnie Boothby, Planner & State Coordinator, Floodplain Management Programs, Division of Community & Regional Affairs, Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development
Bruce Botelho, Mayor, City and Borough of Juneau; former Alaska Attorney General
Lawson Brigham, Alaska Office Director, U.S. Arctic Research Commission
Mike Coffey, Statewide Maintenance Manager, Department of Transportation & Public Facilities
Billy Connor, Director, Alaska University Transport Center, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Larry Dietrick, Director, Division of Spill Prevention & Response, Department of Environmental Conservation
Amy Holman, Alaska Regional Collaboration Team, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
Steve Ivanoff, Planner, Transportation, Kawerak
Tara Jollie, Director, Community & Regional Affairs, Department of Commerce Community & Economic Development
Meera Kohler, President & Chief Executive Officer, Alaska Village Electric Cooperative, Inc.
John Kreilkamp, Vice President Alaska Operations, CruiseWest
John Madden, Director, State of Alaska Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management
Greg Magee, Village Safe Water Program Manager, Department of Environmental Conservation
Chris Mello, Program Manager, RPSU & Bulk Fuel, Alaska Energy Authority
Denise Michels, Mayor, City of Nome
Patricia Opheen, Chief, Engineering, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Bob Pawlowski, Legislative Liaison, Denali Commission & member of AK Climate Impact Assessment Commission
Vladimir Romanovsky, Professor, Permafrost expert, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Mead Treadwell, Chair, United States Arctic Research Commission
John Warren, Director of Engineering, Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium
Steve Weaver, Senior Director, Division of Environmental Health & Engineering, Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium

Also invited to participate:

Herb Schroeder, Associate Dean, Alaska Native Science & Engineering, University of Alaska Anchorage

Health and Culture

Elaine Abraham, Alaska Native Elder & Board member, Alaska Native Science Commission
Jim Berner, Emergency Preparedness & Traditional Food Safety Coordinator, Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium
Mike Bradley, Emergency Preparedness Program Manager & Traditional Food Safety Coordinator, Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium
Don Callaway, National Park Service
Jeffrey Demain, (Dr.), Founder, Allergy, Asthma, and Immunology Center of Alaska
Bob Gerlach, State Veterinarian, Division of Environmental Health, Department of Environmental Conservation
Henry Huntington, Owner, Huntington Consulting
Joe McLaughlin, State Epidemiologist and Chief, Alaska Section of Epidemiology
Jeff Smith, Director, Environmental Health Services, Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium
Jim Simon, Subsistence Program Manager, Department of Fish & Game
Father Thomas Weise, Rector, Catholic Cathedral

Also invited to participate:

Rose Barr, Resources Manager, NANA Corp
Patricia Cochran, Chair, Inuit Circumpolar Council
David Bill, Sr., Chair, Bering Sea Elders Advisory Group
Harry Brower, Whaling Captain, Barrow
Jerry Isaac, President, Tanana Chiefs Conference
Arthur Lake, Tribal Administrator, Native Village of Kwigillingok
Mike Williams, Chair, Statewide Alaska Inter-Tribal Council
Ron Klein, Program Manager, Food & Safety Sanitation, Department of Environmental Conservation
Josh Wisniewski, PhD Student, Dept of Archaeology, University of Alaska Fairbanks

Natural Systems

Terry Chapin, Professor, Ecology, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Steve Colt, Economist, Institute for Social & Economic Research, University of Alaska Anchorage
Chris Maisch, Director, Division of Forestry, Department of Natural Resources
Molly McCammon, Director, Alaska Ocean Observing Systems
Anthony (Tony) Nakazawa, Professor, Rural Development & Economics, University of Alaska Fairbanks Rural Development & School of Natural Resources & Agricultural Sciences
Thomas Paragi, Wildlife Biologist, Department of Fish & Game
Kurt Parkan, Director, External Affairs, The Nature Conservancy
Scott Rupp, Assistant Professor of Forest Measurements and Inventory, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Jeff Short, Pacific Science Director, Oceana
Bill Streever, Manager, Marine Mammal Program, British Petroleum Alaska
Kate Troll, Executive Director, Alaska Conservation Alliance
Gerd Wendler, Climatologist, Geophysical Institute, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Trish Wurtz, Research Associate, Boreal Ecology, U.S. Department of Agriculture - Forest Service, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Eric Volk, Science Director, Commercial Fish Division, Department of Fish & Game
Also invited to participate:
Bryce Edgmon, (Representative), State Legislator, Western Alaska House District 37
Stephanie Madsen, Director, At-Sea Processors
Roland Maw, Executive Director, United Cook Inlet Drift Association & Co-owner Charter and Salmon research business
Ken McHugh, Trident Seafoods
Robin Samuelson, Chief Executive Officer, Bristol Bay Economic Development Corporation

Economic Activities

Tim Bradner, Journalist, Alaska Journal of Commerce and Alaska Economic Report
Michael Cerne (Captain), Chief of Planning and Force Readiness, U.S. Coast Guard
Paul Dubuisson, ConocoPhillips
Ed Fogels, Director, Project Management, Department of Natural Resources
Stan Foo, Manager, Barrick Gold Corporation
Karl Hanneman, General Manager, Teck-Cominco Pogo Mine
John Hellén, Regulatory Coordinator, Pioneer Natural Resources
Larry Hinzman, Director, International Arctic Research Center, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Elden Johnson, Alyeska Pipeline
Orson Smith, Chair, Civil Engineering, University of Alaska Anchorage
Dale Summerlin, Vice President, Health, Safety & Environment, ConocoPhillips
Also invited to participate:
John Binkley, President, Alaska Cruise Association; and Chair, AK Railroad Corporation
Richard Glenn, Vice President, Arctic Slope Regional Corporation and Whaling Captain
Tom Krzewinski, Golder & Associates
Peter, Larsen, The Nature Conservancy
Crawford Patkotak, Vice President for Shareholder and Community programs, Arctic Slope Regional Corporation; Whaling Captain; city of Barrow Council Member
Keith Silver, Director, Business Development, Nana Management Services