

### **Meeting Minutes**

Anchorage, AK

# ALASKA GASLINE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION REGULAR BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

October 11, 2018

09:00am

A Regular Board of Directors Meeting of the Alaska Gasline Development Corporation ("AGDC") was held at the Alaska Gasline Development Corporation Board Room, 3201 C Street, Suite 604, Anchorage, Alaska, on October 11, 2018, convening at 09:00am.

The following Board members were present at the meeting (or attended via teleconference) except as otherwise noted:

**DAVE CRUZ** 

Chair of the Board

Anchorage, AK

**HUGH SHORT** 

Vice Chair of the Board

Telephonic

**JOEY MERRICK** 

Anchorage, AK

Secretary/Treasurer

**COMMISSIONER MARC LUIKEN** 

Anchorage, AK

Member of the Board

COMMISSIONER HEIDI DRYGAS

Anchorage, AK

Member of the Board

WARREN CHRISTIAN

Anchorage, AK

Member of the Board

**DAVID WIGHT** 

Member of the Board

Anchorage, AK





- I. CALL TO ORDER: Chair Cruz convened the meeting at 9:00am.
- II. ROLL CALL: A quorum was declared present and the meeting was duly and properly convened for the transaction of business.
- III. CHAIRMAN'S CHOICE: Chair Cruz introduced and welcomed Kristi Kordewick as executive assistant to the Board and President, and Tim Fitzpatrick as vice president of Communications.
- IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA: David Wight moved to approve the agenda and Commissioner Luiken second. The approval of the agenda passed (5-0).
- V. MINUTES: Commissioner Drygas moved to approve Board meeting minutes from August 9, 2018. David Wight second. The approval of the Board meeting minutes from August 9, 2018 passed (5-0).
- VI. PUBLIC COMMENTS: Boardroom Mr. Dan Coffey and Cindy Roberts, Dr. William Cox.
- VII. PRESIDENT'S REPORT: AGDC President Keith Meyer gave a presentation on the following:
  - i. Global landscape
  - ii. US China Trade Friction
  - iii. China Remains Engaged with Alaska
  - iv. Cooperation Serving Regional Markets
  - v. Logistics Advantage
  - vi. Gas Resource for Generations
  - vii. Attractive Stable Pricing
  - viii. Gas Supply Agreements
  - ix. In-State Sales
  - x. Government Relations
  - xi. Engagement Alaska Native Affairs





#### VIII. NEW BUSINESS - AGDC MANAGEMENT/OPERATIONAL ISSUES:

#### A. Committee Chair Updates

Technical Committee – Dave Cruz called upon Warren Christian to present update surrounding the Project Labor Agreement (PLA)

Communications Committee – Commissioner Luiken turned it over to Commissioner Drygas who said the main focus of the communications team is on stability and progress of talks with China.

- B. Commercial Update: Lieza Wilcox, VP of Commercial and Economics, gave an update on commercial activities:
  - a. Gas Supply Agreements
  - b. Agreement Negotiations Update
  - c. Equity Offering Rollout
  - d. Chinese Consul General Meeting
- C. Projects Update: Frank Richards, Senior Vice President of Program Management, focused his update on the following Alaska LNG and ASAP activities:
  - a. Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) Section 3 application & EIS process
  - b. Summer 2018 field work
  - c. USACE 404 application
  - d. PHMSA
  - e. Kenai Spur Highway Re-route
  - f. LNG Upstream assurances
  - g. Alaska Stand Alone Pipeline (ASAP)
- D. External Affairs Update: Tim Fitzpatrick, VP of Communications, updated the Board about EAGR team activities, which included the following:
  - a. Alaska State Fair/Energy Day
  - b. OGIF (Houston, TX)
  - c. UAF Job and Internship Fair
  - d. Alaska Tourism Conference





- e. Alaska Federation of Natives
- f. Raising in-state awareness
- g. Raising global awareness
- h. Social media
- i. Publications
- IX. FINANCIAL UPDATE: Phillip Sullivan, Finance Manager, gave an update on AGDC's operating budget and expenditure variance analysis for actual reporting period January 2017 to August 2018 (FY 2018).
  - Per the AGDC Bylaws and Financial Control Policy, Joey Merrick moved to approve the continuation of contracting services by contractors whose contracts, in the aggregate, will exceed \$5 million, Commissioner Luiken second. Approval of motion passed (7-0).
- X. EXECUTIVE SESSION: Board approved motion to enter into Executive Session to discuss the following: AGDC Corporate Structure, Personnel issues and FY20 Budget.
  - No action was taken in Executive Session and Board reconvened to transact business in open meeting at 12:34pm.
- XI. ANY OTHER ITEMS TO COME BEFORE THE BOARD: A very gracious thank you and goodbye to retiring executive assistant Gwen Graham by Frank Richards and Keith Meyer.
- XII. COMMENTS: Commissioner Luiken complimented AGDC staff and was very glad to be a part of the Board and a part of the great work that AGDC is doing for Alaska.
  - David Wight said the AGDC staff has made substantial progress and would like to commend AGDC for the type of work it is doing.
  - Joey Merrick agreed with Mr. Wight's comments.
  - Heidi Drygas would just like to say, "Keep up the momentum."



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XIII. ADJOURNMENT: Commissioner Drygas moved to adjourn, David Wight second, none opposed. The meeting adjourned at 12:37pm.

Dave Cruz, Chair

Date