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Alaska Railroad announces promotions and transfers throughout the organization

Employee promotions generates change, advancement and opportunity

ANCHORAGE, Alaska - The Alaska Railroad Corporation (ARRC) announced the promotion and transfer of several employees to key positions within its operations.

Through late 2022 into 2023, the ARRC celebrated several internal promotions and transfers resulting in leadership changes within its organization.

- In October 2022, Dwayne Atwood promoted to Seward port manager, having previously served as the assistant port manager. He has been with ARRC since 2017.
- Also in October, Christina Isabelle-Glover promoted from project analyst manager to director of grants. Christina brings over 10 years of railroad experience to her new role and extensive knowledge of grants administration.
- Amy Kinnaman promoted from assistant controller to controller in February 2023 following the promotion of Michelle Maddox to C.F.O. Amy is responsible for the oversight of the organization's accounting operations. She brings a strong background in financial and grant reporting to the role.
- David Greenhalgh transitioned from director of strategic marketing initiatives and guest services to director of freight sales & marketing in March of this year. David brings over 23 years of railroad experience to his new position.
- In April, Rusty Pochatko became director of car & trailer-on-flatcar (TOFC) and the point of contact for car shops and TOFC operations in both Anchorage and Fairbanks. Rusty is an 8-year veteran of ARRC's Mechanical Division.
- April also saw, Tucker Remley promoted from manager to director of guest services filling the role previously held by David Greenhalgh. Tucker demonstrates strong leadership in guest operations, continuing ARRC's legacy of providing outstanding customer service.
- Bryan Cothren promoted that same month to director of locomotive maintenance operations and brings extensive mechanical experience to his new role.

- In June, veteran Corporate Communications Officer Stephenie Wheeler retired, and ARRC welcomed Cat Clarke to the role. A former resident of Nome, Alaska, Cat brings experience in community relations and regulation development.
- On July 1, Shane Maloney became ARRC’s newest facilities director departing his former position of as manager of real estate. Shane joined ARRC in 2011, holds a Masters of Business Administration and is one of only 44 people in Alaska to hold a Certified Energy Manager (CEM) credential from the Association of Energy Engineers (AEE).

Reflecting over the past several months of employee retirements, transfers and promotions, ARRC President & CEO Bill O’Leary said “As part of the railroad’s corporate goal to develop and grow leadership from within its ranks, the promotions and organizational advancements highlights the depth of skills held by the talented employees of ARRC. Teamwork and mentorship are foundational as we drive results for our customers and this state. We look forward to continuing to serve our customers with the exemplary level of service they are accustomed.”



Dwayne Atwood



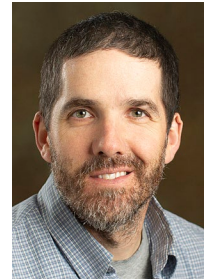
Christina Isabelle-Glover



Amy Kinnaman



David Greenhalgh



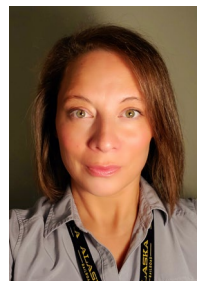
Rusty Pochatko



Tucker Remley



Bryan Cothren



Cat Clarke



Shane Maloney

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