

# CHUGACH ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION HISTORICAL SUMMARY CHART

## PRO-CONSUMER vs IBEW UNION INFLUENCED BOARD MEMBERS & GENERAL MANAGERS

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				Board Chair	Members							I	?	U
June 2026 to May 2027							Sisi Cooper	Rachel Morse	<i>Susanne Fleek-Green</i>		<i>Jim Nordlund</i>			
June 2025 to May 2026							Sisi Cooper	Rachel Morse	<i>Susanne Fleek-Green</i>		<i>Jim Nordlund</i>			
June 2024 to May 2025							Sisi Cooper	Rachel Morse	<i>Susanne Fleek-Green</i>	Bettina Chastain	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>			
June 2023 to May 2024	Arthur Miller	<i>Sam Cason</i>	<i>Sam Cason</i>	Sisi Cooper	Rachel Morse	<i>Susanne Fleek-Green</i>	Bettina Chastain	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	<i>Mark Wiggin</i>			3	4	
June 2022 to May 2023	Arthur Miller	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	<i>Sam Cason</i>	<i>Sisi Cooper</i>	<i>Rachel Morse</i>	Harold Hollis	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	Erin Whitney	<i>Mark Wiggin</i>			2	5	
June 2021 to May 2022	Lee Thibert	<i>Rachel Morse</i>	<i>Sam Cason</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Rachel Morse</i>	Harold Hollis	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	Erin Whitney	<i>Mark Wiggin</i>			2	5	
June 2020 to May 2021	Lee Thibert	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	<i>Sam Cason</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Rachel Morse</i>	Harold Hollis	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	Stuart Parks	<i>Mark Wiggin</i>			2	5	
Chugach - ML&P Merger	June 2019 to May 2020	Lee Thibert	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	<i>Harry Crawford</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Rachel Morse</i>	Harold Hollis	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	Stuart Parks	<i>Susan Reeves</i>		2	5	
	June 2018 to May 2019	Lee Thibert	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	<i>Harry Crawford</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Rachel Morse</i>	<i>Sisi Cooper</i>	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	Stuart Parks	<i>Susan Reeves</i>		1	6	
ML&P MOA Prop 10 Sale Vote	June 2017 to May 2018	Lee Thibert	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Harry Crawford</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Sisi Cooper</i>	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	Stuart Parks	<i>Susan Reeves</i>		1	6	
	June 2016 to May 2017	Brad Evans	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Harry Crawford</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Sisi Cooper</i>	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	Bruce Dougherty	<i>Susan Reeves</i>		1	6	
	June 2015 to May 2016	Brad Evans	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Harry Crawford</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Sisi Cooper</i>	<i>Bettina Chastain</i>	Bruce Dougherty	<i>Susan Reeves</i>		1	6	
Terms changed from 3 to 4 years	June 2014 to May 2015	Brad Evans	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Harry Crawford</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Sisi Cooper</i>	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	<i>David Gillespie</i>	<i>Susan Reeves</i>		7		
	June 2013 to May 2014	Brad Evans	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Harry Crawford</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Sisi Cooper</i>	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	<i>David Gillespie</i>	<i>Susan Reeves</i>		7		
	June 2012 to May 2013	Brad Evans	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Harry Crawford</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Sisi Cooper</i>	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	PJ Hill	<i>Susan Reeves</i>		1	6	
	June 2011 to May 2012	Brad Evans	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Harry Crawford</i>	<i>Jim Henderson</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Doug Robbins</i>	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	PJ Hill	<i>Susan Reeves</i>		1	6	
	May 2010 to May 2011	Brad Evans	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	<i>Liz Vazquez</i>	<i>Rebecca Logan</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	Doug Robbins <sup>5</sup>	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	PJ Hill	<i>Susan Reeves</i>	1	2	4	
	May 2009 to April 2010	Brad Evans	<i>Rebecca Logan</i>	<i>Liz Vazquez</i>	<i>Rebecca Logan</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	PJ Hill	<i>Alex Gimarc</i>	2	1	4	
	May 2008 to April 2009	Brad Evans	<i>Rebecca Logan</i>	<i>Liz Vazquez</i>	<i>Rebecca Logan</i>	<i>Janet Reiser</i>	<i>Jeff Lipscomb</i>	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	<i>PJ Hill</i>	<i>Alex Gimarc</i>	3	1	4	
Last pro-consumer Chugach Board	May 2007 to April 2008	<i>Bill Stewart</i>	<i>Liz Vazquez</i>	<i>Liz Vazquez</i>	<i>Rebecca Logan</i> <sup>5</sup>	<i>Uwe Kalenka</i>	<i>Jeff Lipscomb</i>	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	<i>PJ Hill</i>	<i>Alex Gimarc</i>	5	2		
	May 2006 to April 2007	<i>Bill Stewart</i>	<i>Jeff Lipscomb</i>	<i>Liz Vazquez</i>	<i>Christopherson</i> <sup>1</sup>	<i>Uwe Kalenka</i>	<i>Jeff Lipscomb</i>	<i>Jim Nordlund</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Dave Cottrell</i>	2	5		
	May 2005 to April 2006	<i>Bill Stewart</i> <sup>4</sup>	<i>Christopherson</i>	<i>Liz Vazquez</i>	<i>Christopherson</i> <sup>1</sup>	<i>Uwe Kalenka</i>	<i>Jeff Lipscomb</i>	<i>Ray Kreig</i> <sup>2</sup>	Bruce Davison	Dave Cottrell	4	2	1	
	May 2004 to April 2005	<i>Joe Griffith</i>	<i>HA "Red" Boucher</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>HA "Red" Boucher</i>	<i>Sam Cason</i>	Jeff Lipscomb	<i>Chris Birch</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Dave Cottrell</i>	2	1	4	
	May 2003 to April 2004	<i>Joe Griffith</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>HA "Red" Boucher</i>	<i>Sam Cason</i>	Jeff Lipscomb	<i>Chris Birch</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Dave Cottrell</i>	2	1	4	
IBEW contract extended (4/02) **	May 2002 to April 2003	<i>Joe Griffith</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>HA "Red" Boucher</i>	<i>Sam Cason</i>	Jeff Lipscomb	<i>Chris Birch</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Dave Cottrell</i>	2	1	4	
	May 2001 to April 2002	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>HA "Red" Boucher</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	Jeff Lipscomb	<i>Chris Birch</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Dave Cottrell</i>	3	2	2	
	May 2000 to April 2001	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	Pat Jasper	Pat Jasper	<i>HA "Red" Boucher</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<i>Jeff Lipscomb</i>	<i>Chris Birch</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	Mary Minder	3	3	1	
	May 1999 to April 2000	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	<i>Chris Birch</i>	Pat Jasper	<i>HA "Red" Boucher</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<i>Ray Kreig</i>	<i>Chris Birch</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	Mary Minder	3	3	1	
	May 1998 to April 1999	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>Ed Granger</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<i>Ray Kreig</i>	<i>Chris Birch</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Mary Minder</i>	6	1		
IBEW contracts expire 1/98	May 1997 to April 1998	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>Ed Granger</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<i>Ray Kreig</i>	<i>Chris Birch</i>	<i>Bruce Davison</i>	<i>Mary Minder</i>	6	1		
	May 1996 to April 1997	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	<i>Ray Kreig</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>Ed Granger</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<i>Ray Kreig</i>	<i>Marty Bushue</i>	<i>Kathleen Weeks</i>	<i>Mary Minder</i>	4	3		
Reform bylaws passed (4/96) #	May 1995 to April 1996	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	<i>Ray Kreig</i>	<i>Pat Jasper</i>	<i>Ed Granger</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<i>Ray Kreig</i>	<i>Marty Bushue</i>	<i>Kathleen Weeks</i>	<i>Mary Minder</i>	5	2		

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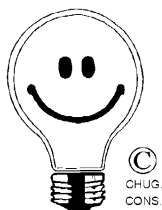
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IBEW contracts expire 1/98	May 1997 to April 1998	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	<b>Pat Jasper</b>	<b>Pat Jasper</b>	<b>Ed Granger</b>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<b>Ray Kreig</b>	<b>Chris Birch</b>	<b>Bruce Davison</b>	<b>Mary Minder</b>	6	1	
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Reform bylaws passed (4/96) #	May 1995 to April 1996	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	<b>Ray Kreig</b>	<b>Pat Jasper</b>	<b>Ed Granger</b>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<b>Ray Kreig</b>	<i>Marty Bushue</i>	<i>Kathleen Weeks</i>	<b>Mary Minder</b>	5		2
	May 1994 to April 1995	<i>Gene Bjornstad</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<i>Bill Mehner</i>	<i>Lace Stanaland</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<b>Ray Kreig</b>	<i>Marty Bushue</i>	<i>Roger Shaw</i>	<i>Jim Hendershot</i>	1	1	5
	May 1993 to April 1994	1994	<i>Bill Ryan</i>	<i>Bill Ryan</i>	<i>Lace Stanaland</i>	<i>Pat Kennedy</i>	<b>Ed Granger</b>	<b>Jim Hendershot</b>	<i>Roger Shaw</i>	<i>Pat Redmond</i>	2		5
IBEW contract extended (1/93) **	May 1992 to April 1993	<i>David L. Highers</i>	<b>Pat Redmond</b>	<i>Bill Ryan</i>	<i>Lace Stanaland</i>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<b>Ed Granger</b>	<b>Jim Hendershot</b>	<i>Roger Shaw</i>	<i>John Franklin</i>	2		5
	May 1991 to April 1992	<i>David L. Highers</i>	<b>Tom Humphrey</b>	<i>Bill Ryan</i>	<i>Lace Walls</i>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<b>Ed Granger</b>	<b>Jim Hendershot</b>	<b>Tom Humphrey</b>	<i>John Franklin</i>	3	1	3
Binding intr. arbitr. added (8/90) **	May 1990 to April 1991	<i>David L. Highers</i>	<b>Tom Humphrey</b>	<b>Bill Ryan</b>	<i>Lace Walls</i>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<b>Raj Basi</b>	<b>Joe Green</b>	<b>Tom Humphrey</b>	<i>John Franklin</i>	2		5
IBEW contract extended (4/90) **	May 1989 to April 1990	<i>David L. Highers</i>	<i>Lace Walls</i>	<i>Bill Ryan</i>	<i>Lace Walls</i>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<b>Raj Basi</b>	<b>Joe Green</b>	<b>Tom Humphrey</b>	<i>John Franklin</i>	1		6
	May 1988 to April 1989	<i>David L. Highers</i>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<i>Bill Ryan</i>	<i>Lace Walls</i>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<b>Bob McGrane</b>	<b>Joe Green</b>	<b>Liz Gilbert</b>	<i>Paul Lisankie</i>	1		6
Strike settled week after election	May 1987 to April 1988	<b>Rick Newland</b>	<i>Raj Basi</i>	<i>Raj Basi</i>	<i>Lace Walls</i>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<i>Paul Lisankie</i>	<b>Joe Green</b>	<b>Liz Gilbert</b>	<i>Jo "Mike" Fenwick</i>	1		6
Chugach Strike Mar-May 87	May 1986 to April 1987	<b>Rick Newland</b>	<i>Jo "Mike" Fenwick</i>	<b>Doug Stark</b>	<b>Frank McQueary</b>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<b>Dale Merrill</b>	<b>Kris Lethin</b>	<b>Liz Gilbert</b>	<i>Jo "Mike" Fenwick</i>	5		2
	May 1985 to April 1986	Robert Martin, Jr	<i>Joyce Murphy</i>	<b>Doug Stark</b>	<b>Frank McQueary</b>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<i>Joyce Murphy</i>	<b>Kris Lethin</b>	Richard G. Wilson	<i>Jo "Mike" Fenwick</i>	3	1	3
	May 1984 to April 1985	Robert Martin, Jr	<i>Joyce Murphy</i>	<b>Doug Stark</b>	<b>Frank McQueary</b>	<i>Peg Tileston</i>	<i>Joyce Murphy</i>	<i>Marchine Dexter</i>	Richard G. Wilson	<i>Jo "Mike" Fenwick</i>	2	1	4
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	May 1982 to April 1983	L. Van Whitehead	L. Van Whitehead	<b>Liz Gilbert</b>	Steven R. Foster	Richard B. Smith	<i>Joyce Murphy</i>	<i>Marchine Dexter</i>	L. Van Whitehead	David W. Robinson	1	4	2
	May 1981 to April 1982	Tom Kolasinski	Richard B. Smith	<b>Liz Gilbert</b>	Pat Rodey	Richard B. Smith	John E. "Pat" Ryan	Gerald K. Morrell	L. Van Whitehead	David W. Robinson	1		6
	May 1980 to April 1981	LJ "Bud" Schultz	Richard B. Smith	Marlin S. Stewart	Pat Rodey	Richard B. Smith	John E. "Pat" Ryan	Gerald K. Morrell	L. Van Whitehead	David W. Robinson			7
	May 1979 to April 1980	LJ "Bud" Schultz	Richard B. Smith	Marlin S. Stewart	Pat Rodey	Richard B. Smith	John E. "Pat" Ryan	Gerald K. Morrell	Walter G. Bagley Jr	David W. Robinson			7
	May 1978 to April 1979	LJ "Bud" Schultz	Richard B. Smith	Marlin S. Stewart	Peter Kalamarides	Richard B. Smith	John E. "Pat" Ryan	Gerald K. Morrell	Walter G. Bagley Jr	David W. Robinson			7
	May 1977 to April 1978	LJ "Bud" Schultz	Richard B. Smith	John L. Rader	Peter Kalamarides	Richard B. Smith	John E. "Pat" Ryan	Gerald K. Morrell	Walter G. Bagley Jr	David W. Robinson			7
	May 1976 to April 1977	LJ "Bud" Schultz	Richard B. Smith	John L. Rader	Peter Kalamarides	Richard B. Smith	John E. "Pat" Ryan	Gerald K. Morrell	Walter G. Bagley Jr	David W. Robinson			7
	May 1975 to April 1976	LJ "Bud" Schultz	Richard B. Smith	John L. Rader	Peter Kalamarides	Richard B. Smith	John E. "Pat" Ryan	Marlin S. Stewart	Walter G. Bagley Jr	David W. Robinson			7

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