

Dear Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly Member,

My name is Jill Schaefer and I would be honored to have your vote to join the KPB Assembly on February 14th. Below, I have written a little background information on myself and why I think I am the best candidate to fill the vacant seat of District 2, Kenai.

My husband, two children and I moved to Kenai in July of 2013 and immediately fell in love with the community and surrounding areas. Soon after moving here I joined the Kenai Peninsula Republican Women's club which afforded me the opportunity to meet many people engaged in policies that help govern the Kenai Peninsula. I am now the President of KPRW and enjoy meeting residents that can differ so vastly in opinion.

I am very active in the community and being the Kenai Operations Manager with the Alaska Support Industry Alliance has afforded me the opportunity to work with many small business owners and professionals that have stressed the issues that affect them in positive and negative ways. The work I have done on political campaigns has given me insight to different view points of the residents of the peninsula and enlightened me on issues that are important to them.

I think I'm the best fit for the assembly seat because I would represent the generation that is raising young families here and I would like to contribute to policies that make the peninsula attractive to my generation. These families will be affected by the decisions made and it would be nice to have some representation. I'm qualified and would be honored to do it.

All questions and comments are greatly appreciated. I have attached my resume and will provide references if asked.

I appreciate your time and consideration.

Sincerely, Jill C. Schaefer