The Alaska Community Foundation: A Strategic Framework

VISION

ACF envisions an Alaska where communities come together and have resources to thrive.

MISSION

Inspiring the spirit of giving and connecting people, organizations, and causes to strengthen Alaska's communities now and forever.

Trust: We are responsible stewards of community gifts, providing integrity and transparency in our operations.

Inclusion: We are strengthened by Alaska's diversity and aspire to be inclusive of all voices.

VALUES

Collaboration: We bring together people, ideas and resources to making lasting improvements, respecting that people who live in communities know best how to address local needs.

Legacy: We believe in the power of endowments to create lasting change for the benefit of Alaska.

Service: We are dedicated to serving our donors, partners and all Alaskans with excellent customer service.

GOALS

- 1. Grow philanthropy, with a focus on developing unrestricted gifts to increase our ability to address diverse needs across the state.
- 2. Develop and maintain meaningful partnerships, collaborations and activities around the state.
- 3. Maximize operational and financial excellence in order to provide the highest level of customer service to ensure long-term sustainability of the Alaska Community Foundation.

Areas of focus to achieve Vision



Health & Wellness

All residents have access to food, housing and health to meet their basic needs.



Education

Students of all ages improve their lives through appropriate education and workforce development opportunities.



Great Outdoors

Alaska's natural beauty and habitat are valued, and parks and trails are maintained for the long-term benefit of the public.



Arts & Culture

Alaska's vibrant arts and cultures are celebrated in ways that encourage artistic expression and foster an appreciation of our many rich and diverse cultures and history.



Community

Community members participate in civic engagement to identify and meet the needs of their communities through Affiliate Foundation funds and other community-based philanthropy.



Personal/Values

Alaskans who have done well have the opportunity to preserve their values and vision for a productive, caring Alaska. Examples include: Progressive, Pioneer, Faith-based and named

donor funds.