



Name: Emil Robert Mackey

Office Sought: District #2 Assemblymember

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Age: 47

Occupation: Researcher for Alaska Council on Domestic Violence and Domestic Assault

Spouse's Name: Dayna Mackey

Children's Names: Emil Robert Mackey IV

Place of Birth: Little Rock, AR

Length of Residency in Juneau: 5 years

Communities lived in and dates of residence: Little Rock, Arkansas – 1970 – 1989; 1992; 1997-1999
Jonesboro, Arkansas – 1989-1991; 1993-1995
Magnolia, Arkansas – 1995-1997

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Fayetteville, Arkansas – 2000 - 2007
Fairbanks, Alaska – 2007-2009
Kotzebue, Alaska – 2009 - 2013
Juneau, Alaska – 2013- Present

Education:

- Ph.D. Public Policy & Leadership, University of Arkansas
- Masters of Public Administration, University of Arkansas – Little Rock
- Masters of Education – Curriculum Design and Instruction, University of Alaska, Fairbanks
- Bachelors of Science in Education, Southern Arkansas University
- Bachelors of General Studies, Arkansas State University
- High School, Parkview Fine Arts Magnet School

Military Service:

Completed Basic Camp as an Army College ROTC Cadet in 1989 (Camp Challenge, Ft. Knox, Kentucky). Never served active duty.

Political and Government Positions:

Political Positions Include:

- Board Member: Juneau School Board, 2015 – Present
- Board member: Juneau International Airport Board, 2013 – 2015
- Treasurer for the American Association of Public Administration – Section of Public Administration Education, 2013 – 2015
- President William Jefferson Clinton Library “Three Bridges” Subcommittee, 1997 – 2000
- Governor Mike Huckabee’s “Integrated Justice Task Force,” 1999 – 2000.

Former Government Employment includes:

- Insurance Specialist II, Alaska Division of Insurance
- Retirement and Benefits Specialist, Alaska Division of Retirement and Benefits
- Tech Prep Coordinator, University of Alaska Southeast
- Academic Advisor/Village Outreach Coordinator, UAF Chukchi
- Transportation Security Officer, US Transportation Security Administration
- Systems Technology Coordinator, State of Arkansas – Department of Human Services

Business and Professional Positions:

Past experience includes:

- Independent Catastrophe Adjuster, Sakansky and Associates
- Commercial Lines Property and Casualty Producer, Brown & Brown

- Director of Resource Development and Housing, Southwest Arkansas Community Development Corporation/AmeriCorps VISTA

Biographical Information *[limited to 150 words or less.]:*

I was born and raised in Little Rock, Arkansas. After completing my PhD in Public Policy, I moved to Alaska to work in Higher Education. Since then I have lived in Fairbanks, Kotzebue, and Juneau. Since 2013, I have lived in Juneau, served on the Juneau Airport Board (2013-2015) and was elected to the Juneau School Board (2015-Present). Last year, my wife gave birth to Emil Mackey IV. The three of us live in Mendenhall Valley with our dog, cat, and chickens.

As my education and experience suggests, I am dedicated to public service and good public policy making. It is my hope I will be provided the opportunity to serve the people and community of Juneau and appreciate your support and would love to earn your vote on October 2.

Position Statement *[limited to 250 words or less.]:*

My highest priorities are:

1. Resolve our enormous deferred maintenance backlog in Juneau. The Juneau Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) is a good start, but this does not represent the vast need of the city; only the projects we are currently able to fund, and
2. I support efforts to expand Police and Fire services to meet current demand and need and at a pay rate to attract and retain talent among our emergency services personnel.

I also support:

- No person should be discriminated against based upon Race, Color, Religion, Gender and Gender Identity, National Origin, Physical or Mental Disability, Age, Marital Status, Changes in Marital Status, Pregnancy, Parenthood, and/or Political Identity/Identification.
- The proposed JACC should be placed on the ballot for public consideration.
- Funding the Juneau Best Starts early childhood initiative.
- Funding Juneau Schools “to the cap” as permissible in the Alaska Public School Funding Formula.
- Collective bargaining and support project labor agreements.
- Juneau Renewable Energy Strategy (JRES) goal to increase Juneau’s “internal community” renewable energy usage share to 80% renewables.
- City funding for avalanche forecasting in years when the snow accumulation warrants it, including Thane Road.
- Pro Choice and Pro-Organized labor

For more detailed positions, please visit emilmackey.com