



## ASEA PRESIDENT WELCOME LETTER

Dear fellow public employee,

My name is Charles “Chuck” Stewart and I am an Adult Probation Officer working at the Anchorage Jail for the State of Alaska. I’m also the President of our union, ASEA/AFSCME Local 52. I want to extend my heartfelt welcome to you and congratulate you in taking this important step to commit yourself to public service. Alaska depends on the public services we provide and you are now instrumental in that mission. We invite you to join ASEA to complement your service.

### Three reasons to join by becoming an ASEA member during your state service:

1. **We are stronger together.** Even when we disagree, we can always find common ground and are much stronger when we stand together to support the working conditions we deserve.
2. **We give back to our communities.** As the ones in the ‘boots on the ground’ we know most what we need in order to improve our services to Alaskans. By belonging to an organization as large as ASEA, we are able to take that collective knowledge and dedication and channel it in ways that amplify our service both on and off the clock.
3. **ASEA membership is not automatic.** If you’d like to be a part of our organization, including helping to shape it, you must take one extra step to sign up. Signing up gives you a voice and a vote on our contracts during negotiations, the opportunity to become a local, regional, or statewide leader, and endless opportunities for training, member-only benefits, and the power and solidarity that comes with joining thousands of other state employees across Alaska, standing united around improving our working conditions.

I hope you will consider joining! Become an ASEA member by visiting

<http://www.afscmelocal52.org/member>

Or you can click on the QR code issued to the right of this text.



Please reach out with any questions by emailing me at [charlesstewartprez@gmail.com](mailto:charlesstewartprez@gmail.com) or emailing [aseahq@afscmelocal52.org](mailto:aseahq@afscmelocal52.org). You can also call 907-277-5200.

In solidarity,

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