

ASEA IN ACTION



City & Borough of Sitka Chapter

ASEA Endorsed Candidates Election Day Results

As of Wednesday, November 5, 2014, the Unofficial results * are as follows :

Governor	Walker (U)	House Seat 4	David Guttenberg (D)	House Seat 23	Chris Tuck (D)	Ballot Measure 3 - Raise Minimum Wage
Lt. Governor	Mallott (D)	House Seat 5	Adam Wool (D)	House Seat 26	Bob Lynn (R)	
Senate Seat C	Click Bishop (R)	House Seat 8	Mark Neuman (R)	House Seat 28	Mike Hawker (R)	
Senate Seat I	Berta Gardner (D)	House Seat 9	Jim Colver (R)	House Seat 32	Louise Stutes (R)	
Senate Seat M	Kevin Meyer (R)	House Seat 15	Gabrielle LeDoux (R)	House Seat 33	Sam Kito III (D)	
Senate Seat P	Gary Stevens (R)	House Seat 16	Max Gruenberg Jr. (D)	House Seat 34	Cathy Munoz (R)	
Senate Seat Q	Dennis Egan (D)	House Seat 17	Andrew Josephson (D)	House Seat 35	Jonathan Kreiss- Tomkins (D)	
Senate Seat S	Lyman Hoffman (D)	House Seat 18	Harriet Drummond (D)	House Seat 36	Daniel Ortiz (I)	
Senate Seat T	Donald Olson (D)	House Seat 19	Geran Tarr (D)	House Seat 37	Bryce Edgmon (D)	
House Seat 1	Scott Kawasaki (D)	House Seat 20	Les Gara (D)	House Seat 38	Bob Herron (D)	
House Seat 3	Tammie Wilson (R)	House Seat 21	Matt Claman (D)	House Seat 39	Neal Foster (D)	

Dates for Ballot counting and verification of election results are as follows:*

November 11: Date for Early Vote (remaining) and Absentee Ballots Count

*November 17-19: Count Absentee and Questioned Ballots

November 19: Absentee by mail ballots postmarked outside the United States

*November 28: Target Date for election Certification

(* results and dates from State of Alaska Division of Elections webpage)

Happy Thanksgiving!

Union Plus Offer Grants To Help Offset Costs of Down Payment For Union Members Who Are Veterans

The American dream of homeownership is far too often out of reach, especially for those who make significant sacrifices to protect our country. Union Plus wants to make the dream of homeownership a reality for hard working union members who have served in our Armed Forces.

Union Plus will begin offering the Union Plus Mortgage Veterans Grant November 1, 2014, to provide qualified union member veterans with a \$1,000 grant that never needs to be repaid to help offset the costs of a down payment.

Only 33 percent of veterans report looking for a home within the first year of their return from active duty, citing the high cost of home prices and the inability to come up with a down payment as reasons that deter them.

Union Plus wants to make sure that veterans that have joined a union after their service time receive help in making their dream of homeownership a reality.

To be eligible for a grant, members must meet the following qualifications:

- Finance the mortgage of their primary residence through the Union Plus Mortgage program on or after November 1, 2014
- Be an active or retired union member of a participating union
- Be a veteran of the United States Armed Services

Applications must be submitted within 90 days of closing on a mortgage. Limited funds are available and will be awarded in the order eligible applications are received.

Access the Mortgage Veterans Grant at UnionPlus.org/Mortgage

Important Dates

Dec. 15 & 16 - State Executive Board Meeting - Anchorage

Meet ASEA's

New Receptionist



Come by and meet Bev Gagaring, our new ASEA Headquarters receptionist, who was excited to join our team on October 7th. Bev just moved to Alaska from Guam and is adjusting to her new job, her family's new home and the new cold weather environment.

Bev brings seven (7) years of clerical/administrative duties/responsibilities and 11 years of customer service experience to ASEA. She is eager to use her personal and work experiences to advance the mission and goals of ASEA/AFSCME Local 52.

Welcome Bev!