



Alaska Association
of Harbormasters & Port Administrators
39th Annual Conference Schedule
October 8 – 12, 2018

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**** All activities take place in the K. M. Rae Marine Education Building (125 3rd Ave., MAP #8) unless otherwise noted ****

Monday October 8th, 2018

- 2:00 - 4:00 PM **Conference Registration and Check-In**
Chamber of Commerce and Visitor's Center (2001 Seward Hwy., MAP #1)
- 5:00 - 7:00 PM **WELCOME RECEPTION**
Chinooks Seafood and Grill (1404 4th Ave, MAP #3)
Food sponsored by Alaska Railroad Corporation
Beverages provided by Global Diving

Tuesday October 9th, 2018

- 7:15 – 8:00 AM **Breakfast**
American Legion – Post #5 (402 5th Ave., MAP #5)
Sponsored by R&M Consultants, Inc.
Conference Registration and Check-In
Continued at K.M Rae Building (125 3rd Ave., MAP #8)
- 8:15 – 8:45 AM **Welcome and Opening Comments**
AAHPA President and Dignitaries
- 8:45 – 9:30 AM **Sponsor Recognition (Round 1)**
 - Please state your name and the name of the company you represent.
 - How do you or your company provide benefits to Alaska's ports and/or harbors? (5 min. total)
- 9:30 – 9:45 AM **Break**
Sponsored by Pacific Pile & Marine, L.P.
 - Breaks are great opportunities to meet with our vendors and ask questions. Please thank them for supporting the association!
- 9:45 – 1:00 PM **PORT TOUR via Water and Land (Seward Harbor, ARRC Port of Seward, Seward Marine Industrial Center)**
Kenai Fjords Tours (1304 4th Ave., MAP #4)
- 1:00 – 2:30 PM **Executive Board Meeting**
Seward Community Library (239 6th Ave., MAP #6)
Sponsored by Bellingham Marine Industries, Inc.
- 1:00 – 2:30 PM **Lunch (on your own)**

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check out local restaurants: The Cookery, Alaska Seafood Grill, Sea Salt Grill
2:30 – 3:45 PM	<p>Sponsor Recognition (Round 2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please state your name and the name of the company you represent. • How do you or your company provide benefits to Alaska’s ports and/or harbors? (5 min. total) <p>Call of Ports (Round 1)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduce yourself, your team and briefly tell us what’s NEW at your port/harbor (Infrastructure, system or staff). • What are your biggest challenges or future concerns or how you have solved a shared problem? (5 min total)
3:45 – 4:00 PM	Break
	Sponsored by TransPac Marinas Inc.
4:00 – 5:00 PM	<p>Call of Ports (Round 2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduce yourself & your team and briefly tell us what’s NEW at your port/harbor (Infrastructure, system or staff). • What are your biggest challenges or future concerns or how you have solved a shared problem? (5 min total)
5:15 – 7:00 PM	<p>Exhibitor Open House</p> <p>Open to Public with Hors d’oeuvres</p> <p>Pick/Sign Up Teams for Evening Activities (See Below)</p> <p>Seward Scavenger Hunt – gather your team or go for the solo win for this fun game with prizes!</p>
7:00 – 9:00 PM	Seward Keel Haul – gather your team or go for the solo win for more fun and games with prizes!

Wednesday October 10th, 2018

7:15 – 8:00 AM	<p>Breakfast</p> <p>American Legion – Post #5 (402 5th Ave., MAP #5)</p> <p>Sponsored by Moffatt & Nichol</p>
8:15 – 9:00 AM	<p>History of Seward’s Waterfront, Kim Nielsen PE—Group Manager of Waterfront Engineering, R&M Consultants</p> <p>K.M Rae Building (125 3rd Ave., MAP #8)</p>
9:00 - 9:45 AM	AVTEC Ship Simulator/AVTEC Maritime Info with Captain Terri Federer
9:45 – 10:45 AM	Recent Metocean Studies, Younes Nouri, PhD, Moffatt & Nichol
10:45 – 11:00 PM	<p>Break</p> <p>Sponsored by Scottco Distributors</p>
11:00 - 11:45 PM	DOT Harbor Facility Grants State of Alaska, Jim Potdvein, State of Alaska
11:45 – 12:00 PM	Walk to Alaska SeaLife Center (301 Railway Ave., MAP #7)
12:00 – 1:00 PM	<p>Lunch with Key-Note Speaker Senator Peter Micciche</p> <p>Sponsored by Turnagain Marine and HDR Alaska, Inc.</p>
1:15 – 2:15 PM	<p>AVTEC Ship Simulator – Group 1</p> <p>AVTEC (809 2nd Ave., MAP #9)</p>

AVTEC Fire Training Simulator – Group 2
 Seward Marine Industrial Center (700 Nash Rd., MAP #12)

2:15 – 2:30 PM **Break – Group 1 Sponsored by Kendrick Equipment/Marine Travelift**
 AVTEC (809 2nd Ave., MAP #9)

2:30 – 2:45 PM **Break – Group 2**
 AVTEC (809 2nd Ave., MAP #9)

2:45 – 3:45 PM **AVTEC Ship Simulator – Group 2**
 AVTEC (809 2nd Ave., MAP #9)

AVTEC Fire Training Simulator – Group 1
 Seward Marine Industrial Center (700 Nash Rd., MAP #12)

4:00 – 5:00 PM **Annual AAHPA Business Meeting**

6:00 – 9:00 PM **Conference Annual Banquet**
 Alaska Railroad Cruise Ship Terminal Building (MAP #10)
Sponsored by PND Engineers, Inc.
Venue provided by Alaska Railroad Corporation

Thursday October 11th, 2018

***** Administrators Follow Track Below *****

7:15 – 8:00 AM **Breakfast**
 American Legion – Post #5 (402 5th Ave., MAP #5) **Sponsored by Kendrick Equipment/Marine Travelift**

8:15 – 9:00 AM **New TWIC Rules: Ex-Director Ed Page/Asst. Director Brett Farrell, Marine Exchange**

9:00 - 9:45 AM **Recent Advances in Port Design Features for Alaska: Dempsey Thieman/Paul Kendall, PND**

9:45 – 10:15 AM **SB92 bill signing and light refreshments with Governor Walker and Senator Micciche Sponsored by Birch Horton Bittner & Cherot**

10:15 – 10:30 PM SB 92 Membership Collaboration Thank you – **Representative Paul Seaton**

10:30 – 11:00 PM **ADEC**

11:00 – 11:45 PM **ALASKA LNG**
 Project Update and Logistics Specific to Ports/Harbors

11:45 – 1:00 PM **Question and Answers with Governor Walker – Hosted Lunch (SPONSOR)**

1:00 – 2:00 PM **Future Cruise Berth Capacity – How to Manage Public Concerns: Josiah Berg/Josie Wilson, HDR**

2:00 – 2:30 PM **LNG Ship Conversion Project: Alex Hofeling, TOTE Director of Marketing**

2:30 – 3:15 PM **Alaska Partnership on Infrastructure Protection: Tom Koloski/James Benzsawel, State of Alaska Division of Homeland Security**

3:15 – 3:30 PM **Break**
Sponsored by Pacific Pile & Marine, L.P.

3:30 – 4:15 PM **Earthquake & Tsunami Program – Move or Stay Put?: Dan Belanger, Manager/EMS and Dmitry Nicolsky**

4:15 – 5:00 PM **USACE Alaska District 2018-2019 Civil Works Program: Bruce R. Sexauer, Chief of the Civil Project Management Branch**

5:00 PM **Dinner (on your own)**

ADMINISTRATIVE TRACK

Seward Community Library, Meeting Room, 1st Floor (239 6th Ave., MAP #6)

10:00 – 10:45 AM	Collections: Angela Schwertfeger, City of Seward
10:45 – 11:30 AM	TBD
11:30 – 11:45 AM	Break
11:45 – 1:00 PM	Hosted Roundtable Lunch Contracts/Challenges/Solutions Sponsored by Kord Information Systems LLC
1:00 – 2:00 PM	Kord Information Systems LLC: Annette Kord, CEO
2:00 – 3:15 PM	Working with your Finance Department: Melody Moline/Sam Hickok, City of Seward
3:15 – 3:30 PM	Break <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Join main group for break and final speakers of the day

Friday October 12th, 2018

7:15 – 8:00 AM	Breakfast American Legion – Post #5 (402 5 th Ave., MAP #5) (SPONSOR)
8:15 – 9:00 AM	Derelict Vessels: Rachel Lord Executive Secretary, AAHPA
9:00 – 10:00 AM	Conference Wrap Up: Speakers and Comment Sheets

THANK YOU! SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!