

Southwest Population and Economic Data Conference

Yupiit Piciryarait Cultural Center, 420 Chief Eddie Hoffman Highway, Bethel

8:45 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Friday, October 5, 2018

8:45-9:00 Welcome

Yvonne Jackson, Tribal Workforce Development Director for the Association of Village Council Presidents

9:00-9:45 Population Data and Trends

Eddie Hunsinger, State Demographer – Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

- Population trends and data resources for Bethel, Southwest Region, and Alaska
- Migration and aging information

9:45-10:30 Economic Data and Trends

Karinne Wiebold, Economist – Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

- Economic trends and data resources for Bethel, Southwest Region, and Alaska
- Local workforce residency characteristics and training resources

10:30-10:45 Break

10:45-11:30 Beyond the Decennial

Liz Brooks, Research Analyst – Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

- American Community Survey
- Current Population Survey and other Census Bureau programs and resources
- Where to look for information about your community and region

11:30-1:00 Lunch Break (on our own – no lunch provided)

1:00-2:30 Census Bureau: The Road To 2020

Charmaine Ramos, Partnership Specialist for Alaska – U.S. Census Bureau

- Forming Complete Count Committees to motivate people in your community to respond to the census

Kori Novy, Area Manager – U.S. Census Bureau Los Angeles Regional Office

- The 2020 Census and how it will be conducted in Remote Alaska

Kelly Rettberg, Regional Technician – U.S. Census Bureau, Area Census Office - Anchorage

- Recruitment of census enumerators for Remote Alaska

2:30-2:45 Break

2:45-3:10 Yukon-Kuskokwim Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy

Brent Latham, Acting Chief Operating Officer – Association of Village Council Presidents

- Economic conditions and strategies

3:10-3:15 Wrap-Up and Feedback

Eddie Hunsinger, State Demographer – Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

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– OPTIONAL WORKSHOP AGENDA –

8:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Wednesday, September TBD, 2018

8:30-8:40 Sign-in

Andrew P. Kashevaroff Building, 395 Whittier Street, Classroom

8:40-10:10 Your Community by the Numbers

Heidi Crawford, Data Dissemination Specialist – U.S. Census Bureau

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- Access Census Bureau data for small areas and communities
- Use income, poverty, race, ethnicity, and other measures to create community profiles, tables, and maps
- Tracking trends with Census data

10:10-10:30 Break

10:30-12:00 Alaska Native Statistics Workshop

Heidi Crawford, Data Dissemination Specialist – U.S. Census Bureau

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- Demographic and socioeconomic statistics for Alaska Native alone or in combination with another race