

2023 Bristol Bay Sustainability Summit Agenda

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| Day 1 | March 23 | |
| Time | Presentation <small><i>*all presentations will be held in HS Gym unless otherwise noted*</i></small> | Speaker & Organization |
| 8:00 AM | Registration Opens & Continental Breakfast | XX |
| 8:30-9:00 | Opening Remarks & Welcome | MC- Curyung/City of Dillingham/Summit Co-Sponsors |
| 9:00-9:15 | Yuraq Performance | DMHS Yup'ik Dancers |
| 9:15-9:45 | Keynote Address | AlexAnna Salmon, Igiugig Village Council |
| Community Economics & Quality of Life | | |
| 9:45-10:25 | Community Development Through Community Planning | Shanna Zuspan & Tanya Iden, Principal::Owners, Agnew::Beck Consulting |
| 10:25-10:45 | Resources for Tribal and Municipal Governments | Erin Reinders, Alaska Municipal League |
| 10:45-11:00 | Coffee Break- Sponsored by: Ocean Beauty Seafoods | |
| 11:00-12:00 | Breakout Sessions | |
| Option #1 | Community Infrastructure: Housing Breakout-- <i>in HS Gym</i> | |
| 11:00-11:15 | Housing and Urban Development | Brenda Akelkok, Bristol Bay Housing Authority, Executive Director |
| 11:15-11:30 | Access to safe, quality, affordable housing in Alaska | Daniel Delfino, Alaska Housing Finance |
| 11:30-11:45 | Water & Sewer Infrastructure Planning | George Larsen, BBAHC Environmental Health Program |
| 11:45-12:00 | Sanitation Infrastructure and ANTHC Community Assistance | Victoria Jelderks, ANTHC DEHE, Senior Project Manager |
| Option #2 | Infrastructure Funding Sources Breakout -- <i>at Curyung Tribal Center</i> | |
| 11:00-11:20 | Infrastructure Funding Strategy | Erik OBrien, Denail Commission |
| 11:20-11:40 | DOT & PF Projects | Judy Chapman, State of AK DOT&PF, Deputy Director of Planning |
| 11:40-12:00 | Update on federal infrastructure opportunities | Erin Reinders, Alaska Municipal League |
| 12:00-1:00 | Lunch Provided | |
| 1:00-2:00 | Breakout Sessions | |
| Option #1 | Small Business Funding Sources & Opportunities -- <i>at Curyung Tribal Center</i> | |
| 1:00-1:15 | BBNC 8(a) Program | Romina Bentz, Bristol Bay Native Corporation Vice President Government Contracting |
| 1:15-1:30 | McKinley Alaska Growth Capital | Julie Woodworth & Madison Binkley, McKinley Alaska Growth Capital |
| 1:30-1:45 | Alaska Division of Investments Business Development Resources | Sandra Holst, Alaska Division of Investments |
| 1:45-2:00 | AKSBDC Resources for small business development | Jon Bittner, Alaska Small Business Development Center |
| Option #2 | Small Business Panel -- <i>in MS Gym</i> | |
| 1:00-2:00 | Fritze Furs | Annie & Todd Fritze |
| | JD Sales & Services | JD Bennis |
| | Triple L Repair | JJ Larson, part owner |
| | Bristol Bayking | Kyrstin Arellano |
| Option #3 | Energy: Nuyakak Hydroelectric Project Update, Renewable Energy Resources -- <i>in HS Gym</i> | |
| 1:00-1:20 | UAF Sustainable Energy Program and Our Community | Eric Goddard and Chandler Kemp, University of Alaska Bristol Bay Campus, Assistant Professors of Sustainable Energy |
| 1:20-1:40 | Clean Energy Development In Bristol Bay and Beyond | Brian Hirsch, DeerStone Consulting, CEO |
| 1:40-2:00 | Nuyakuk Hydro Electric Project Update | Will Chaney, Nushagak Cooperative & Cory Warnock, McMillen |
| 2:00-2:15 | Coffee Break- Sponsored by: Ocean Beauty Seafoods | |
| Education Employment & Training | | |
| 2:15-3:00 | Small Business Development Resources | Madison Binkley & Julie Woodworth, McKinley Alaska Growth Capital |
| 3:00-3:30 | Caliaq Program- Regional Youth Employment Program | Annie Fritze, BBNC |
| 3:30-4:00 | Cuilistet Program- Young Leaders Program | Kristina Andrew, BBNA |
| 4:00-4:15 | UAF Bristol Bay Campus Tribal Governance Program | Laura Zimin, Assistant Professor UAF Tribal Governance Program |
| 4:15-5:10 | Bristol Bay regional WFD Consortium | Carol Wren & Casey Sifsosf, BBNC |
| 5:10-5:15 | Closing Remarks - Door Prizes | |
| 5:30-6:15 | Action Planning & Support Session *optional* | |
| 6:30-8:00 | Cultural Celebration & Feast @ DHS Gym | |

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| Day 2 | March 24 | |
| Time | Presentation <small><i>*all presentations will be held in HS Gym unless otherwise noted*</i></small> | Speaker & Organization |
| 8:00 AM | Registration Opens & Continental Breakfast | XX |
| 8:30-8:45 | Welcome Back & Door Prizes! | MC |
| Community & Cultural Wellbeing | | |
| 8:45-10:00 | Why We Hurt | Opioid Prevention Team, BBAHC |
| 10:00-10:45 | Small Group Reflections | Opioid Prevention Team, BBAHC |
| 10:45-11:00 | Coffee Break- Sponsored by: Trident Seafoods | |
| 11:00-11:15 | BBNCEF- Cultural & Language Revitalization | Kay Larson-Blair, BBNCEF Cultural Heritage Program Officer |
| 11:15-11:30 | Iliamna Communities Teaching Culture Through Native Language | Atkiq Ilutsik-Snyder, Igiugig Career Counselor |
| 11:30-12:00 | Dialogue Circles: Community & Regional Recommendations | UTBB/BBAHC/BBNCEF |
| 12:00-1:00 | Lunch Provided | |
| Our Lands and Waters | | |
| 1:00-1:30 | Climate change and Bristol Bay fisheries-what should we expect and what can we do about it? | Daniel Schindler, Professor of Aquatic and Fisheries Sciences, University of Washington |
| 1:30-2:00 | Board of Fish 2022/23 Report | Gary Cline, BBEDC Regional Fisheries Director |
| 2:00-2:30 | Where to now? Renewing conversations on restoring fisheries access in Bristol Bay | Rachel Donkersloot, PhD- Coastal Cultures Research |
| 2:30-2:45 | Coffee Break- Sponsored by: Trident Seafoods | |
| 2:45-3:15 | Bristol Bay National Wetlands Inventory | Daniel Cheyette, BBNC Senior VP Lands & Resources & Sydney Thielke, USFWS Wetlands Regional Director |
| 3:15-3:45 | Community-Based Environmental Monitoring in Bristol Bay | Mary Hostetter & Bill Kane, Igiugig Village Tribal Stewards |
| 4:00-4:30 | Permanent Protections for Bristol Bay & What's Next | Alannah Hurley, UTBB Executive Director & Matt Newman, NARF Senior Staff Attorney |
| 4:30-4:45 | Closing Circles & Evaluations | Summit Planning Team |
| 4:45-5:00 | Closing Remarks/Door Prizes | MC |