## **Application Form**

Profile				
How did you learn about this vacancy?				
☑ I am a Current Board/C	ommittee/Commission Member			
Mike First Name	Wells Last Name			
Email Address				
Valdez Mailing Addres	ss (PO BOX # or HCI BOX #	)		
Home Address		Suite or Apt		
City		State	Postal Code	
Primary Phone	Alternate Phone			
Valdez Fisheries Development Assoc. Employer	Executive Director  Occupation			
Which Boards would y	ou like to apply for?			
Permanent Fund Investme	nt Committee: Submitted			
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Submit Date: Sep 11, 2025

Required Time Commitment: All board/committee members and commissioners are expected to (1) be physically present at most, if not all, board/committee or commission meetings and (2) review agenda materials prior to arriving for the meeting to be best prepared for discussion and decision making. Are you aware of the time commitment involved in serving on this particular board, committee, or commission? Are you willing and able to commit to regular meetings plus work sessions every month for your full term?

I am fully aware of the time commitment and am willing to commit to regular meetings and other meetings as required. I have a very good record of in person meeting attendance as a member of the Permanent Fund Committee.

Question applies to multiple boards

Regular attendance at meetings by commissioners/board members is crucial to the commission/board's ability to conduct business. Attendance for commissioners/board members is tracked. Under current City Council policy, the seat of a board/committee member or commissioner will be considered vacant following three consecutive absences from regular meetings. At that time, the member will be asked to either resign or be removed by formal action of Council to allow other interested citizens a chance to serve. Are you committed to in-person attendance at most, if not all, commission/board meetings? Do you understand you must provide your commission/board staff as much notice as possible if you must be absent to ensure a quorum is available to conduct commission/board business?

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## **Interests & Experience**

Why are you interested in serving on a City of Valdez board or commission?

As a former Valdez City Council member, I am familiar with the purpose, structure and governing policies of the permanent fund and have sat on the committee for several terms. As a long time resident of Valdez, effective management of one of community's most important financial assets is critical to the continued well being and financial security of future generations of Valdezans. I feel I can bring perspective and sound management practice to this committee.

Please outline your education, work, and volunteer experience which will assist you in serving on a City of Valdez board/commission.

Currently employed as executive director of the Valdez Fisheries Development Association and am responsible for the oversight of the organizations financial investments and benefits programs. I have served on the city council for three terms, Ports and Harbor Commission as its chair and the Permanent Fund Committee. Also, serve on the boards of the Valdez Fish Derbies and the Prince William Sound Economic Development District.

Wells Application Letter.pdf

Upload a Resume or Letter of Interest