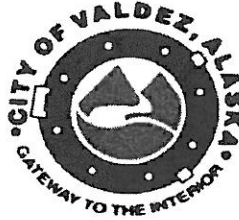


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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO BOARD OR COMMISSION

BOARD/COMMISSION Health Advisory Council

DATE 6/12/16

NAME Tamtha J. Gregory

RESIDENCE ADDRESS 100 Faraker #1, Valdez, AK 99686

MAILING ADDRESS P.O. Box 1540, Valdez, AK 99686

TELEPHONE NUMBER Daytime 907.255.8517 Evening Same

OCCUPATION Chief Customer Relations Officer EMPLOYER Copper Valley Telecom

Please check the main reason(s) for applying for appointment to this board/commission:

- ☒ I have expertise that I want to contribute.  
☒ I am interested in the activities the board/commission handles.  
☒ I want to participate in local government.  
☐ I am strongly concerned with better government.  
☐ I want to make sure my segment of the community is represented.  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please explain in greater detail those items you have checked: Please see attached.

It is suggested you attach an outline of your education, work and volunteer experience.

How did you learn of this vacancy? (circle one)

Media Word of mouth Solicitation Other web site  
Tamtha J. Gregory  
Signature

\*\*\* Please return this form to the Office of the City Clerk, P.O. Box 307, Valdez, AK 99686 \*\*\*

# Tabitha Gregory

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June 12, 2016

Valdez City Council  
Box 307  
Valdez, AK 99686

Dear Members of the Valdez City Council:

Please accept this letter and attached application for service on the Health Advisory Council. I believe the Providence Valdez Medical Center is an important asset in our community and am pleased that over time the hospital has expanded its services. I would like to provide input and participate in decisions and activities related to healthcare in Valdez.

I have extensive experience in business management. My experience includes 9 years with the Valdez Museum & Historical Archive Association, including five years as the Executive Director. I have worked for Copper Valley Telecom as a manager and executive team member for eleven years. I hold a Bachelor's of Science degree from the University of Alaska and a Master of Business Administration from Colorado State University. I have expertise in communications, public relations, marketing, business development, and management.

Through my work at Copper Valley Telecom, I have become familiar with and interested in the use of telemedicine to expand and enhance the range and quality of care in rural areas. This is a rapidly expanding area of medicine that is challenging from regulatory, technological, and user perspectives. Although my interests in serving on the HAC are not limited to telemedicine, I am particularly interested in this area.

I'd be honored to serve on the Healthcare Advisory Committee.

Sincerely,

  
Tabitha J. Gregory

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## Education

**Master of Business Administration | May 2009 | Colorado State University, Fort Collins**

· Coursework included: Accounting, finance, business law, leadership, planning, IT, communications

**B.S., Natural Resources Management | May 1990 | University of Alaska, Fairbanks**

· Coursework: Environmental policy, National Environmental Policy Act, National Historical Preservation Act

## Experience

Chief Customer Relations Officer | Copper Valley Telecom | 1/12-Present

Customer Care Manager | Copper Valley Telecom | 8/05-12/11

Executive Director | Valdez Museum & Historical Archive Assoc., Inc. | 4/99-8/05

Business & Operations Manager | Valdez Museum & Historical Archive, Inc. | 12/96-4/99

Visitor Center Manager | Valdez Convention & Visitors Bureau | 4/96-9/96

Community Organizer | Alaska Center for the Environment | 4/94-12/95