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The Honorable Mayor Mark Jensen and Assembly Members,

My name is John E. Jensen and I am a life-long resident and small business owner in Petersburg. I am currently serving as a non-voting member and Vice-Chair of the board, representing Petersburg to the Southeast Alaska Power Agency. I am seeking reappointment to the SEAPA board, and would be honored to serve for the 2019 term.

In past years of service with SEAPA, I have been present on the board while working through several major projects and structural changes such as the divestiture from the Four Dam Pool, the construction of the Swan-Tyee Intertie and the Swan Lake Dam Raise project. Currently SEAPA is preparing to assume operation of the Swan Lake Hydroelectric Facility from Ketchikan Power Utility. I have served as Chairman, Vice-Chair and Secretary/Treasurer.

I was also a member of the Thomas Bay Power Authority, serving as Chair for two years and was involved with the SEAPA take-over of the Tyee Lake Hydroelectric Facility from TBPA.

I am genuinely interested in continuing to represent Petersburg's vital interests towards preserving our current power rates, which are the lowest in Alaska and unchanged for the last 30+ years; and working to move forward with future projects for the benefit of Petersburg and other communities in the region. I believe my experience and participation over the last 15 years helps to safeguard a very strong position for Petersburg.

Thank you for your serious consideration.

Respectfully submitted,



John E. Jensen