

FP&C Director candidates

Facilities and Campus Services has invited two candidates to campus to interview for the position of Director for Facilities Planning and Construction. More than 50 applicants applied for the position. The search committee led by Steve Rollins, Dean of the Library included Bob Kizer, Director of Procurement; Paula Williams, Director of Sustainability; Chris Mizelle, Director of Facilities Maintenance and Operation; Trig Director of Environmental Health and Safety/RM; and Tim Nelson, CAD Manager in Facilities Planning and Construction. The search committee conducted telephone interviews with 9 candidates. One of the top candidates withdrew from the search after the phone interview.

The two candidates coming to campus are Stuart Hartford of Eagle River, Alaska and John Faunce of Anchorage, Alaska.

Stuart Hartford interviews on Friday Nov 6, 2009 and you are invited to participate in an open forum in Admin 204 from 330 to 430 PM.

John Faunce interviews on Tuesday Nov 10, 2009 and you are invited to participate in an open forum in Admin 204 from 3 to 4 PM.

Stuart Hartford has over 25 years in the Air Force as a Civil Engineering officer. He retired as a full colonel here in Alaska. He has a BS in Civil Engineering from the University of New Hampshire and a Master Degree from the Air Force Institute of Technology in Engineering Management. He is a registered Engineer in Alaska. In his Air Force career he served in roles of increasing responsibility in Base Facilities organizations where he was involved in facilities maintenance, operations, planning, budgeting, design, construction and project management. He has led both servicemen and civilians in his various assignments. Stuart is currently working with an Alaska Native Corporation leading the design and construction of military facilities on Elmendorf. In his cover letter he said that the Air Force has instilled in him values that include integrity, versatility and perseverance and that he excels under adversity, knowing how to motivate others to succeed. Stuart is familiar with UAA in that he, his wife and daughter have attended classes here.

John Faunce has over 30 years in the Navy as a Civil Engineering Officer. John Retired as a Captain in the Navy. He holds a BS in Civil Engineering from the University of Nevada, and a Masters of Engineering in Civil Engineering from Texas A&M. He is a registered Engineer in Alaska and Texas. In his 30 year Navy career he provided Facilities Management, Planning and Construction Management services to large military installations all over the world. For the last 10 year he has worked with an international construction company as the lead for Construction and Project Management Services for the Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport Project which was recently concluded. In his cover letter he said that he can't imagine a position that would better match his skills and experience. He has over 40

years of combined experience leading and mentoring professional, technical and administrative staffs and in providing excellent facilities services to the campuses where he has worked.

Please join us at the open forums for Stuart Hartford on Friday Nov 6, 2009 in Admin 204 from 330 to 430 PM; and John Faunce on Tuesday Nov 10, 2009 in Admin 204 from 3 to 4 PM