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# Steven R. Behnke

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## SKILLS

Applying the social sciences to Alaska natural resource management and energy issues; carrying out and advising on home energy efficiency projects; developing collaborative partnerships and programs around local climate action and renewable energy goals.

## EXPERIENCE

### Public Service

*Alaska Heat Smart. Founding Board Member, past Board President, Vice-President for Program Development. [akheatsmart.org](http://akheatsmart.org)*

*Juneau Commission on Sustainability, City and Borough of Juneau. Member since 2010, Past Chair, Chair of Energy Committee*

*Renewable Juneau. Founding Board Member. [renewablejuneau.org](http://renewablejuneau.org)*

### Retired 2010. Past Work Experience:

*Natural Resources Consultant*

*Executive Director, Alaska Wilderness Recreation and Tourism Association*

*Director, Division of Subsistence, Alaska Department of Fish and Game*

*Numerous research projects in rural Canada and Alaska.*

## EDUCATION

**University of California, Santa Barbara** *Post-graduate work*

**McGill University, Montreal** *M.A. Cultural Geography, 1979*

**University of Alaska, Fairbanks** *B.A. Geography/N. Studies, 1973*

**Wasilla High School, Wasilla, AK.** *Graduate, 1969*