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November Presentation:

CBJ Capital Project Planning: Development of the Capital Improvement Plan and Beyond

Presented By: Katie Koester

Date: November 10th

Time: 12:00 PM

Location: Webex
(See email for meeting link)



Speaker Bio:

Katie Koester was born and raised in Homer, Alaska where she served 5 years as City Manager before moving to Juneau to join the CBJ team as the Director of Engineering and Public Works in April of 2020. Before working in municipal government, she was a legislative aide with the Alaska State Legislature. She holds a BA in Government from Smith College, an MA in Political Science from the Pontific Catholic University of Chile where she studied as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar and is a recent graduate of the University of Alaska Southeast's Master of Public Administration Program. Katie is passionate about government's role in economic development and is proud to lead a department that provides the essential infrastructure to keep Juneau running. When not working, Katie takes every opportunity she can to explore Juneau's endless trails with her children Gus (9), Willym (7), and husband Doug. In this presentation, Katie will be discussing the City and Borough of Juneau's (CBJ) Capital Project Planning. She will discuss the development of the Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) and launch into CBJ's plans for longer term, big vision projects.

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