# Brad A. Ryan

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#### WORK EXPERIENCE

**Director of Public Facilities:** Haines Borough (Sept. 2015-Current).

I am currently the Director of Public Facilities for the Haines, Borough in Haines, Alaska and supervise the Water & Sewer, Public Works, and Public Facilities departments. In addition, I am responsible for managing the Haines Borough's capital improvement projects.

#### **Interim Borough Manager:** Haines Borough (Jan. 2016-June 2016).

As the Interim Borough manager I worked with staff and elected officials to prepare the FY17 managers budget, negotiate a three year cooperative agreement with the Public Employees Local 71, along with my other managerial duties. While serving as Interim Manager I continued to uphold my responsibilities and Director of Public Facilities as well.

### Executive Director: Southeast Alaska Watershed Coalition (Nov. 2013-Sept 2015).

I was responsible for developing projects; grant writing, supervision of professional staff, community outreach, and maintaining budgets. I worked on various projects including storm water retention swales, culvert replacements, water quality monitoring, and trail upgrades. I managed all aspects of these projects including overseeing the design development, writing RFPs and contracts, permitting, and construction oversight.

## Executive Director: Takshanuk Watershed Council (Jan. 2011-Jan. 2014).

As the Director of the Takshanuk Watershed Council (TWC) I managed a diverse array of projects centered on the Stewardship of our local watersheds. While at TWC I secured funding and provided all aspects of project management to replace three culverts in the Haines Borough. A large component of my work included networking, developing collaborations, and developing strategic partnerships.

### Science Director/Grant Writer: Chilkoot Indian Association (March 2009-Oct. 2013).

At the Chilkoot Tribe I secured over 3 million dollars in grants for housing, cultural, educational, economic, and capacity building projects. After my first year as a grant writer there was sufficient funding that I could focus on developing a science program to protect the Tribes valuable subsistence resources.

### Research Fisheries Biologist: NOAA Fisheries, Hammond, OR (Oct.1998-March 2007)

My focus as a research biologist was on increasing juvenile salmonids in the Columbia River Basin. My research ranged from the mouth of the Columbia River to Lewiston Idaho. Research projects varied in scope and size depending on the need. During my tenure as a research scientist I supervise everything from crews of 25 fishermen operating 800 foot pair trawls in the mouth of the Columbia River to small elegant research projects. Many of these studies were published in government and peer review articles.

#### **EDUCATION**

### Doctor of Philosophy in Environmental Sciences and Resources: Biology

Portland State University, Portland, OR 97207 (Degree Received; March, 2005)

Bachelor of Science in Biology: Minor in Chemistry

University of Portland, Portland, OR 97203(Degree Received; December, 1993)

#### PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS:

Peer Review: Seven articles references available on request.

Technical Memoranda: Ten articles references available on request.

Presentations: Multiple presentations to federal and non-government organizations.

#### **BIOLOGICAL TECHNIQUES/TRAININGS:**

ADF&G Riparian Restoration, USFWS Fish Passage, Wetland Delineation, Portland State University River Restoration Physical & Ecological Processes, NOAA Scientific Diver, Sonic Tracking, Surgical Implantation of Radio and acoustic tags, Pit-tagging, Electroshocking, Purse seining, and Beach seining.