



Write-In Candidate

B. AGNES BROWN, Athabascan

President, Kaloa & Company

Completed courses in Elementary Education, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1956-1957

EXPERIENCE AND AFFILIATIONS: Trustee, CIRI Elders' Settlement Trust; Former CIRI Director, 1974-2008 (elected at CIRI's first shareholder meeting); Former Secretary, Former Assistant Secretary, CIRI Board of Directors; Former Member, CIRI Executive, Audit, Compensation, Finance & Investment, and Rules Committees; Former Director, CIRI Alaska Tourism Corporation; Former Member, CIRI Land Negotiating Committee; Director, Cook Inlet Tribal Council; Member, Cook Inlet

Tribal Council Finance Committee; Member, Cook Inlet Tribal Council Compensation Committee; Member, Cook Inlet Tribal Council Sustainability Committee; Former Director, Former Secretary/Treasurer, Southcentral Foundation; Former Member, Southcentral Foundation Executive Committee; Director, Alaska Native Medical Center Joint Operating Board (appointed by Southcentral Foundation); Former Member, Finance Committee of the Alaska Native Medical Center Joint Operating Board (appointed by Southcentral Foundation); Former President & Chair, Tyonek Native Corporation, 1973-1986; Former President, Statewide ANCSA Village Association; Former Member, Governor's Task Force on Federal/State/Tribal Relations; Former Director, Former Legislative Liaison, Mary Conrad Center; Former Owner, B. Agnes Brown Company; Former Sergeant-at-Arms, Alaska Federation of Natives; Former Member, Commonwealth North; Recipient, "Women of Achievement" Award, YWCA Anchorage, 2008.

PERSONAL STATEMENT: My name is Agnes Brown, and I was born and raised in the village of Tyonek. With your support, I have had the privilege of filling a leadership role at one of the most profitable and socially successful Native corporations, while serving as your CIRI board member from 1974-2008. I am an Athabascan Elder, having dedicated my life to serving the Native community, and continue to be a strong supporter and advocate of the non-profits that provide such critical services to our Alaska Native people. I have helped to make a difference in thousands of people's lives by setting well researched and sound policies as a board member for both Cook Inlet Tribal Council and Southcentral Foundation. In December 2008, I was honored to be inducted into the academy of women achievers at the annual YWCA Anchorage luncheon that recognizes women for their leadership and service to their community.

CIRI's Board of Directors is made up of both up and coming Alaska Native leaders and the historians who have walked through many experiences—each of which is important to where CIRI is today, and where our company will be in

the future. It is our responsibility to ensure a steady and growing dividend stream, to safeguard the integrity of our businesses, and to provide guidance to the CIRC-affiliated non-profit organizations that furnish such important services to our people. I take each of these duties very seriously.

I believe in protecting the company by retaining a qualified, efficient management team capable of increasing revenue and protecting the assets of our corporation. The advancement of our own into management positions throughout the entire CIRC system is also important to me. I believe in shareholder hire and in developing the next generation of young Alaska Native leaders. I am proud to say that leadership positions in CIRC and its affiliated non-profit organizations are held by CIRC shareholders.

I am a strong supporter of the CIRC-affiliated non-profits and the health, housing, education, cultural and social services they provide. It has been my pleasure to serve on the boards of Cook Inlet Tribal Council and Southcentral Foundation, and to support shareholder hire and the growth of our own into leadership and management positions at each of these organizations. As a board member of the Joint Operating Board that provides day-to-day management of the Alaska Native Medical Center, I am committed to working towards improving and adding additional health services for our customer owners.

Throughout the years I have appreciated your support, and I would be honored to serve you for another term.