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*Together we are far stronger than we ever could be individually.*

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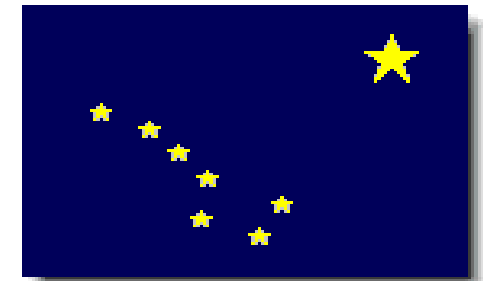
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## Membership



*Our Mission:  
To undertake and support activities that promote strong economies, healthy communities, and a quality environment in Southeast Alaska.*



# Together We Are Stronger

*The Gwis'amiiłgigoohl Dancers of the Museum of Northern BC*



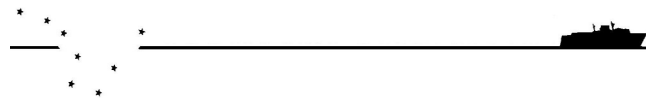
*Prince Rupert, City Reception, 2009 Annual Meeting  
Photo by Judith Parkin*

**Here are just a few of the many reasons to become a member of Southeast Conference:**

- **Stay on top of the industries that matter most to you by attending the regular committee meetings.**
- **Current developments and highlights on events affecting our region are included in our monthly email newsletter.**
- **Continued listing of your business or organization in our newsletter and website membership directories.**
- **Your vote is valuable for the annual Board of Directors' election and other key issues.**
- **SEC will advocate for you for economic development interests in the legislative and policy issues that impact Southeast Alaska.**
- **Enjoy the regional and statewide networking opportunities available during our Annual Membership Meeting in September and the Mid-Session Summit in March.**

## Formed in 1958

Southeast Conference was initially formed as an association of communities specifically joined to advocate for establishment of the Alaska Marine Highway System. While our commitment to its ongoing development and efficient operation continues, Southeast Conference has greatly expanded both its membership base & its overall mission.



## Still Going Strong in 2011-12

Today, Southeast Conference is a regional, non-profit corporation that advances the collective interests of the people, communities, and businesses in southeast Alaska. Our members include municipalities, Native corporations and village councils, regional and local businesses, major statewide and national corporations, civic organizations and individuals from throughout the region. Southeast Conference is the State-designated Alaska Regional Development Organization (ARDOR), and the federally-designated Economic Development District (EDD). These designations require Southeast Conference to take an active role in regional resource management and economic development planning.



*Be Your Own Boss Workshop, March 2008*

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*Prince Rupert's City Reception, 2009 Annual Meeting*

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Associate	\$165
Individual	\$330
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Non-Profit	\$330-\$660
State or Federal Agency	\$330
Chamber of Commerce	\$330

## Municipalities

Associate	\$330
Population below 500	\$300
Population between 501-8,000	\$.70 per person
Population over 8,000	\$.70 for 1st 8,000
Balance over 8,000	\$.30 per person