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The Alaska Mariculture Alliance is Seeking an Executive Director

Wrangell, Alaska (April 21, 2022) – The new Alaska Mariculture Alliance (AMA) is currently seeking an executive director.

The Alaska Mariculture Alliance (AMA) is a private non-profit 501c3 organization that was initiated in June 2021 with a mission to develop and support a robust and sustainable mariculture industry, producing shellfish and aquatic plants for the long-term benefit of Alaska’s economy, environment and communities. The AMA is the successor organization to the Alaska Mariculture Task Force (MTF) and will help shape and coordinate the burgeoning mariculture industry in Alaska.

The Executive Director will serve as the chief administrative officer of the organization. The Executive Director has the full authority and responsibility for managing the affairs of the AMA, its office, and all programs established under the guidelines as determined by the Board of Directors. Tasks will include but are not limited to organizational management, planning and coordination of AMA Board meetings, internal and external communications, and issue research and awareness. The position is remote within Alaska with the potential for office space depending on the location of the successful applicant.

Interim Executive Director, Julie Decker, calls the position a “once-in-a-lifetime career opportunity to be a part of building a new industry.”

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Initial application review to occur May 20, 2022. For more information about the position or to apply contact Julie Decker (jdecker@afdf.org; 907-276-7315) or visit: <https://www.afdf.org/job-announcement/>.