



21st Annual BIA Alaska Region  
Tribal Providers Conference  
November 29-December 1, 2011

*Respecting the past...*

*Providing for the future*

**REGISTRATION 8:00 am to 4:30 pm**

**1:00 pm to 4:30 pm**

**Opening Call to Order:** Jacqueline Martin, Emcee

**Color Guard Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson Honor Guard**

Recognition of Veterans

**Prayer**

Mark Hiratsuka, Senior Program Manager, Cook Inlet Tribal Council

**Welcome Remarks**

Eugene Virden, BIA Regional Director

Dan Sullivan, Anchorage Mayor

**National, Regional, State, Local Updates**

Pat Pourchot, Special Assistant for Alaska, Department of Interior

Food Distribution Program: US Dept. of Agriculture

Gregory Nothstine, Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium

GSA/FAS Customer Accounts

Givey Kochanowski, Customer Service Director

**Feature Speaker**

Susan Bell, Commissioner

Alaska Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development

**Dance Group**

Qayairvig Yubig

**Conference Announcements and Closing Prayer**

*Opening General  
Session*

*November 28, 2011*

*Dena'ina Tikahtnu*