

# Samuel W. "Sam" Cason

Member for: 31 years  
Occupation: Attorney  
Employer: Self-Employed  
Education: Homer High School;  
B.A., Chemistry,  
University of Arkansas;  
J.D., University of  
Arkansas; Ratemaking  
Certificate, Michigan  
State University  
Nominated by: Nominating Committee  
Incumbent: Yes  
Declarations: None



## Candidate Statement

Chugach faces a complicated landscape of issues. What will we do about declining natural gas supplies? Can we improve our reliability? How will we diversify our generation mix? Eklutna? These are complex questions, and our choices over the next few years will impact families and business for decades to come. Chugach is an incredibly exciting company, and I am proud to be the current Chair of the Board of Directors.

As a director from 2002-5, and again since 2020, I am familiar with our current challenges, and how they are similar to and different from the past. As Public Advocate before the RCA for 10 years, we did forensic examinations of the business side of utilities. I have seen firsthand the value of listening to different perspectives. I don't yet have all the answers, but I have seen both the danger of making choices based on theory, and the power of being open to considering alternatives.

My kids are now in the Anchorage workforce; I hope they stay here. If re-elected, I will continue asking questions, seeking practical solutions, and making choices based on providing reliable, low-cost power - now and into a sustainable future.

Thank you for voting!