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# PARKER, SMITH & FEEK ANNOUNCES NEW ALASKA MANAGER



**Jana Smith**

**Anchorage, Alaska and Bellevue, Washington – April 5, 2016** - Parker, Smith & Feek is pleased to announce that Jana Smith has been named Managing Partner of our Alaska operations. Jana will replace David Eckroth, who was recently named Parker, Smith & Feek's CEO-Elect. Ms. Smith will assume all Manager responsibilities beginning immediately.

Jana joined Parker, Smith & Feek in 2006 and has been a Principal of the firm since 2011. With over 25 years of industry experience she works with some of our most complex clients developing innovative insurance programs. In her new role she will continue her work with clients. Jana is also very active in the Anchorage community giving her time to several nonprofit organizations.

Dave Eckroth said *"Jana joined the Anchorage office nearly a decade ago and quickly distinguished herself as a natural leader and mentor. Her desire to foster and support the success of others throughout the firm will continue to be an asset in our Alaska office, a critical trade territory for Parker, Smith & Feek."*

For more information on Parker, Smith & Feek visit [www.psfinc.com](http://www.psfinc.com).

### **About Parker, Smith & Feek**

Parker, Smith & Feek is a privately held, full service insurance broker and employee benefits consulting firm. Offering a full range of services, including Commercial Insurance, Risk Management, Surety, Employee Benefits, and Personal Insurance; the firm has world class resources with global reach. Founded in 1937 Parker, Smith & Feek has grown to be a leader in the Pacific Northwest and Alaska and is ranked in the top 100 risk management and employee benefits consulting firms in the United States. In addition to serving our clients, we are also committed to serving the community and are proud to be one of the top corporate philanthropists in the region.

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