



# PATH to PROSPERITY

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CAN BE AN  
ENTREPRENEUR

## A New Business Competition for Southeast Alaska Entrepreneurs

Learn more and submit an application online at:

[www.P2Pweb.org](http://www.P2Pweb.org)

### Informational meeting at Wrangell Nolan Center on Friday, May 16th at 12:00 p.m.

Interested in applying? Come find out more about the competition and get answers to your questions. This short meeting is open to the community. Light snacks will be served.

### Why Path to Prosperity?

The competition aims to support business ideas in SE that will increase local employment, have a positive social and economic impact on their communities, and promote sustainable use of local resources. P2P will also increase entrepreneurial skills and business leadership in Southeast.

### Important Dates and Deadlines

P2P information webinar - Tuesday April 8, 2014, at 5:30 p.m.

Application deadline - Friday May 30, 2014 at 5:00 p.m.

P2P 1st Round semi-finalists announced - Monday July 7, 2014

### Who is Eligible?

P2P is open to individuals, for-profit businesses or tribal entities. Business ideas may include a new business or an expansion of an existing business. Applicants must be southeast Alaska residents.

### Winners

Twelve semi-finalists will receive a scholarship from UAS School of Management, attend a weekend boot camp in Juneau, and receive technical assistance in writing a business plan. Three business plans will be selected as finalists and each will receive an award of up to \$40,000 for consulting and technical services to develop the business.

### Questions on Path to Prosperity?

For questions or more information please email Shawn Blumenshine or Alana Peterson at [P2P@Sealaska.com](mailto:P2P@Sealaska.com) or call (907)586-9251.

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Path to Prosperity: A business development competition created to enhance the entrepreneurship capacity in coastal and underserved communities, using the innovation and business capacity of Southeast Alaska.

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