Joseph G. Pickard President

Education

M.B.A., Columbia University
M.S., Industrial Engineering – Columbia University
B.S., Civil Engineering – U.S. Coast Guard Academy

Professional Experience

Community Planning & Engineering, Inc. – President Leo A. Daly & Associates – Project Manager Ko Olina Resort – Project Manager First Boston Corporation – Vice President United States Coast Guard – Commissioned Officer

Key Personnel



Career Summary

Mr. Pickard is a small business leader in Hawaii who has acquired a wealth of experience in both the private and public sector. As President of CP&E, he oversees operations, ensuring that financial obligations are meet, resources are properly allocated and budgets, schedules and contractual agreements are carefully monitored.

In addition to the last decade and a half spent in the engineering community in Hawaii, Mr. Pickard also has worked on the mainland and in Asia. Over the span of his career he has managed projects as complex and innovative as the award winning Ko Olina Marina and Lagoons, and as challenging as the build-out of "smart office space" at Exchange Square in Hong Kong for international securities trading.

Since returning to Hawaii in 1986, Mr. Pickard has been involved in projects throughout the State that have required extensive public interaction. His most recent challenge has been assisting the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands in achieving their goal of providing 6,000 residential lots for Native Hawaiians over the next 5 years – a number that nearly equals the 7,200 leases awarded by the agency since it was created 83 years ago.

As a gubernatorial appointee to the Kaneohe Bay Task Force, Mr. Pickard chaired or assisted in managing dozens of community meetings seeking public input into the creation of the first ocean use plan for Kaneohe Bay. This three-year process required hundreds of hours of interaction with community groups and government agencies. Mr. Pickard served in a similar capacity at the national level as a Secretary of the Navy appointee to the Ocean Research Advisory Panel. As an ORAP member, Mr. Pickard and his fellow committee members solicited input from authorities across the nation in establishing cohesive research policies and programs in oceans bordering our nation.