

# WE HOPE YOU'VE HAD AN AMAZING 2 WEEKS!

As a reminder, UAS Housing is here to help! If you have any questions or concerns as you are transitioning into a new year, please reach out to your RA, the desk locations, or any professional staff member!

Additional Student Services support can include UAS Counseling Services, Disability Services, Health Center, Career Services... the list goes on here: https://uas.alaska.edu/life/student-

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TimelyCare is a new FREE mental health support available to students. All you need to do is set up an account by downloading the TimelyCare app using UAS Credentials.

**Get involved!** This is a great way to make UAS feel like a home away from home. Check UAS Connect frequently for upcoming events, dining options, clubs, and more!

### **TIPS CORNER:**

- The Upper Housing Lot follows **a One-Way direction**. To ensure safety of other vehicles, residents, and community, please follow the appropriate direction.
- 2. Due to federal regulations, UAS Housing and university property are **smoke-free zones** and the use of tobacco and marijuana products are prohibited.
- Want a different room? Room Swap Day will be here on September 11th from 9AM 7PM! One day only.... submit an online form to have a request considered for a move (as space available.) More info will be sent via email.
- Have you completed your **Roommate Agreement?** Having these discussions now can help you all learn how to best live together peacefully. These are being required of all housing students and can be dropped off at housing desk locations once complete.

**QUESTIONS?** VISIT THE CONTACT US PAGE: HTTPS://UAS.ALASKA.EDU/JUNEAU/HOUSING/CONTACT.HTML



### **UPDATES FROM THE DIRECTOR...**

## You Asked, We Listened: Exciting Updates to Housing Policies and RA Procedures!

We value your feedback and believe in making meaningful changes based on what matters most to you. Over the past year, we've received insightful suggestions from many of you, and we're excited to share some of the updates we've made in response to your voices.

#### **Updated Housing Policies**

We've heard your concerns about various aspects of campus living, and in response, we've revamped several of our housing policies to better meet your needs. From updates to alcohol use / storage policies to additions to our weapons policies, we're confident that these updates will improve your overall living experience. You can find the full list of updated policies on the Housing website at https://uas.alaska.edu/juneau/housing/policy/all.html.

### **RA Procedures: A Fresh Approach**

We're also excited to introduce changes to how our Resident Assistants (RAs) support you. Based on your feedback, we've updated RA training to focus on community building, conflict resolution, and mental health support. Throughout the year, you'll notice RAs engaging with residents, providing check-ins, and putting on programs that reflect the want for more engagement as a community. Our goal is to ensure that you feel heard, supported, and empowered to thrive in your home away from home.

Thank you for continuing to share your thoughts with us! These updates are just the beginning, and we look forward to seeing how these changes positively impact your time here.

If you have any questions or want more details, feel free to reach out or visit the updated policies section on our website.

Sincerely,

Check out our new policies for Alcohol, Decorations, Weapons, etc. here:

Sean McCarthy
Director of Residence Life & Dining

