Pierce County 2018 Budget and Forecast

Speaker: Mr. Bruce Dammeier,
Pierce County Executive

About Mr. Bruce Dammeier
Elected as the Executive of Pierce County in November of 2016.

• State Senate: January 2013 – December 2016
• House of Representatives: January 2009 - January 2013
• Member of the Puyallup School Board - 2001 - 2009

EDUCATION: University of Washington – M.S., engineering; U.S. Naval Academy – B.S. in Ocean Engineering.

OCCUPATION:
Small business owner and director of printing business in Pierce County.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:
Member, Young Life; member, Mel Korum YMCA Advisory Council; member, Tacoma #8 Rotary Club; member, Tacoma Goodwill Board of Directors; member, Lighthouse Christian Church; member, Good Samaritan Hospital Board of Directors; member, University of Washington – Tacoma Advisory Board.

AWARDS (include):
• Jobs for Washington Graduates Award (2012)
• Friend of Children Award, Washington State PTA (2011)
• Legislative Hero, Washington State HVAC/R Association, Inc. (2011)
• “In the Bag” Award – Washington Food Industry Association (2010-11)
• Cornerstone Award, Association of Washington Business (2009-11)
• Guardian of Small Business Award, National Federation of Independent Business (2009-12)
• Pioneer Educator Award, Washington Families for Online Learning (2010)
• Outstanding Advocate Award, Puyallup PTA Council (2009)
• Local Hero Award, Bank of America Neighborhood Excellence Initiative (2007)

PERSONAL: A Pierce County native, Executive Dammeier attended Curtis High School before going on to graduate with distinction from the U.S. Naval Academy and serve eight years as a Civil Engineer Corps Officer. While on active duty, he was deployed on humanitarian relief missions in the United States and across the world. At the conclusion of his military service, he returned to Washington State and became a dedicated community volunteer. Bruce and Lauren, his wife of more than 30 years, live in Puyallup. They have three grown sons.
The Society of American Military Engineers offers a very unique series of engineering camps designed for High School students who excel in math, science and technical courses and are interested in pursuing engineering, architecture, or construction degrees in college. These one-week camps are high energy, hands-on events for students from across the country and around the world. The camps are led by a professional staff from both private industry and the military services. These exciting week-long camps take place during the summer months in a variety of settings—centered on a military base in the colorful Colorado Rockies, the beautiful North Carolina Coast, the historic sites of Mississippi. Camp costs are $580 plus travel. The Mount Tacoma SAME Post is pleased to support the successful applicant(s) by paying for travel fees as well as half the camp stipend.

The camps this year are:

Army Camp: June 10-16, 2018, Vicksburg, MS
Marine Camp: June 17-23, 2018, Jacksonville, NC
Air Force Camp: June 26-July 2, 2018, Colorado Springs, CO

National Camp Deadline April 1, 2018
Mount Tacoma will select the Camp Participant by April 8, 2018

Applications for the Camps must be submitted through the SAME National web portal by April 1, 2018. SAME National will notify the Mount Tacoma Post of applications that identify the Mount Tacoma Post as a possible sponsor. The Mount Tacoma Post will make its final student selections by April 8, 2018 and will notify SAME National and prospective applicants. The link to the SAME National website outlines eligibility requirements for these camps and application submittal requirements:

http://www.same.org/STEMCAMPS

Applicants selected by SAME National will be notified by the SAME National Engineering & Construction Camp Registrar well in advance of the start of the Engineering Camp.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Dave Newkirk via phone at (253) 606-1047 or via email at dave.newkirk@bceengineers.com.
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TCC Campus Commons - Tacoma Community College
I-5 JBLM Congestion Relief Study - WA State Dept. of Transportation
Crescent Bar Recreation Area - Grant County PUD

Business Type: Small Business  |  NAICS Codes: 541330, 541320, 541620  |  DUNS Number: 783380368  |  Cage Code: 5XAA2
Pacific Northwest Engineer Week

SAPPER STAKES COMPETITION
May 13-16, 2018 · JBLM, WA

ENGINEER SYMPOSIUM
May 16-17, 2018 · JBLM, WA

PACIFIC NORTHWEST CASTLE BALL
Guest Speaker: LTG Todd T. Semonite, 54th Chief of Engineers and Commanding General, US Army Corps of Engineers
May 17, 2018 · Tacoma, WA

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The mission of the Society of American Military engineers is “To promote and facilitate engineering support for national security by developing and enhancing relationships and competencies among uniformed services, public and private sector engineers, and related professionals.” One key avenue for the society to accomplish that mission is to make the expertise and capabilities of our members readily available to government agencies responsible for response to natural and manmade disasters. To accomplish that end the Mt. Tacoma and Seattle Posts established an Emergency Preparedness and Infrastructure Resilience (EO&IR) committee.

Historically, large-scale response to emergencies has been a partnership between government and private industry. The full support potential of the A/E and construction industry in the Puget Sound area can only be reached when the Government’s emergency managers and the executives of the member companies are aware of each other’s requirements and capabilities.

EP&IR committee members reach out to local, State and Federal agencies to inform them of the capabilities of our sustaining members. The committee has prepared a tri-fold leaflet explaining the mission and purpose of SAME emergency preparedness. The leaflet contains a listing of member firms who have indicated a readiness to respond to emergencies and disasters.

The committee needs to know if you or your firm will be available to respond with your resources in the event of a disaster. The key questions are: (1) what capabilities do you offer to emergency managers in the early stages of disaster response and (2) how responsive can you be given that a regional event, such as an earthquake, may damage your facilities including employees’ homes. Any member firm that would like to participate as a listed available resource to government emergency management agencies should contact the Mt. Tacoma or Seattle Post Co-Chair of the Emergency Preparedness and Infrastructure Resilience Committee. In addition, any individual member who would like to work with the Committee is encouraged to contact one of the same committee co-chairs.

If you have any questions about this effort please contact: John Haddick EP&IR Committee Co-Chairman at jehaddick@msn.com / (253) 565-1223 or Mike Moran EP&IR Co-Chair at michael.moran248@gmail.com / (253) 232-3087.

**CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Tuesday - March 13th**
Joint meeting with ASCE at Eagles Pride Golf Course.
11:30-1300.

**Friday - March 16th**
Monthly Board meeting, 0700 Elmer’s Restaurant in Tacoma.

**Tuesday - April 10th**
Regular monthly meeting at Eagles Pride Golf Course.
11:30-1300.

**Friday - April 20th**
Monthly Board meeting, 0700 Elmer’s Restaurant in Tacoma.