

Frickle manager Clarence Rhode

Don Frickie of Fairbanks has been named manager of the Clarence Rhode National Wildlife Range headquartered at Bethel.

The refuge is located on the massive Yukon-Kuskokwim delta and encompasses some 2.7 million acres of the finest waterfowl and shorebird nesting habitat in Alaska.

Frickie is moving from his job as an Assistant Manager of the Arctic National Wildlife Range, and is replacing Dr. Calvin Lensink who recently accepted the job of Activity Leader of Fish and Wildlife's outer continental shelf studies.

Frickie began his career with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service as a research biologist working with endangered species at the Patuxent Research Facility in Laurel, Maryland.

Frickie then worked as a flyway biologist in Washington DC and later served as an Atlantic Coast Flyway Biologist in Atlanta, Georgia before accepting the Fairbanks position.