

Congressman Begich Adds Personnel to Staff

Congressman Nick Begich announced several appointments to his Washington staff shortly before Congress opened in Washington last week.

Two case workers, David Michael Alexander and Mary-Louise Faunce will be responsible for investigating problems that pertain to Alaska. Begich also announced the appointment of Carole L. Fuller as receptionist and Dottie W. Richroath as his personal secretary.

David Alexander was born in Juneau in 1946 and is the second generation of his family to be born in Alaska. He worked as a budget analyst for the State of Alaska Department of Administration and was a page in the Alaska State House of Representatives in January of 1970.

He later worked on the Begich campaign staff. He received a B.A. degree in political science from Pacific Lutheran University in Tacoma, Washington and has done graduate work at Boston University.

Mary-Louise Faunce formerly worked on the staff of U.S. Senator Mike Gravel. She was

born and educated in the Washington, D.C. area.

Before accepting the position with Rep. Begich, she worked at the European Space Conference Liaison Office where she assisted French and German liaison officers in their contacts with U.S. and European industry and agencies.

She was part of Senator Gravel's staff when he first came to Washington, and will hopefully aid Rep. Begich in establishing his office.

Carole L. Fuller has been living in Anchorage since 1947. She graduated from East Anchorage H.S. in 1964 and later received a B.A. degree in English from Whitman College in Walla Walla, Washington.

Prior to becoming a member of Mr. Begich's staff, she was employed by Hewitt V. Lounsbury and Assoc. and was an energetic worker in the Congressman's last two campaigns.

Dottie W. Richroath was previously personal Secretary to Senator Thomas Dodd of Connecticut and has worked around the D.C. area the past 12 years.