

Gravel Gets Anchorage Campaign Mgr.

Joe Wiley, Anchorage marketing representative for IBM will be the Anchorage campaign manager for Mike Gravel in his bid for the Democratic nomination for the U.S. House of Representatives, Larry Carr announced today.

A native of Tennessee, Mr. Wiley had been active in the campaigns of Senator Gore, Governor Clement, and the late Senator Kefauver.

"Since I have identified myself so completely with Alaska," Mr. Wiley said, "I am personally concerned and convinced we must have articulate and effective leaders if we are to reach the full national stature of our sister states. Having observed Mike Gravel's enthusiastic and dedicated service in the state legislature, I have concluded he is an able leader, as demonstrated by his work on behalf of the first Alaska State Human Rights bill, the Anchorage Community College, regional high schools, as well as much other vital legislation, and would be a more effective spokesman on the national level."