



RDI Source

Resource Data, Inc.: People, Technology, Results

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RDI's ability to provide top-notch professionals from programmers to senior project managers on an as-needed basis was key to our success.

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Dennis Gellhouse
Department of Labor

State of Alaska, Department of Labor—ALEXsys

RDI teamed with the State of Alaska, Department of Labor to deploy Alaska's Labor Exchange System (ALEXsys). The system matches potential employers with people looking for work by keying on job skills rather than simply matching job titles, which was the traditional approach.

ALEXsys provides crucial services to both job seekers and employers. Using ALEXsys (a web-based system available statewide), applicants can set up a search agent to automatically review job postings and notify them of jobs matching their skill set. They can even track the resumes they've sent and their job search efforts in a personal profile folder.

Employers may search for job candidates, post job announcements, or even set up a search agent to automatically find candidates with skills relevant to their needs.

The project is a smashing success. It spanned two years and was a multi-million dollar effort teaming the State, RDI and the software vendor, Geographic Solutions, Inc. Today there are over 43,500 registered users and 3,000 registered employers. (See ALEXsys for yourself at <http://alexsys.labor.state.ak.us/>.)

Technology included: SQL Server, .Net, ASP, and SQL Reporting Services 

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With our core staff, new hires, and returning professionals, we are completing some of the most exciting projects in company history.

2006 has been a remarkable year—and we look forward to 2007.

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Jim Rogers
President
Resource Data, Inc.

Three New Offices!

In an age when it seems that every day brings news of another company downsizing, RDI continues to expand! The **Fairbanks** office—opened in November of 2005—is run by Eric Nace, a long-time Fairbanks resident who spent twelve years developing software for Microsoft.

Our **Boise** office is growing, too. Dan VanOrden heads the full-time staff of five (and we are recruiting for a senior GIS programmer). Many of you know Dan from his outstanding work in Alaska, but he's not the only “Boise-based” staffer with some northern exposure; one terrific result of our opening the Boise office is that several former Alaska RDI employees have rejoined our staff. Lucky for us!

Our third new office just opened on Arctic Boulevard in **Anchorage**. This location provides additional client support and more space for our growing operation. And we're pleased that some of our expansion is “old growth” resources; as in Boise, the Anchorage office has seen the return of some former star employees!

2006 has also seen continued growth in **Juneau**. We now have ten full-time employees in that office—and the company total is up to 85! This expansion is good for our clients, of course, as they benefit from more expertise, expanded services, and great geographic diversity. But our core strength has always been based on the broad range of talented people who make up the RDI “family,” and that's a value that can't be calculated on spreadsheets. 



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The world around us has changed dramatically in twenty years, but our core focus has not.

People, technology, results: That's what RDI was built on, and that's still what we're all about.


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Kimball Forrest
Principal
Resource Data, Inc.

What's It All About After 20 Years?

Start with a couple of guys writing software. Add a growing world awareness of Geographic Information System (GIS) technology. Throw in some understanding of database integration and migration. Stir up a few software development projects. Take everything online. And suddenly it's twenty years later!

Anybody celebrating twenty years in any field has some idea of “what it's all about.” We've been successful for twenty years in the IT business because we know exactly what RDI is about:

1. We're about people—our employees and our clients. We treat everyone fairly, maintain high ethical standards, and provide a great place to work.
2. We're about technology. But technology without direction is merely bells and whistles; we are committed to employing the right tools to get the job done properly.
3. We're about results. We take pride in delivering on time and on budget solutions to our 500 clients throughout, Alaska, the Lower 48 and the world. 

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