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* Alaska Aerospace board of directors promoted Dale K. Nash (MBA ‘03) to president and CEO. In January 2007, Nash joined Alaska Aerospace as chief operating officer. Alaska Aerospace, with headquarters in Anchorage, owns and operates the Kodiak Launch Complex, a state-of-the-industry spaceport on Kodiak Island.

Nash brings more than 25 years of experience in the industry to Alaska Aerospace. He began his career in 1982 at Hercules Aerospace Company, Bacchus Works in Magna, Utah, working on intercontinental and sea-launched ballistic missile systems. He served in several executive positions on the NASA Space Shuttle Program.

Nash has a bachelor's degree in engineering from the University of Utah and a Masters of Business Administration from the University of Florida.