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Warren Nokleberg served the U.S. Geological Survey as a research geologist for 30 years until 2006, and following his retirement, as an emeritus geologist until 2018. He was an extremely prolific author of geologic maps and mineral resources data, authoring or co-authoring over 260 maps, reports, databases, and journal articles throughout his career. His major Alaskan research emphases were the mineral deposits, metallogenesis, detailed and regional bedrock geologic mapping, and the tectonic evolution of the eastern Alaska Range, the Trans-Alaska Crustal Transect in eastern Alaska, and the circum-North Pacific Cordillera. In 2002, he was awarded the Meritorious Service Award by the Department of the Interior for exceptional scientific research and leadership in Alaska and the circum-North Pacific.

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