

Hank Fallek



Hank Fallek is an award-winning meteorological measurement, researcher and product development engineer. He has been involved in all aspects of the Weather Business for over fifty (50) years.

In 1972, Hank Fallek co-founded **HANDAR Company** to develop a full line of weather, hydrologic and oceanographic instrumentation and data collection/communication systems meeting NWS and WMO Standards. HANDAR provided weather systems to the **National Weather Service, NASA, National Ocean Survey, US Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management** and many foreign governments. By 1986, HANDAR had supplied over 25,000 automated weather, hydrology and oceanographic stations.

At **SUTRON**, Mr. Fallek served as chief developer of weather and oceanographic instrumentation, responsible to develop the standard instrumentation and measurement systems for the **National Ocean Survey**. SUTRON notably provided the precision tide instrumentation utilized for the ***Vanuatu tide study***, lauded in the industry. SUTRON ultimately positioned over 1,500 data collection stations around the world. Mr. Fallek was often engaged for international consulting and weather program development.

As VP of weather systems integration with **The Republic Group**, Mr. Fallek oversaw production of a full range of meteorologic, oceanographic and hydrologic data collection, analysis and visualization systems. Through **Earth Systems Science (ESSI)**, he provided comprehensive modernization plans for several foreign governments to include not only the instrumentation and forecasting tools, but financing plans as well. Hank Fallek worked with the **US Trade Development Agency, NWS Office of Foreign Affairs, UN Development Program, World Bank, ExIm Bank**, and the **International Development Bank**, among others.

Hank Fallek successfully secured a company “turnaround” while serving as President of **Global Weather Dynamics**. GWD focused on the production of weather message switching systems. And from 2012-2017, Mr. Fallek managed a Division of **IPS MeteoStar** that developed software-based weather forecasting tools for customers including the US Air Force, US Navy, NASA, and FedEx, as well as many sovereign nations including Colombia, Panama Canal, Mexico, Thailand, Singapore, Vietnam, Taiwan, Maldives, Germany, Austria and several others.

Hank Fallek has worked and traveled to nearly all continents throughout the world in connection with the measurement of climate data and research. He is uniquely situated to speak on the subject of global climate through personal experience and weather measurement over the past fifty years.

In their spare time, Hank and Linda Fallek are Patriots well-rooted by their faith in God. They each enjoy projects reflecting their individual works of craftsmanship.