



Thursday, May 7, Scenic Foothills Community Council Meeting

7 p.m. at Wayland Baptist University, 7801 East 32nd Avenue (enter via Old Muldoon Road off 36th Avenue).

Agenda

7:00 p.m. Call to Order • Welcome • April Minutes Approval

Anchorage School District Report:

An Anchorage School Board representative is invited to all our Council meetings to provide updates.

Municipality of Anchorage Report:

Assemblymen Paul Honeman and Pete Petersen will report on current issues before the Assembly.

Legislative session:

Representative Lance Pruitt and State Senator Cathy Giessel are invited to discuss legislative actions, the State budget and other issues that were part of this session and answer questions from the floor.

Bear Activity:

We have invited David Saalfeld or David Battle from Fish and Game to discuss bear activity in our vicinity.

Bear Activity – Trash Cans:

Brad Kilger from Alaska Waste has been invited to discuss use of bear-resistant trash cans in our neighborhood.

JBER Recreational Access:

Access to JBER for recreational purposes is restricted, but is allowed through its iSportsman.net program. Find out how this program works, how you can enroll and when you can legally access adjacent lands on JBER.

Vandalism in our parks:

We have had significant vandalism in our neighborhood parks. There are things we can do to thwart more of it.

Anchorage Capital Improvement Projects – Survey (see the projects SFCC needs to rank here)

The Municipality asks community councils to list their priorities for capital projects with an annual survey. We plan to use Survey Monkey online for this with a paper survey ballot for members without online access.

Executive Board Election:

With the recent change in the SFCC Bylaws, members will be elected to the Executive Board rather than being elected into specific offices. In this transition year, all seven (7) members of the Board will be elected at the May meeting, our community council’s annual meeting.

Public Comments and Neighborhood Concerns:

The Scenic Foothills Community Council strives to introduce the most important topics of concern to our neighborhoods. We rely on your input to help design our future meeting agendas.

Also, we would like to gauge interest in organizing a summer potluck picnic in Chugach Foothills Park now that the Pioneer Drive street upgrade is complete and we have access to the park at the main entrance again.

9:00 p.m. Adjourn

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