

Newsletter

Scenic Foothills Community Council

September 2014

Thursday, September 4, Scenic Foothills Community Council Meeting -

7 p.m. at Wayland Baptist University, 7801 East 32nd Avenue (enter via Old Muldoon Road off 36th Avenue). Meeting Agenda: <<u>http://www.scenicfoothillscc.org/pdf/agenda.pdf</u>> copies at the door.

Pioneer Drive in Chugach Foothills is being upgraded between Muldoon Road and Resurrection Drive. By mid-September the landscaping should be far enough along that we can move the irises rescued from the median last May into a new flower bed at the front of Chugach Foothills Park. We will need volunteers on short notice to help plant irises in time for them to get their roots into the soil before freeze-up. We'll have an update and more information at the September 4 Council meeting.

Scenic Foothills Community Council officer and board elections held at the May meeting left open slots. We welcome new faces and ideas. If you have an interest in running for office, please contact any member of the executive board. We have lots of projects that could use your energy and expertise. Please step up!

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Agenda Highlights

Scenic Foothills Community Council Meeting, September 4, 2014

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

Municipality of Anchorage Report:

Assembly Representatives Paul Honeman and Pete Petersen will report and answer questions from the public pertaining to issues before the Assembly.

Anchorage School Board Report:

A member of the School Board will be available for comments at our October SFCC meeting. Anchorage School Board and SFCC are meeting simultaneously in September due to a Labor Day holiday conflict.

Old Business:

Status reports on Pioneer Drive upgrade, Resurrection Drive water upgrade, Foothills Storage construction, Baxter Bog area road rehabilitation, Baxter Road improvements, Brian Durr's Eagle Scout project in Little Dipper Park, East Anchorage District Plan.

New Business:

Proposed SFCC Bylaws – with required changes mandated by the Anchorage Assembly – will be introduced for discussion in October and will most likely be scheduled for approval at our November 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. (Next meeting: Oct. 2.)

9:00 p.m. Adjourn

Our part of town—from the Tudor-Muldoon curve to the swerve onto the Glenn Highway—is named after Anchorage pioneer homesteader Arnold L. Muldoon. He put up a log cabin among the spruce trees near Northern Lights Boulevard in the winter of 1940. He packed the materials out on his back, along a muddy trail that became Muldoon Road. Arnold L. Muldoon Park, named in his honor, preserves a portion of his original homestead. You may have noticed some of "Arnie's Army" of volunteers planting and tending flowers and working to Spruce Up Muldoon and clean up around Scenic Foothills. Volunteers are always welcome to join in. There are volunteer opportunities in Scenic Foothills all year!

E-mail newsletters: send your e-mail address to newsletter@scenicfoothillscc.org to get the freshest news! All committees are open for membership and support. Please contact board members for more information.

Separation of church and state continues to be recognized while we take the opportunity to meet at Wayland Baptist University. If anyone is uncomfortable with this location please contact a board member. We thank the University for allowing us to use their auditorium.

The Municipality and the Federation of Community Councils complies with Title I of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and is an equal opportunity employer. Reasonable accommodations will be made available to qualified individuals with disabilities upon request. Please contact Mark Butler, Community Councils Center 907-277-1977 no later than 10 days prior to the meeting date to make any necessary arrangements.

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