

Newsletter

Scenic Foothills Community Council

November 2014

Thursday, November 6, 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: http://www.scenicfoothillscc.org/pdf/agenda.pdf> copies at the door.

East Anchorage District Plan draft, approved with amendments by the Planning and Zoning Commission, has been sent to the Anchorage Assembly with a recommendation for adoption. A public hearing before the Assembly is scheduled for 6 p.m. December 2, 2014, in the Assembly Chambers at Z.J. Loussac Library.

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

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

Bylaws Revisions:

Considering proposed SFCC Bylaws http://www.scenicfoothillscc.org/pdf/Proposed_SFCC_bylaws.pdf – with changes mandated by the Anchorage Assembly – will be postponed until the January 8, 2015, meeting. Please direct any questions about the draft bylaws to Roger Shaw.

Municipality of Anchorage Report:

Assembly Representatives Paul Honeman and Pete Petersen will report and answer questions from the public.

Anchorage School Board Report:

Kathleen Plunkett, a member of the School Board, will report and be available for comments.

Alaska Legislative Report

Alaska Highway Project

Jean Pollard, ASD coordinator for the project, will present plans for installing a monument in Centennial Park "Dedicated to the African American army engineers who built the historic Alaska Highway during World War II and completed the Sikanni Chief River Bridge on '28th of October', 1942, ultimately ending segregation in the U.S. military." The project leaders are seeking a resolution of council support.

Reports from the SFCC Council Board

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: Dec. 4.)

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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