

North Star Community Council Regular Meeting



When: **Wednesday, January 22, 2003**

Where: **North Star Elementary School Library**

Who: **Anyone who lives, works, owns property, or has a student enrolled in the NSCC area**

AGENDA

Introductions

Announcements

Approval of 1/22/03 agenda

Approval of 12/18/02 minutes

Reports and Presentations

Treasurer's Report

Elected Officials' Reports

Legislative

Assembly

School Board

Police Report – Neighborhood Crime Activity

Child in Transition project – Janet Levin

Council Boundary Change Report and Discussion – Sam Rose Planning & Zoning's proposal will be introduced to the Assembly soon, possibly Jan. 28, with a public hearing to be scheduled possibly Feb. 11. NSCC needs to consider its approach and comments to be made to Assembly.

North Star Elementary School Report

North Star PTA

Zoning Report

Old Business

New Business – **Nominations for NSCC Officers will be accepted**

Municipal Sign Ordinance is being totally re-written. NSCC to discuss changes and consider recommendations to offer.

Adjournment at 9 p.m. (unless majority votes for extension)

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Please review the following and bring this copy to the meeting on Jan. 22:

North Star Community Council Minutes, December 18, 2002

Attending: Harriet Drummond; George Donart, Bonnie Jack, Gwyn Howard, Barbara Johnson, Mary Jo Robinson, Gordon Glaser, Rebecca Kyle.

Approval of Agenda 12/18/02: Approved unanimously.

Approval of Minutes 11/20/02 and 10/30/02: Approved unanimously.

School Board Report - Harriet Drummond ASD is in negotiations with middle management union, ACE. Budget is being developed for 2003-04, Jan. 14 & 16 public hearings, Jan. 23rd first reading, Feb. 6th second reading. Held work session on emergency preparedness; new administrative building proposal in works. Profiles of Performance reviewed. Three sessions with three charter school proposals (one is on-line, second is home school support, third is ABC-style in Eagle River area). Approved administration's proposal to bus Wendler middle school students to old Dimond High School next year to save time and money and provide safer learning environment. Reviewed 209.2 million dollar Bond Proposal for capitol projects. Possible 60 to 70% reimbursement from state following passage of statewide school bonds in Nov.

Boundary Change Update – Sam Rose out of town. Need plan to implement strategy. Letters to Editor. Letter to Assembly and P & Z, talk to Dan Coffey, Talk to Assembly members.

Membership Development Discussion - Rebecca Kyle Any good organization should have an organized development plan. Posited to have a working committee/party to sort out snail mail and e-mail lists. Required to do survey by FCC. We hope to send out questionnaire. E-mail neighborhood crime reporting. Re-vitalize neighborhood watch. Invite new Neighborhood Watch representative.

New Business: Tesoro liquor license renewal. Discussion about Tesoro's 2 Go store at Fireweed and Spenard, does the council support the license? There should be some indication of who is the owner. We would also like to request a review of the police report for store. **Motion:** Request adding following conditions: 1. Corporate name is placed on façade identifying the store and it is identified as a convenience store. 2. The assembly reviews the police report. 3. The premises are cleaned and maintained similar to Oaken Keg, Brown Jug, and other Tesoro 2 Go locations. 4. Signs should not completely paper the windows. Harriet moved, George seconded. Bonnie moves to pass it unanimously. It passes unanimously.

Adjournment at 8:20 pm