

RUSSIAN JACK PARK COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING

7:00 PM, Wednesday, April 14, 2004 at the Wonder Park Library

Meeting place is at the Wonder Park Elementary School Library, 5100 East 4th Ave

1. APD or AFD Update (when available):

Our APD Liaison Officer will take feedback and give an update. AFD Personnel will give us a safety minute.

2. Long Range Transportation Plans (LRTP) Presentation:

Lance Wilber, Municipal Traffic Director, will present the LRTP and give us an update on Road Development.

3. Capital Improvement Program:

We will need to review and vote on our CIP/TIP again this year. Our 2003 list is as follows: 1 Traffic Calming; 2 Street Lighting on San Antonio, Camilla Court, San Ernesto and Bunnell; 3 Land Acquisition and development of a new Pocket Park between 6th Ave, San Ernesto, Bragaw and Pine; 4 Russian Jack Springs Park improvements based on the Master Plan; 5 Pedestrian Improvements for South Boniface; 6 Develop a new Pocket Park in the Reka area; 7 Pine Street to McCarrey Street Rehabilitation with traffic calming; 8 Complete Phase II of Williwaw Park; 9 Landscaping between Bragaw and Boniface on the Glenn; 10 Additional work on Reka with traffic calming. The Municipality CIP List is as follows (not in order): 1 Upgrade to Russian Jack camper park; 2 Pine Street/McCarrey Surface Rehabilitation; 3 RJ area Park acquisition; 4 Upgrade Russian Jack Golf Greens; 5 Reconstruct and expand trails in Russian Jack per Master Plan, 6 Develop park for Reka Drive in Russian Jack; 7 Traffic Calming and Safety Improvements for Airport Heights, Rogers Park and Russian Jack.

4. Project Safe Neighborhoods Community Involvement Program:

Plan to attend a Community Meeting relating to the Gun Violence statistics on of Reka Drive between E 16th and E 20th at St Anthony's Church on April 13, 2004 from 6-8pm. Help us review the stats and participate in the community involvement process – bring your neighbors and friends. We will have the UAA Justice Center at our May Meeting.

5. Committee Reports (3 minute time limit):

Approve the Minutes and Treasurer's report and authorize payment of bills. San Antonio Tot Park Update and Plans for April 24, 2004 open house. Status and update on the Weed and Seed Initiative. Russian Jack Community Patrol needs volunteers. Donations of both time and money make a big difference to the health of our community. If you would like to join the patrol please contact the Patrol phone number 929-3794. Do we want to change the time we start?

6. Legislative Teleconference and Assembly Update:

We will have Legislative Teleconference and an Assembly Update.

7. Information and Mailing List Changes to EMAIL:

Due to the MOA Budget cuts we need to switch as many people to email as possible since regular mail may be eliminated. Please mail the bottom section of this agenda, call Charlene at 277-1977 or Kathleen at 337-7377. The Anchorage Literacy Project located at 1345 Rudakof Circle,#104 has a Community Resource Computer available Mon thru Thurs, please call 337-1981 for hours. First Free Methodist Church at 4607 East 6th Avenue has a Food Bank the third Saturday from 10 – 12 am, please call 333-6085 for more information.

8. Meeting Information & Council Interests:

We will be meeting at the Wonder Park Elementary School Library from October 2003 to June 2004. Please let us know of topics of interest for the council agenda.

THIS COULD BE YOUR LAST PAPER NEWSLETTER! UNLESS... WE HEAR FROM YOU!!!

The 2004 Council Centers budget was cut significantly and we have very limited funds. Thank you to all that have responded, if you have not please do so now....

To keep getting your newsletter by regular mail, you must respond and let us know that you care! In addition, the best way to assure that you get it is to be set up on email. The amount of money in the budget is not enough to handle all of the regular mail lists for the city so they all need to be reduced.

- I would like to receive the Russian Jack agenda via email: _____
- I do not have email available and would like to continue with US Mail: _____
- I would like to be removed now from the Russian Jack US Mail List: _____

Please submit your information by calling Charlene at 277-1977 or Kathleen Plunkett at 337-7377, or email to the council center councils@alaska.net or check us out on the web at councils.org or mail to:

Russian Jack Park Community Council
c/o Federation of Community Councils
401 E Northern Lights Blvd
Anchorage, AK 99503

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Assembly, State and City numbers:

The Assembly and State telephone numbers are listed below if you want to provide input:

Anchorage Assembly numbers.... Brian Whittle 338-1207 New Assemblyman - Welcome

State Legislators telephone numbers....

Senators... Bettye Davis 269-0144/800-770-3822 Gretchen Guess 269-0120/800-550-2435

Representatives.. Sharon Cissna 269-0190/800-922-3875 Max Gruenberg 269-0123/866-465-4940

Senate Internet address is Senator First Name Last Name@legis.state.ak.us

Representative Internet address is Representative First Name Last Name@legis.state.ak.us

The Municipal numbers are listed below:

Municipal Complaint Hot line	343-4141	People Mover Ride line	343-6543
Street Maintenance	343-8277	Anchorage Literacy Project	337-1981
Park Operations	343-4473	Neighborhood Crime Watch	786-8585
Graffiti Busters	343-4663	Crime Stoppers	561-7867
Berm Problems	343-8147	AFD Fire Station #3	267-5003
Street Light Repair	343-4557	APD Dispatch (non Emergency)	786-8900
Junk Car Hotline	786-8854	City Ombudsman	343-4461
Carol Cameau ASD	742-4312		

VOTE - Municipal Elections are April 6, 2004 - VOTE

Please call Kathleen Plunkett if you have any questions at home - 337-7377 or work - 265-1435.