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## SCENIC FOOTHILLS COMMUNITY COUNCIL

September 2003

### **Fort Richardson Fence**

The military has given notice of intent to construct a fence along the Fort Richardson boundary, essentially from the Glenn Highway abutting the private property in Muldoon and Chugach Foothills on into the mountains to Stuckagain Heights.

Neighbors have begun complaining about the possible loss of property values, the effect on wildlife and the restriction of shared use of the area for recreation..

Our September 4 Council meeting is an opportunity to share information that has been gathered about the project and to discuss the options that remain, particularly after the military's public presentation on August 27.

A group of concerned citizens have developed a website with information. You may access this at: <http://fortrichardsonfence.tripod.com>

Please note the links to other information, particularly the Fort Richardson Fence Environmental Assessment, which is the military's description of the project and its preliminary Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI).

A very significant disagreement has been growing with the FONSI. Neighbors believe it will significantly affect property values, the wildlife movement will be devastated and the recreational values of a buffer zone will be eliminated.

To learn more and express your views directly to the military,

**IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT** that you attend the public meeting sponsored by Fort Richardson:

Wednesday, August 27, 7:00pm  
Susitna Elementary School  
7500 Tyone Ct.

**IT IS JUST AS IMPORTANT** that you provide **written comments on the Environmental Assessment..** Your concerns and comments must be delivered before September 8 to:

US Army Alaska  
ATTN: APVR-RPW-EV (Gardner)  
730 Quartermaster Road  
Fort Richardson, AK 99505-6500

Telephone and send copies of your letters to your US Senators, your State Representatives and Senators, and the Anchorage Mayor and your Assembly Representatives.

### **For Basher Community Council** **Members**

The Stuckagain Heights area will also be affected as the fence will block your Northern boundary and eliminate access to the Dome and other hiking destinations.

Your Council President has asked that we include your members in our newsletter mailing this month in hopes that you will be better informed and submit your comments as well.



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1300 Lyons Ct.  
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ATTN: ALVR-RPW BV (Contract)  
130 Cheatham Road  
Fort Richardson, AK 99503-6700

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<b>Next Meeting September 4, 2003</b> <b>7:00 PM Scenic Park Elementary</b> <b>AGENDA</b>
Assembly Report Legislative Report
Presentations: Fort Richardson fence proposal
New Business Other Reports