

## Next Council Meeting – May 10, 2023

# Bear Valley Community Council (BVCC)

### BVCC – IN-PERSON

BVCC Bylaws are available on the website Federation of Community Councils  
<http://www.communitycouncils.org/> Select Bear Valley Link

### Meeting Agenda

7:00 Bear Valley Elementary School - Library

7:05 Announcements & Introductions

7:10 State Legislative, Municipal Assembly, School Board, JBER, APD, AFD, and Mayor's Office Updates

7:25 **Guest: Katie Bailey, Vice-Chair - Anchorage Cops for Community (AC4C)**

Katie volunteers and organizes the annual Community Clean-up with APD, Clothesline Project events, and the annual Shop With a Hero events in Anchorage, Wasilla and Fairbanks.

**How can We Help? Clothesline Project:** This back-to-school clothing drive strives to dress Anchorage students for success. This one-day event allows children to shop for free for back-to-school. Bonus: hanging out with cops and fire-fighters for a little family fun!

Throughout each summer, AC4C asks the public to donate new and gently used clothing for this back-to-school initiative. Businesses can host a drop-off donation box.

7:45 **Bear Valley Community Council (BVCC) Updates:**

- Treasurer Report – **Treasurer – Angie Pinsonneault**
- FCC update – **Vice-Chair – Kaitlyn Jackson**
- BV Committees update - **Member-at-Large – Kori Marchowsky**
- Annual BV Community Clean-Up & BBQ – **Chair – Cheri Lipps**
  - **Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> Clean-up Kick-off 9:30 AM**
- Limited Road Service Area (LRSA) reports – **BV LRSA & RCVH LRSA**

8:00 **Open forum**

- Discuss community concerns or suggestions.
- Next meeting – September 13, 2023

8:55 **Adjourn**



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### Kaitlyn Jackson

Vice-Chair

### Connie Livsey

Secretary

### Angie Pinsonneault

Treasurer

### Road Issue Contacts

#### **Bear Valley Road LRSA (King's Way & Above)**

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Seat A: Vacant

Seat B: Vacant

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**MOA Website** [www.muni.org](http://www.muni.org)

**APD Non-Emergency**

**311 or 786-8900**

**Crime Stoppers 561-7867**

**MOA-Right of Way 343-8240**

**Anchorage Animal Control**

**343-8122 or 343-8119**

**Anchorage Burn Information**

**Hotline 907-267-5020**

**Bear Valley Community Council - Website**

Updated information, documents and meeting minutes are available online.

Federation of Community Councils: <http://www.communitycouncils.org/> Select Bear Valley

**Bear Valley Nextdoor - web or mobile app**

Nextdoor is a private online network for neighbors to share community events, recommendations, items for sale, crime reports, baby/house/dog sitter and more. Register with code on the postcard you received in the mail or [join this free network](#) on your PC or Mobile device at <https://nextdoor.com/join>

**Topics of Community Interest**

**Free Spruce Trees from the Anchorage Audubon Society, May 25, 2023**

The 12-inch seedlings will arrive, and we need help Now. We will be distributing the trees at markets, public events, and garden sales around Anchorage, and help from the Community Councils would be an ultimate gift from the Gardening Gods. We will provide planting instructions with each seedling, and **Full Details of the project are at this link:**  
<http://www.mrwhitekeys.com/trees.html>

**You've Invited by the Anchorage Firefighters Local 1264 & the Anchorage Fire Department AFD Open House – May 20, 10 AM to 2 PM | AFD Training Center – 1150 Airport Heights Dr.**

Free Lunch – Tiny Turnouts for Kids – Photo Opps - Vehicle Extractions Demo – Rope Rescue Demo – Face Painting – Urban Search & Rescue Demo – Safe Kids Alaska Car Seat Inspection 10a – 12p

**10-Year Review of Community Council Boundaries Project**

**Project Update:** Boundary Advisory Committee Meeting #5 | June 12, 2023

A fifth meeting of the Boundary Advisory Committee is scheduled for Monday, June 12, at 6:00 p.m. in the Planning Department's Conference Room 170 of the Planning and Development Center, 4700 Elmore Road, Anchorage. The meeting is scheduled for two hours (6:00-8:00 p.m.) and is open to the public. This is a hybrid meeting. Attend in person or online. Follow the link below for details.

<https://www.muni.org/Departments/OCPD/Planning/Projects/Pages/CommunityCouncilBoundariesReview.aspx>

**16<sup>th</sup> Annual Bear Valley Community Clean-up & BBQ | Saturday, June 10 | Kick-off 9:30 AM**  
**Follow details on NextDoor App & Community Kiosks**

**How Can You Support Bear Valley Community Council?**

***Be a Member and Participate in monthly meetings. Bring your ideas, concerns, and resources to the table. Have a suggestion for meeting guests or topics? Reach out during a BVCC meeting or NextDoor app.***

Please make checks payable to **BVCC ~ Financial Donations** - All donations are tax deductible  
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**2022 - 2023 Membership (Oct '22 to Sept '23):**  \$5.00 Annual Membership Dues  General Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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