

Scenic Foothills Community Council

Meeting Minutes for Thursday, August 3rd



IN PERSON AT 7525 E Northern Lights Blvd Anchorage, Ak - Congregation Beth Shalom

ZOOM OPTION : <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85444090015> - Meeting ID: 85444090015 - Passcode: 440704

Meeting Agenda

6:30 Commencement-Welcome back!

Approval of May Minutes-accepted

The Installation of the Connector Trail was a success!

Assembly Update – Karen Bronga Karen.Bronga@Anchorageak.us

- Bike Equity Ordinance-decriminalizes some of the things associated with cycling
- DeRegulate Zoning-have one residential district

Tom Davis – Boundaries Committee part of the University area has requested to join SFCC. The current status is that the boundaries committee is done, Planning Department will put out its recommendations, there will be a 2 month community review process, then the assembly will vote.

FCC Report – Yarrow Silvers;

- FCC events for summer cancelled

~~Treasurer Report – Care Cliff, Boundary Committee – Care Cliff – how do we publicize proposed changes?~~

~~Invite representatives from University and NECC~~

Discussion:

- New Members needed for the board-Daniel Cliff
- Nelta Edwards-interested in the Tudor Muldoon arm traffic calming that was axed by Dunleavy, also interested in studies of economic impact of zoning changes that impact our community. nelta.edwards@gmail.com It is recommended that she connect with Economist and Board Member Brett Watson, UAA economist who engages in economics research. brettwjordan@gmail.com
- Roger Shaw-wrote our original Bylaws and is available to support our council.
- Patrick Lemay is available to join the board but is currently in Western Alaska relocated a Native Village being devastated by sea level change.
- Next Community Council meeting to be in-person and potluck style.
- Kent Williams asks, where is our FCC allocation? Do we need receipts to get reimbursed?

- Christina Talbott-Clark is available to attend but has a conflicting commitment that conflicts with her being on the board this go-around. Her interest is pedestrian connectivity and she is interested in putting in a pedestrian crossing on Northern Lights near the entrance to the Cars-Safeway store connecting it to the Arnold Muldoon Trail. ctalbottclark@gmail.com
- Kent Williams recommends that we contact Officer Ruth Adolf-Mental Health Unit- ruth.adolf@anchorageak.gov, a police representative for her dual engagement with the mobile crisis unit.
- Daniel Cliff suggests a rebranding for the Proposed Boundary Trail
- Karen Bronga provides history on the involvement of past presidents in shaping the parks and trails in Scenic Foothills and provides an explanation for the gate controversy blocking Regal Mountain Drive from the Chugach Connector Trail and Sidewalk along Muldoon: It needs to be there for emergency vehicles, but neighbors don't want people driving through. Brett Suggests another smaller gate for pedestrians immediately adjacent.

Adjourned-7:36 PM

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