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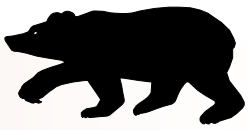
BEAR VALLEY COMMUNITY COUNCIL



Bear Valley Elementary School * Mountain Air Drive

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 2007

BVCC members have successfully advocated to increase road maintenance funding, fix guard rails, improve fire safety, remove beetle-killed spruce trees, practice emergency evacuation drills, resolve property boundary issues, protect and maintain parklands, promote neighborhood watch groups, remove trash & junked cars, ensure water quality, and prevent & report criminal activity.

Please participate - this is your community. Refreshments will be available.

Volunteers needed to bring snacks.

MEETING AGENDA

7:00 **Introductions & Opening Announcements**

7:05 **Guest Speaker: Anchorage Tomorrow , a non-profit organization**

- Road and Drainage, Transit, and Parks bond.

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7:15 **Guest Speakers: Robin E. Ward, Executive Director - Heritage Land Bank and Real Estate Services & Tom Knox, P.L.S., SR/WA - Municipal Surveyor**

- Section 36 survey and plat status

7:40 **Guest Speaker: Heather Stewart, *Associate Planner* - Agnew::Beck**

- Hillside District Plan.

8:00 **Guest Speaker: Sue Barkwood, Forester - Anchorage Fire Department**

- Anchorage Wildfire program, Clark's Road project, vehicle barriers and introduction of community fire planning.

8:30 **Assembly Updates:** Introduction to candidates running for South Anchorage Assembly Seat J

8:45 **Bear Valley Community Council (BVCC) Updates**

- Anchorage Police Department - ***APD Liaison***
- Hillside Area Land Owners Association (HALO) update - ***Dan Stone, Member-at-Large***
- Assembly Liaison update - ***Joel Miller, Member-at-Large***
- Council Reports
- Request for Special Committee Coordinator - Member-at-Large (vacant) - Coordinator needed for new BV park development and planning project

9:00 **Adjourn**

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!!! URGENT NOTICE !!!

Mail Theft & Vandalism occurred to ALL of the mailboxes at the bottom of Heights Hill & Jamie Avenue sometime between Friday, February 16 & Saturday, February 17. If you discover you have been a victim of this crime or have any information which may help in the arrest of these criminals, please call APD at 786-8500 and refer to Case # 07-0782. This is an open case for all residents. Opened and destroyed mail has been found along Carl St., Nickleen St., Heights Hill and Jamie Ave.

Similar reports have been noted for the Bear Valley mailboxes at the top of Clark's Road in recent weeks.

We are working with the Post Office to install the new more secure mailbox units this spring when the ground thaws. If you have not completed your conversion form, please do so ASAP. The form is available on the website

www.bvcc.info/news.htm or by contacting the Chair directly be email.

Bear Valley Community Council

Updated information, documents and meeting minutes are available online

BVCC Website: http://www.bvcc.info/

Federation of Community Councils: http://www.communitycouncils.org/

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2006 - 2007 Membership Form

Return to: Bear Valley Community Council, 15601 Nickleen Street, Anchorage, AK 99516

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Name(s) _____ Date _____

Mailing Address _____

Physical Location Address of property or rental within BVCC area _____

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Email _____ Phone _____

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