

Old Seward Ocean View Council News



November 2009

ELECTION OF OFFICERS Agenda

- I. Review of Agenda
- II. Assembly Report – Assembly member Chris Birch , Jennifer Johnston (at Bear Valley CC)
- III. State Report – Rep. Craig Johnson & Senator Lesil McGuire (No reports or updates since October meeting.)
- IV. Approval of financials
- V. Approval of Minutes
- VI. Alaska Trailblazers - Jeff
- VII. Anc Citizen Coalition (opposed to Khik Bridge) - Cheryl Richardson
- VIII. Seeking nominations & election of Council Officers
- IX. Adjourn next meeting is Jan 27th

Election of Officers

November is the month for the election of Officers for 2010.

The slate is the same as last year:

- Bernadette Bradley, President
- Terry Casdorph, Vice President
- Margaret Klatt, Secretary
- Dick House, Treasurer

We will be accepting nominations from the floor before we vote.

If you are interested in serving as an Officer of our Council, please contact Berni at 223-8533 to join us in our monthly Executive Committee meetings to find out what we do.

Changes

Council Meeting Day

At the October meeting the Council members voted to change the perpetual meeting date.

The previous schedule conflicted with Bear Valley Community Council which rushed presenters and Assembly members to each meeting within the two hour time period.

It will also allows your officers time to meet and create the agenda other than the beginning of the month when our schedules are busy.

Please note the meeting in May will be held on the 19th since schools will be closed.

NO DECEMBER MEETING

WOW! Thanks!

Last month there was a large number of council members who were simply interested in listening and participating in our discussion. For our council it is rare to nearly fill up during a non-controversial meeting. Thanks, we hope to see you again this month too!

Council Meeting Schedule for 2009-2010

All meetings begin at 7pm

October 14th	No meeting in December	February 24th	April 28th
November 11th	January 27th	March 31st	May 19th

OMG! \$7,000,000?

As many of our council regulars know, Palin vetoed our John's Road Upgrade our Legislators worked so hard to get for us. Palin did give us \$1,000,000 for design work which we later found out would cost \$3,000,000 so the State wanted to take back the million.

We then requested the money be used for a few critical fixes that need immediate attention. The cost estimates for the request came to \$7,000,000.

We need to figure out what critical fix we can afford with the million. It won't be easy.

We are very grateful the Parnell Administration is working with us to keep the money for John's Road.

Circle of Solutions Clement Circle

The year old eyesore haunting neighbors on Clement Circle is coming to an end. The drawings are going through the review process. As this is written the excavation permit has been issued and they are thawing the ground to put in the foundation to finally set the house down and begin the remodel. Big thanks go to Assemblyman Chris Birch, George Vakalis, Ron Thompson, Greg Jones and Howard Romig for helping our neighbors solve this issue.

Peninsula Circle

Wes, the manager of Alaska Sand & Gravel announced they too agree the access to C Street from AS&G should be on the northside of the Baugh property. This should end the eminent domain proposal by the Municipality through Baugh's property and will stop dump trucks from using Klatt Road to C Street as access. Now if we can just find the money to fund it so it becomes a permanent reality.

Dues 2010

We are collecting membership dues for 2010

\$5.00 Individual
\$10.00 Family



Your Community Council meets at Ocean View Elementary School in the Library. (See schedule above.)

