Mountain View Community Council 10/8/2012 Meeting Minutes

Call to Order
Pledge
Minutes - Kep Pierce moves to approve, Niki Burrows seconds.
Treasury Report - Don Crandall moves to approve, Paul Fenwick seconds.
Patrick Flynn

- Boys and Girls Club funding added back to budget.
- Possible cuts to Fire Department, transportation planning, expect new version of budget in a week and half.

Max Gruenberg - represented by Ted Madsen

- Fire Station 6 dedication on October 27th.
- Working on anti-human trafficing legislation
- Fire Station 3 – Looking at location at Pacific Northern Academy, Johns RV lot would decrease response time to Airport Heights but still a backup option.

ACLT – Kirk Rose

- Thanks to everyone who came to the Community Summit.
- Price Street Building
    - Building finished. Price Street side vacant. Studio side fully occupied with artists: Linda Lyons, Jim Pepper-Henry, Alvin Omisson, and Perry Eaton

Cook Inlet Lending - Cindy Middlestat

- Revamped lending programs
    - Expanded critera for families to receive defered payments. Increased income limits, reduced interest rates, formilized program for special needs
    - Income development accounts for very low income individuals – finacial education, spending plan, matching funds.
    - Program for law enforcement professionals to get them in revitalized neighborhoods– no asset or income limitation

Community Patrol – Bob Lincoln

- Lots of graffiti. If you see it call Graffiti Busters. If you see someone doing it report it to the police.
- If you see other non-compliant/unlawful activity YOU need to report it. Helps police and gets it on the record.
- School bus by Bethel Chapel has been getting vandalized
- Patrol needs help – 2 patrol cars and only one patrol!

Libraries – Elizabeth Moreau

- 2nd year: Registered borrows up 50%, Program attendance up 90%, Computer use up 17%, Overall circulation up 27%, Summer circulation up nearly 60% in last year, Vistors to library increased by 30%, Collection grew by 25%.
- Highest rate of computer usage – this is a n area that could use funding to increase capacity

AWWU

- Conducting draft water master plan. Hosting open house from 4-7pm this wednesday at HQ off 30th/Arctic.
- Submission deadline ends October 31st.

Title 21 (Land use code)– John Weddleton

- Land is getting used up in Anchorage, now most development is infill or redevelopement.
- Estimate that in 20-30 years we will need 9,000 more homes then current code allows.
- New comprehensive plan written in 2001 with input was from whole community.
- Plan has since been heavily edited without the input from the community. Anything that may increase construction costs has been cut out. Urge citizens to really look into the changes and let their voice be

heard.

City Planning/ McCarrey Street Upgrade – Van Le

- Recieved grant for planning.
- Walkers 50 per hour, peak hours 70-90. 1000 car per hour. Expect 1-2% increase in traffic per year. 28 Crashes. Full report online, will respond to questions.
- Four options under consideration – Add stop signs, add light signal, and two options for round-a-bouts. Round-a-bouts is department preferred option.
- Kirt recommended we request a "Welcome to Mt. View" as this is one of the major entrances to the neighborhood.

Greg Uptagrove

- Gave presentation on his new sculpture along Mt. View drive. Kinetic sculpture that is always changing like our community, got help from local boat builder, lots of engineering and labor went into this piece and it shows. His work is very much appreciated.

Meeting Adjourned – Motion to adjourn, Paul Fenwick seconds.

Frances – Would like to put out a calender/mailer to entire Mt. View Community. Discussed informally right after meeting.