

April 23, 2016

Hey Folks of the Mid-Hillside Community Council (MHCC) area,  
You are a potential member of MHCC if you live or own property within the boundaries of: west of Hillside Drive, north of Dearmoun Rd., east of Birch Rd. and south of the eastern extension of Dowling Rd where it intersects Elmore Road

The annual Community Council Survey is an important tool in assessing proposed capital project needs in Anchorage. Once a community council's highest priorities are identified they can be properly considered when developing the proposed Municipality of Anchorage (MOA) CIP. The list is currently composed of the Approved 2016-2021 Capital Improvement Program (CIP).

Please find below CIP projects that were proposed for the MHCC area by MOA for possible construction in year 2017. Feel free to suggest project additions or deletions. Let me know how you would prioritize the projects in each of the categories Please return this survey to [lwpowell1@juno.com](mailto:lwpowell1@juno.com) by May 15, 2016.

Thank you,

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**Mid-Hillside**

THIS COMMUNITY COUNCIL HAS NOT FINISHED PRIORITIZING PROJECTS, CURRENTLY NOT SHOWN IN  
ORDER OF PRIORITY

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 <a href="#">2016 Mid-Hillside CIP Priorities.pdf</a>	139.13 KB
 <a href="#">2015 Mid-Hillside CIP Priorities.pdf</a>	146.31 KB

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## Mid-Hillside Capital Project Priorities-2017(Year of possible construction)

A list of proposed projects or needs that will be prioritized by the public through their community council. Here you will see them separated into three categories PM&E, State and Parks & Rec.

### Project Management and Engineering

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#### [Little Campbell Creek Basin Improvements](#)

Status: Feb 25 2016 - The project has not started. Annual state grant funding is proposed.

#### [Huffman Rd Extension - Birch Rd to Hillside Dr](#)

Status: Feb 25 2016 - No work is currently scheduled in the 6-year Capital Improvement Program. This project will remain on the Capital Project Needs List for future funding consideration. The road is identified as a collector in the Official Streets and Highways Plan.

#### [Elmore Rd Extension - Abbott Rd to O'Malley Rd](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - State grant funding is proposed for design.  
[1 COMMENT, SUBMITTED ON APR 20 2016](#)

## State of Alaska

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### [DeArmoun Rd Upgrade Ph II - 140th Ave to Hillside Dr](#)

Status: Feb 25 2016 - Environmental and design work was completed by the State of Alaska. However, the project is being re-evaluated in light of public comment and future funding is uncertain. This is a state owned facility.

### [Abbott Rd/Hillside Dr Trail - Rabbit Creek Rd to Seward Hwy](#)

Status: Feb 25 2016 - No work is underway. This trail has been added to the Capital Project Needs List for evaluation and future funding consideration. Both Abbott Road and Hillside Drive are state owned facilities and funding would be from state or federal sources.

### [O'Malley Elementary Safety Trail Crossing at O'Malley Rd](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - Design efforts by the State of Alaska for an upgrade to O'Malley Road have been funded and trail construction is anticipated as part of that project. This is a state-owned facility and evaluation and funding would be by the State of Alaska.

### [Birch Rd Upgrade - O'Malley Rd to Huffman Rd](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - This is a state owned facility and prioritization and funding would be through the State of Alaska.

## Parks & Recreation

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### [FNPB: Blue Dot Trail Bridge Replacement](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - This project has not started.

### [Forest Health and Park Safety](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - Park Maintenance and horticulture crews have cleared parks and trails making current park assets safe for Anchorage citizens.

[5 COMMENTS, THE MOST RECENT SUBMITTED ON MAR 14 2016](#)

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#### [FNBP Improvements](#)

Status: Feb 25 2016 - The FNBP Trail Improvement Plan was adopted by the Parks & Recreation Commission and the Urban Design Commission. The Improvement Plan identifies a list of projects supported by all trail user groups.

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#### [Dog Park Site Selection and Design and Management Standards.](#)

Status: Feb 25 2016 - The department just completed a small, fenced dog park at Arctic Benson Park. Another project is underway to formalize a fenced off-leash area at Valley of the Moon Park.

[3 COMMENTS, THE MOST RECENT SUBMITTED ON FEB 25 2016](#)

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#### [Coastal Trail Bridge Repair & Replacement](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - The North Westchester Lagoon Bridge was replaced in 2015 with the Sisson and Fish Creek Bridge to be replace in fall of 2016. The (2) remaining bridges to be replace are the South Westchester Lagoon Bridge and the 2nd Avenue Bridge.

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#### [Campbell Creek Greenbelt](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - Bond funding and State legislative grant requests are pending. Areawide greenbelt trails (Campbell Creek Greenbelt, Chester Creek Greenbelt Coastal Trail and Ship Creek Trail) need a repair program to address safety and security concerns (over 250 miles).

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#### [Section 36 Park Improvements](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - Section 36 uplands are in the process of being transferred to Parks and Recreation management and will be formally dedicated. Additionally, we anticipate the master plan to be adopted by the Planning and Zoning Commission this year.

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#### [Wayfinding](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - Anchorage has over 250 miles of tails and improved wayfinding will address safety and navigation concerns.

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[Tony Knowles Coastal Trail Erosion](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - Recent and ongoing bank armoring has provided protection for a 5- 10 year period.

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[Ruth Arcand Park](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - The Parks & Recreation Department in partnership with the Anchorage Park Foundation and a group of little league volunteers recently completed accessibility and parking improvements at the ballfield complex.

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[Community Garden Site Selection and Design and Management Standards.](#)

Status: Feb 26 2016 - The department currently manages communiy gardens at The Gardens @ Bragraw, C Street Gardens, Fairview Lyons and McPhee Gardens