



OCTOBER 2014

BEAR VALLEY COMMUNITY COUNCIL (BVCC)



Bear Valley Elementary School - Library Room

**NEXT COUNCIL MEETING:
OCTOBER 8, 2014**

BVCC ANNUAL GENERAL ELECTION FOR OFFICERS POSITIONS

**BVCC Bylaws are available on the website Federation of Community Councils:
<http://www.communitycouncils.org/> Select Bear Valley link on right side of screen**

Please participate - this is YOUR community!

MEETING AGENDA

7:00 Membership sign-in

- Review BVCC Bylaws: Article VI. Membership - to become a member
- All members who wish to cast a vote for BVCC Officers must be signed in & have attended at least **two** in the preceding 12 months.

7:05 Introductions & Opening Announcements

7:10 Bear Valley Community Council (BVCC) Updates

- Anchorage Fire Department - **Station 10 - October is Fire Safety Month**
- Anchorage Police Department - **Crime Watch & Community Concerns**
- Assembly Liaison update - **Rodney Powell, Member-at-Large**
- Hillside Area Land Owners Association (HALO) update - **Dan Stone, Member-at-Large**
- Federation of Community Council (FCC) update - **Member-at-Large**
- Bylaws revision per Municipal Code



8:00 Cast Nominations and Volunteer for Officers positions

- Review BVCC Bylaws: Article VIII. Voting to be eligible for a BVCC Officer position
- Officers position descriptions are outlined in BVCC Bylaws: Article X. Officers

BVCC Board Member Elections

- All BVCC Officers positions are open. Each position is for one-year commencing after the vote.
- Chair - Vice-Chair - Secretary - Treasurer & Three Member-at-Large positions
 - 1) HALO Representative, 2) Assembly Liaison, 3) Committee Coordinator

8:30 Open forum - discuss community concerns or suggestions for next meeting

9:00 Adjourn

CONTACT INFORMATION

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**MOA Website
www.muni.org**

Burn Info Hotline
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Code Violation Hotline
343-4141
Crime Stoppers
561-7867



[Bear Valley Community Council - Web Site](#)

Updated information, documents and meeting minutes are available online

Federation of Community Councils: <http://www.communitycouncils.org/> Select Bear Valley link on right side

[Bear Valley Community Resource Web Site](#)

Local events, Neighborhood Watch and more

<http://bearvalleycommunity.shutterfly.com>



Topics of Community Interest

Speeding is a very serious problem in Bear Valley!
The speed limit is 25 mph unless otherwise posted on the community roads.

Clark's Road is 35 mph.

Speeding has caused several vehicle to animal encounters and
vehicle to vehicle incidents.

Reduce your speed especially when going around corners.

Winter is upon us and the roads will quickly become icy!

SLOW DOWN! STAY IN YOUR OWN LANE!

Be cautious & courteous to pedestrians!



Bear Valley Crime Watch & Fire Safety

Criminal activity in the area is on the rise again.

There have also been a number of local nuisance complaints.

Come to the October BVCC meeting to hear from APD Crime Watch & officers things that you can do to reduce incidents in our community and protect you, your family and your possessions.

Anchorage Fire Department will also provide safety tips as we go into the winter season and begin to use those fireplaces and woodstoves.

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