

# TURNAGAINCOMMUNITY COUNCIL(TCC)

**Notice of Meeting– Thursday, June 1, 2006, 7:30 PM**

Turnagain Elem. School Public Use Room- 3500 W. Northern Lights

### General Comments

<http://www.communitycouncils.org/servlet/viewfolder?id=296>

- Mtg. will start @ 7:30 because the PS10 project mtg. will be from 6-7:30 in the same room. Busy TCC agenda including rollout of initial recommendations for traffic calming. Speaking of traffic calming, Catherine Sullivan and others did a fine job of taking traffic calming down to the neighbor to neighbor level. See photos at link and to the right. >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>. [http://www.communitycouncils.org/servlet/content/traffic\\_calming\\_photos.html](http://www.communitycouncils.org/servlet/content/traffic_calming_photos.html)
- ♠ D.O.T will review project to build right turn lane at NL & Minnesota.
- ♠ 35<sup>th</sup> and McRae Neighbors for a Safe Community—Follow-up discussion on the May TCC meeting resolution on the 35<sup>th</sup> and McRae project.
- ♠ Anchorage Citizens Coalition—ARC will discuss issues related to Title 21 that they believe need to bring to the attention of the community.
- ♠ C.I.P Presentation—TCC Board will present recommended CIP list.

*Mark Your Calendar-For complete list and all the details, see*

<http://www.communitycouncils.org/servlet/content/37.html>

- ✎ **5/25, Comment Deadline — Alaska RR Intermodal Transportation Center**, Comments by 5/25 to Capital Projects-Public Comment, AK RR Corporation,
- ✎ May 29 – July 30, **Birding at Westchester Lagoon**, Sat. 10am –Noon, Wed. - Sat. 4:00 - 8 p.m, Westchester Lagoon Main Parking Lot, North side
- ✎ **6/1, Pub Mtg Pump Station 10 Project**, 6:00 p.m. Turn Elem Multi-Use Room just before the TCC meeting. This is an important mtg. Pls attend.
- ✎ **6/5, Public Hearing on AWWU Facility Expansion at Pt. Woronzof**, 6:30 p.m., Lousacc Library, Assembly Chambers
- ✎ **6/10, Anchorage Fire Department Open House**, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Fire Training Center (1140 Airport Heights)
- ✎ **6/12, Planning & Zoning Continued Public Hearing on Anchorage Bowl Land Use Plan Map**, 6:30 p.m., Lousacc Library, Assembly Chambers

## Agenda

7:30 Opening Remarks by Mark Wiggin & Pat Redmond  
7:37 Approval of minutes;  
7:40 Assembly Report;  
7:50 APD Sergeant Cindi Stanton;  
8:00 Legislative Report;  
8:10 Project to install right turn lane at NL and Minnesota;  
8:25 Parks and Rec Summer Projects: Doe Anderson / D. O'leary  
8:35 35<sup>th</sup> and McRae Road Project—Resolution to Terminate Road Project;  
8:50 Anchorage Citizens Coalition  
9:05 Traffic Calming Update by DOWL Engr. Staff:  
9:15 C.I.P. discussion;  
9:30 That is all..... See you in September.... *Mark Wiggin*

## TCC Aluminum Can Recycling...

is 1ST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH— June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Please have bagged aluminum cans at curb before 10:00 a.m. This is a fundraiser for TCC and Turnagain Patrol. **The Can Recycling Group needs an area for storage of cans before delivery to recycle center. Call Cathy Gleason at 248-0442.**

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## Traffic Calming Made Fun



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## **DRAFT Turnagain Community Council Minutes**

Mark Wiggin, President, called the meeting to order and made opening remarks.

**I. Announcements.** The June 1 TCC Meeting will be held in the Public Use Room. A public meeting on the Pump Station 10 project will begin that evening at 6 pm. Members are encouraged to attend both meetings.

**II. Minutes Approved.** The April meeting minutes were approved.

**III. Library Renovation.** Bonnie York and Art Weeks, Municipal Librarian gave a presentation concerning a proposed renovation of Lousaac Library. The project would include a teen center and an update to the 20-year old library. A motion was adopted made to adopt a resolution supporting a capital project request to the Alaska Legislature for the Library renovations. The Motion was adopted by a vote of 20-0.

**IV. Legislative Report.** Senator French gave the Legislative report concerning the Capital Budget and the Petroleum Production Tax Proposal. He was asked about education funding and noted that a bill to increase education funding over the Governor's proposed increase was moving forward.

**V. 35<sup>th</sup> and McRae Renovation Project.** "Neighbors for a Safe Community" asked the Council to support a resolution to terminate the Road Improvement Project because they believed the City's contractor CRW and the City were not responding to their concerns. Questions were asked if the project could be redesigned or refocused, as opposed to terminated. A motion was made to amend the resolution to state that the TCC was asking for the project to be delayed. The amendment passed 16 to 11. The motion as amended was then adopted by a vote of 21 to 5. Cathy Gleason moved to reconsider the vote and the resolution is scheduled to reheard at the June meeting.

**VI. Turnagain By the Sea Home Tour.** Deborah O'Leary and Dianne Wiggin spoke about plans to hold a home tour as a fundraiser for TCC in mid to late August.

**VII. Traffic Calming and Northern Lights Construction.** Matt Korshin of DOWL Engineers gave an update on the traffic calming study in Turnagain and noted that construction on Northern Lights would begin on Monday and was expected to end on August 1. Cathy Gleason asked about the post construction restoration of the area to normal grade which is being used for staging yard on Northern Lights. Matt responded that the area was owned by the Municipality and under the terms of that authorization would be restored after the project

**VIII. Lyn Ary Park Extension Resolution.** TCC discussed the community's long held desire to obtain the lands along the coastal trail as undeveloped park land to act as a buffer to development to the south. A motion was made to adopt a resolution supporting efforts to establish the property as undeveloped public parkland and extend Lyn Ary Park to West and to work with the Municipality of Anchorage and interested members of the community to accomplish these goals. The motion was adopted by a vote of 20 to 0.

**IX. Northwest Parks.** Doe Anderson gave a presentation ON efforts to repair and maintain Turnagain parks including efforts to repair exhibits at Earthquake Park and summer volunteers to work on Pt Wornzoff, Balto Seppala, Lloyd Steel and Spenard Beach.

**X. Announcements** were made of future important meeting and events. Many are listed on the TCC website. The meeting was adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Breck Tostevin, Secretary/Treasurer.