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North Star Community Council General Membership Meeting Minutes

Wednesday October 9th, 2024 at 7pm

Our next meeting is Wednesday November 13th, 2024 at 7pm, Hybrid.

Present:

Officers and Members	Other Folks:	Members Present:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eiden Pospisil, President <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jacob Powell, Vice President <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Donovan Camp, Secretary <input type="checkbox"/> Jacquie Braden, Treasurer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Keelan Kenny, Member at Large <input type="checkbox"/> Penny Gage, FCC Delegate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Dave Donley, ASD School Board <input type="checkbox"/> Pat Higgins, ASD School Board <input type="checkbox"/> Dora Wilson, ASD School Board <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Abby O'Neil, Principal, North Star Elementary <input type="checkbox"/> Joy Boston, JBER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dave Rittenberg, Catholic Social Services - Complex Care Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Senator Löki Gale Tobin <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Kayla E from Sen Tobin's Office <input type="checkbox"/> Assembly Rep Daniel Volland <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Melinda Gant, ACDA <input type="checkbox"/> State Rep Zack Fields <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Evan Anderson <input type="checkbox"/> Carl Jacobs - ASD School Board <input type="checkbox"/> Clare Bryant Boersma, Northern Compass Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Andre C <input type="checkbox"/> Matt J <input type="checkbox"/> Mark B <input type="checkbox"/> Kayla E <input type="checkbox"/> Gordan G <input type="checkbox"/> Mark B <input type="checkbox"/> Ben M <input type="checkbox"/> Melonie R <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sharon S <input type="checkbox"/> Emily B <input type="checkbox"/> John W <input type="checkbox"/> Tara W <input type="checkbox"/> Cale G <input type="checkbox"/> Lila H <input type="checkbox"/> Paxson W <input type="checkbox"/> Brandy B <input type="checkbox"/> Graham D <input type="checkbox"/> Elva C <input type="checkbox"/> Olivia G <input type="checkbox"/> Harriet D <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Susan M

Call to Order

- Introductions
- Approval of Agenda: Approved
- Approval of Minutes Approved

Reports (if available)

- Legislative Updates: none

Community Updates:

- [Michael Geraghty](#)
 - Alaska's judicial selection and retention system:
 - Judicial branch checks were added by Alaska founders for the Judicial field in the form of elections for judges retention.
 - Recent political environments are generating distrust and lower votes for Judges retention. Judges are now getting less than 60% of the retention vote.
 - Call to be informed on the retention vote. Before the election, there is a thorough discovery of each judge and the information published on the Alaska Judicial website. The judged are recommended or not:
<https://www.ajc.state.ak.us/retention/current.html>
<https://alaskajudges.info/>
- Dora Wilson - ASD
 - Right Sizing is a big topic. Survey went out and 4000 responses, publishing soon. Administration is still coming up with down sizing criteria
 - Stellar renamed their library to the Conway Library.
- Dave Rittenburg
 - Approves of multimodal changes to Fireweed and would be willing to write a letter of support.
- Jacob - Midtown Plan
 - Discussions of Community requests had. Jacob will add some specifics to our requests.

Resolutions:

- Disc Golf Chester Lagoon improvements Resolution (Approved)
 - Letter of approval for course improvement drafted.
 - Additional paragraph supporting summer opening of course with changes made to course to avoid conflicts with trail users. (Approved)
Motioned by Susan Miller, Seconded by Donovan Camp. No opposition
 - Letter Approval Motioned by Jacob P, Seconded by Susan M. No opposition.

Old Business

1. Member at Large Open Seat

- a. could you add this maybe to the top of the minutes? and people can email the board if they're interested at NSCCBoard@googlegroups.com

Member will advertise open seat on our FB group and NStar Elementary
