

**Fairview Community Council  
General Membership Meeting Minutes**

**March 13, 2008  
Fairview Recreation Center**

Meeting called to order by Chair Darrel Hess at 7:01 pm.

Harry Deuber gave the Treasurer's Report.

<b>Beginning Balance 01/16/08</b>	<b>\$6,100.59</b>
<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	
01/22/08 #1130 Lee Ross – Patrol grant reimbursement	\$869.00
01/24/08 #1131 ACS – Patrol hotline	\$19.40
01/24/08 #1132 AK Best Water	\$32.50
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$920.90</b>
<b>02/14/08 Ending Balance</b>	<b>\$5,179.69</b>

Annual Council Election:

The following slate was presented:

President – Sharon Chamard

Vice President – Darrel Hess

Secretary – Paul Benson

Treasurer – Harry Deuber

Members-at-Large – Maria Carter  
– Allen Kemplen  
– Dee Kennedy  
– Benita White

An additional member-at-large candidate, Piper Moritz, was nominated from the floor. Ballots were distributed to all members eligible to vote.

Introduction of Resolution:

Allen Kemplen presented for first reading a resolution “to support continued revitalization of Fairview through creation of a tax increment financing district as part of a comprehensive revitalization strategy.”

Guests and Presentations:

**Glen Patterson, Nancy Grosic, and Don Porter, Anchorage Tomorrow**

This was a presentation about some of the propositions on the April 1 municipal ballot. The first, advocated by People for Pools, concerned a \$2 million bond for the maintenance of public pools in Anchorage. The second was Proposition 1, which would approve a bond that would pay for repairs to the old roofs of the museum and Sullivan Arena, repairs to the main library, improvements to the Samson-Diamond and Muldoon libraries, and the construction of a new library in Mountain View. The bond would also leverage more than \$4.5 million in private funds for technology for libraries.

**Celeste Hodge, Mayor Begich's Office**

Ms. Hodge presented Darrel Hess with the Mayor's Award for Public Service

**Patrick Flynn, Candidate for District 1 Assembly Seat**

Mr. Flynn spoke about the upcoming election and his desire to sit on the Assembly and represent the Downtown area. Members asked him questions about rolled curbs versus curbs and gutters, a loop bus, and funding for the Fairview Community Recreation Center.

Mr. Flynn reported on the results of the Fairview Community Council's annual election. The presented slate was elected.

**Presentation to Claris Syren**

On behalf of Les Gara and Johnny Ellis, Darrel Hess presented an Alaska Legislative Citation to Claris Syren, recognizing her for many decades of service to the citizens of Fairview and Anchorage.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm to celebrate Claris Syren's accomplishments.

Respectfully submitted by Sharon Chamard, Vice President.