PLEASE SHOW YOUR SUPPORT FOR LYN ARY PARK MEMORIAL GARDEN by helping out at a Fall Cleanup Saturday, September 8th, Noon-2:00 p.m. See page 2 for details.

Turnagain Community Council Meeting Notice Thursday, September 6, 2012, 7:00 p.m., Turnagain Elementary School Library, 3500 W. Northern Lights Blvd.

### Agenda

7:00 p.m. Opening Remarks/Announcements/Approval of Minutes	
7:15 Committee Reports	
	West Anchorage District Plan — Assembly Decision
	Airport Master Plan Update — July 17 Open House/Public Outreach
	Kiwanis Fish Creek Park Fix-It Event June 23 & Plans for Next Year
7:30	Legislative Report
7:40	Assembly Report
7:55	Airport Report
8:00	Boys and Girls Club Recognition of West Anchorage State Legislators
	The Boys and Girls Club-Alaska will recognize Sen. Hollis French and
	Rep. Lindsey Holmes for their commitment to youth by securing funding for the
	Woodland Park Club in this year's State CIP Budget.
8:05	Wetlands Management Plan Update
	TCC Board provided comments to the Wetlands Management Plan Update draft by
	the Aug. 31st deadline. The comments will be up for full council approval.
8:10	Verizon Cell Tower Proposal at Wisconsin St. & 32nd Ave.
	Municipal Planning Dept. & Verizon representatives will provide an overview and
	answer questions regarding a proposed new cell tower south of the Chugach
	Electric substation along Wisconsin. Jonathan Briggs, resident near the proposed
	cell tower, will discuss concerns and a resolution for TCC consideration.
	Deadline for comments to the Planning Dept. is Sept. 18th.
8:40	Comments from the floor/Agenda Items for Oct. 4th TCC Meeting
8:45	APOC's Searchable Electronic Filing System for Campaign Financing
	Alaska Public Offices Commission Executive Director Paul Dauphinais will
	provide information on how to electronically search and follow current campaign
	donations to candidates.
9:00	Meeting Adjournment

#### Summary of Decisions & Motions Passed at Turnagain Community Council Meeting June 7, 2012

- Voting on TCC Board recommendations for Capital Improvement Project Priority Rankings: Parks & Recreation projects — Yes-14, No-0; Road & Drainage projects — Yes-13; No-0; State Roads & Drainage projects — Yes-13, No-0.
- A motion to allow TCC Board to submit comments on behalf of the council on the draft Anchorage Wetlands Management Plan Update passed: Yes-13, No-0.

### See page 2 for Announcements/Meeting Notices/Project Updates

TCC Website: http://www.communitycouncils.org/servlet/content/37.html



TCC Board Member Bill Wortman at the Fish Creek Park Fix-It Event June 23.

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## **Announcements/Meeting Notices**

**Aug. 27 — Road Rehabilitation Project Begins for Various Streets in Turnagain.** Info: Muni Project Manager Russ Oswald, 343-8196.

**Sept. 8** — Ocean Conservancy Intercoastal Cleanup, 10:00 a.m. **-Noon, meet on the Coastal Trail at Lyn Ary Park lower level**. Info: email rpbrooks12@gmail.com.

Sept. 8 — Lyn Ary Park Memorial Garden Fall Cleanup, Noon-2:00 p.m. Bring work gloves, pruners and dandelion diggers. Light refreshments will be provided. Info: TCC President Cathy Gleason, 248-0442, tccpresident@yahoo.com.

Sept. 10 — Planning & Zoning Commission Public Hearing on Airport Fleet Fueling Station Conditional Use Permit,
6:30 p.m., Loussac Library 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Assembly Chambers.
Info: Wende Wilber, 646-5665, wwilber@crweng.com.

 Sept. 10 — Planning & Zoning Commission Public Hearing on Municipal Code Amendment to Increase Planning Dept. Fees,
 6:30 p.m., Loussac Library 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Assembly Chambers.
 Info: Erika McConnell, 343-7943, McConnelle@muni.org.

Sept. 13 — Heritage Land Bank Commission Public Hearing on Proposed Changes to HLB Policies, Noon, Permit & Development Center, 4700 Elmore Rd., 1<sup>st</sup> Floor. Info: Tammy Oswald, 343-7535, oswaldtr@muni.org.

**Sept. 18** — Public Comment Deadline for Proposed Verizon Cell Tower at Wisconsin & 32<sup>nd</sup>. Info: Erika McConnell, 343-7943, McConnelle@muni.org.

#### Sept. 19 — Airport Master Plan Public Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Coast International Inn-McKinley Rm.,

**3450** Aviation Ave. Alaska International Airport Systems aviation forecasts will be presented. Part 150 Noise Study consultant team will also attend. Info: Katherine Wood, Public Involvement Lead, 644-2153, katherine.wood@hdrinc.com.

Sept. 20 — TCC Board Meeting, 11:45 a.m., Muffin Man Café 817, 817 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. Info: TCC President Cathy Gleason, 248-0442, tccpresident@yahoo.com.

"Unidentified Swimming Objects" Swim Club has a few spots available for swimmers aged 7 to 18. Practices are at APU's Mosely Center, Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 4 - 5:30 p.m. Dues go to pool rental & coaching. For more info, go to www.usoswimclub.org.

# Thank You...

to everyone who helped with the Kiwanis Fish Creek Fix-It Event June 23rd! The park looks great and more projects are planned for next summer! **Sept. 20** — Anchorage Airport Communications Committee meeting, 5:30 p.m., Federation of Community Councils, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Conference Rm., 1057 W. Fireweed Lane. Info: Chair Matt Claman, 350-3105, mattclaman@gmail.com.

Sept. 21 — Planning Dept. Administrative Site Plan Review of Verizon Cell Tower at Wisconsin & 32<sup>nd</sup> — <u>NOT A PUBLIC</u> <u>HEARING OR MEETING.</u>

Sept. 27 — 2012 Health Fair, 8:00 a.m.-Noon, Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport South Terminal. Blood pressure check, routine screening, mobile mammography unit on site.

Oct. 4 — TCC Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Turnagain Elementary School Library, 3500 W. Northern Lights Blvd. Info: TCC President Cathy Gleason, 248-0442, tccpresident@yahoo.com.

# **Project Updates**

#### • 35th Ave. & McRae Road Upgrade

On June 13th, the Urban Design Commission approved design plans for the 35th Ave. & McRae Road Upgrade. \$4,675,000 in legislative funding for the project was included in this year's State Capital Improvement list.

#### • West Anchorage District Plan

On July 10th, the Anchorage Assembly approved the WADP with a 10-1 vote. Unfortunately, **the Assembly did not consider any of TCC's recommendations/amendments on key issues important to our area**, including the deletion of a proposed comprehensive land exchange with the Airport that could include trading away Pt. Woronzof Park and a significant section of the Tony Knowles Coastal Trail for future airport development.

Many thanks to the hundreds of people who signed our petition, sent comments, and testified in support of protecting Pt. Woronzof Park and the EXISTING Coastal Trail and opposing another North-South Runway at the Airport!

#### • Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport Master Plan



On July 17, the Airport and its consultants hosted an Open House to discuss an update to the 2002 Airport Master Plan. The PowerPoint presentation given at the meeting is online at: http://www.dot.state.ak.us/anc/business/

communityRelations/presentations/ANC-MPU\_PublicOpen House\_2012July17.pdf. *The next public meeting will be held Sept. 19th (see details at left).* To sign up to receive updates for meeting notices and other information, email: contact@ancmasterplan.com.

### Still Need TCC Secretary-Treasurer!

Please consider serving TCC in this important capacity. For more info., contact TCC President Cathy Gleason, 248-0442,tccpresident@yahoo.com.