

**PLEASE NOTE: A Joint Turnagain/Spenard Council
LONG HOUSE Committee will meet MONDAY, JANUARY 14th,
5:30-7:30 p.m., Federation of Community Councils,
1057 W. Fireweed Ln., 1st Floor Conference Room**

**Turnagain Community Council Meeting Notice
Thursday, January 10, 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**
Airport Master Plan Update
Anchorage Airport Communications Committee
HLB Draft 2013 Work Program & 5-Yr. Management Plan
Long House Conversion to Mentally Ill Housing Update
- 7:35 Assembly Report**
- 7:45 Legislative Teleconference**
- 7:55 Airport Report**
- 8:00 Education Matters, Inc.**
Cheryl Frasca will provide information on a newly-founded nonprofit organization called Education Matters to improve Anchorage schools.
- 8:05 Minnesota Billards Request for Alcohol Beverage Recreational Use**
Representatives of Minnesota Billards, 3020 Minn. Dr., will brief the council on their request to obtain a recreational site liquor license, which would require a Conditional Use Permit from the Assembly.
- 8:15 W. Northern Lights Blvd. Pathway Project Follow-Up**
At the TCC Dec. meeting, we were presented with a large boulder retaining wall concept as part of the walkway project to be constructed this coming summer. As a follow-up, TCC requested to see conceptual visuals of this proposal.
- 8:25 West/Romig Improvements**
West High Principal Rick Stone will discuss improvements for the West High/ Romig Middle School campus, including a Career & Technical Education addition and a new football stadium and soccer field.
- 8:40 Candidate Applicants for Vacant West Anchorage Assembly Seat**
Candidates who have applied to fill the interim Assembly position vacated by Harriet Drummond are invited to introduce themselves and answer a few questions.
- 8:55 Comments from the floor/Agenda Items for Feb. 7, 2013, TCC Mtg**
- 9:00 Meeting Adjournment**

**Summary of Decisions & Motions Passed at
Turnagain Community Council Meeting December 6, 2012**

- TCC Nov. 1, 2012, meeting minutes were approved without objection.
- A motion to approve comments on the Heritage Land Bank Draft 2013 Work Program and 5-Year Management Plan was passed: Yes- 12, No-0.

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Announcements/Meeting Notices/Project Updates***

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



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***Replacement for Harriet Drummond to
serve until April will be chosen by
Assembly Jan. 15***

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Announcements/Meeting Notices

Jan. 10 — Heritage Land Bank Advisory Commission Public Hearing on Draft 2013 Annual HLB Work Program & 5-Year Plan, 11:30 a.m., 4700 Elmore Rd., Rm. 170. Info: HLB Director Tammy R. Owsald, 343-7986, www.hlb@muni.org. To review doc., go to www.muni.org/Departments/hlb/Pages/default.aspx.

➡ **Jan. 14** — Airport Master Plan Working Group Meeting, 11:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m., CIRI Building, 2525 C St., First Floor Conference Room. Info: Katherine Wood, HDR Alaska, Inc., 644-2153, contact@ancmasterplan.com, www.ancmasterplan.com. *Public is invited to sit in on the Working Group meetings.*

➡ **Jan. 14** — Joint Turnagain/Spenard Council Long House Committee Meeting, 5:30 p.m., Federation Community Council Center, 1057 W. Fireweed Ln., 1st Floor Conference Room. Info: TCC President Cathy Gleason, 248-0442, tccpresident@yahoo.com or Committee Chair Michele Wiley, 248-2230, 440-9757, mwiley@alaska.net.

➡ **Jan. 15** — Assembly Public Hearing on Title 21 Rewrite, 6:30 p.m., Loussac Library 1st Floor Assembly Chambers. See Project Update below for more info.

ENDS January 15 —

Christmas Tree Recycling

Drop off your tree at the clearly marked areas of Anchorage Carrrs/Safeway parking lots. Be sure to remove all lights, ornaments, tree stands, tinsel and blastic bags.

Wreaths are NOT accepted. Boy Scout Troop 268 will pick up trees for a small donation. Call 868-8899.



THANK YOU, HARRIET!

Turnagain Community Council expresses a sincere "Thank You" to Harriet Drummond, who represented our community on the Assembly from 2008-2012. We wish her well as she continues to represent part of Turnagain in the Alaska Legislature!

Office of Emergency Management Seeks Volunteers for New Program

The Office of Emergency Management (OEM) has created a new program, "The Functional and Access Needs Support Team," comprised of volunteer teams of personal care assistants trained to assist the American Red Cross in Municipal designated shelters in the case of an emergency.

Applications are now being taken for this new volunteer team. Thirty applicants will be selected for the first round of training. **For more information and to download an application, go to: muni.org/oem.**

Feb. 7 — 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.

➡ **Feb. 12** — Airport Part 150 Noise Study — Fourth Study Input Committee Meeting, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Airfield Maintenance Facility on Airport, 5740 DeHavilland Ave. Info: Ryk Dunkelber, 918-585-8844, <http://anc150study.com>.

Feb. 20 — Anchorage Airport Communications Committee meeting, 5:30 p.m., Federation of Community Councils, 1st Floor Conference Rm., 1057 W. Fireweed Lane. Info: Chair Matt Claman, 350-3105, mattclaman@gmail.com.

Feb. 21 — TCC Board Meeting, 11:45 a.m., Muffin Man Café 817, 817 W. 6th Ave. Info: TCC President Cathy Gleason, 248-0442, tccpresident@yahoo.com.

Project Updates

● Municipality of Anchorage Title 21 Rewrite

The Assembly will be holding a public hearing **January 15, 2013**, on amendments reflecting the decisions of the Assembly Title 21 Committee. For more info., contact project staff at **343-7921**, title21@muni.org. To review the proposed revisions, go to: www.muni.org/Departments/OCPD/Planning/Projects/t21/Pages/Title21Rewrite.aspx.

TCC passed a resolution at our February 2, 2012, meeting that states positions on selected items covered in Title 21. Please go to TCC's website to review the resolution.

● Long House Acquisition for Severely Mentally Ill Housing

A Joint Turnagain/Spenard Council Committee is being formed to more closely follow the proposal for Anchorage Community Mental Health Services to acquire the Long House Alaskan Hotel on Wisconsin St. for the purpose of converting it into a 48-bed housing complex for severely mentally ill residents. The Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Directors is considering approving funding for the Long House property acquisition at their meeting in January 30-31, 2013 in Juneau.

TCC passed a motion at our March 1, 2012, meeting opposing the proposal.

➡ *The Joint Council Committee will have it's first meeting January 14th. If you are interested in joining this committee, please contact Chair Michele Wiley, mwiley@alaska.net,*



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