

Please Note:

Tony Knowles Coastal Trail Construction Has Started!

First phase of construction begins at Mile 4.1 south of Pt. Woronzof Overlook Area and will continue north to Mile 2.5 by Earthquake Park bridge. See page 2 for more details.

Turnagain Community Council Meeting Notice

Thursday, June 6, 2013, 7:00 p.m.

Turnagain United Methodist Church

3300 W. Northern Lights Blvd.



*Note different
location for
June meeting!*

Agenda

7:00 p.m. Opening Remarks/Announcements/Approval of Minutes

7:15 Committee Reports

West/Romig Outdoor Sports Facilities Noise & Traffic Impact Studies

Coastal Trail Rehabilitation-Related Projects

Wendy's Way Landscaping/Rehabilitation Meeting

7:30 Assembly Report

7:45 Legislative Report

7:55 Airport Report

8:00 Airport Master Plan Update — Draft Development Alternatives

Project consultants will present information on the Master Plan Update, with focus on the five draft Development Alternatives. *(See more info. on page 3)*

8:15 35th & McRae Road Improvement Project

Justin Keene, CRW, and **Duane Maney**, MOA, will provide information on this long-anticipated road construction project, planned to begin in July. *(See more info. on page 2)*

8:30 Safe Routes to School Project Discussion for Access to West & Romig

Barbara Bundy, Esquire Dr. resident, will present information on the Safe Routes to Schools Funding Program and lead a discussion about potential ways to improve pedestrian, bicycle and vehicle safety along Forest Park and Hillcrest Drives, which provide access to West High and Romig Middle Schools.

8:45 Public Indoor Tennis Court Facility Update at Dempsey

An update on a proposed indoor tennis court facility next to Dempsey Anderson Ice Arena will be given. The proposal for a facility in West Anchorage was initially and conceptually approved by TCC in February, with a follow-up request for more plan details and how issues, such as traffic, parking, buffering, etc, can be addressed, if developed at the Dempsey location.

8:55 Comments from the Floor

9:00 Meeting Adjournment

Summary of Decisions & Motions Passed at Turnagain Community Council Meeting May 2, 2013

- Motion supporting TCC Airport Part 150 Study Committee comment letter. Passed: Yes-21, No-0.
- Motion to postpone consideration of TCC Resolution opposing Assembly Ordinance Restricting Continued Public Hearing Testimony to June 6th meeting. Passed: Yes-12, No-3.
- Motions supporting TCC CIP Committee Project Priority Ranking — Parks & Recreation Passed: Yes-11, No-0; PM&E Roads & Drainage Passed: Yes-13, No-0; State Roads & Drainage Passed: Yes-11, No-0.



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See pages 2 & 3 for Announcements/Meeting Notice/Project Updates

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

Announcements/Meeting Notices

➡ **June 4 — Airport Part 150 Noise Study — Input Committee Meeting, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Airfield Maintenance Facility on Airport, 5740 DeHavilland Ave. Noise Mitigation Measures will be discussed. Public is welcome to attend.**
Info: Ryk Dunkelber, 918-585-8844, <http://anc150study.com>.

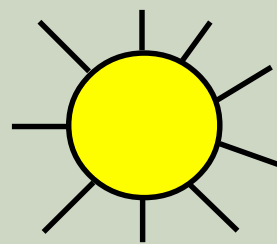
June 4 — Alaska Railroad Plan Open House, 5:00-8:00 p.m., Loussac Library, 3600 Denali St. This is one of a series of open houses throughout the state to seek input on the plan's vision statement and plan goals, and to identify potential system-wide needs.

June 12 — Airport Stakeholder's Meeting, 3:00-5:00 p.m., Airport Manager's Conference Rm, 5000 W. International Airport Rd., 4th floor. Info: Trudy Wassel, 266-2119, trudy.wassel@alaska.gov. *Public is welcome to attend.*

➡ **June 13 — Airport Master Plan Working Group Meeting, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., CIRI Building, 2525 C St., 1st Floor Conference Room.** Info: Katherine Wood, HDR Alaska, Inc., 644-2153, contact@ancmasterplan.com, www.ancmasterplan.com. *Public is welcome to attend.*

June 20 — 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.

June 27 — Anchorage Airport Communications Committee Meeting, Noon, 1st floor United Conference Rm., 1057 W. Fireweed Lane. Info: Chair Matt Claman, 350-3105, mattclaman@gmail.com.



Turnagain Community Council will NOT meet in July or August —
Have a wonderful Summer!

➡ **June 30 — COMMENTS DUE on Airport Master Plan Draft DEVELOPMENT ALTERNATIVES.** Info: Katherine Wood, HDR Alaska, Inc., 644-2153, contact@ancmasterplan.com, www.ancmasterplan.com. (See page 3 for more info.)

July 10 — Urban Design Commission Non-Public Hearing on Final Approval for West/Romig Outdoor PE and Sport Facility Improvements, 6:30 p.m., Loussac Library 1st Floor Assembly Chambers. Projects include a NEW FOOTBALL STADIUM.

Info: www.uskh.com/West-Romig-Fields.

Email comments to: kimmelca@muni.org.

Submit comments online at: <http://munimaps.muni.org/planning/allcomments.cfm?caseNum=2013-049>

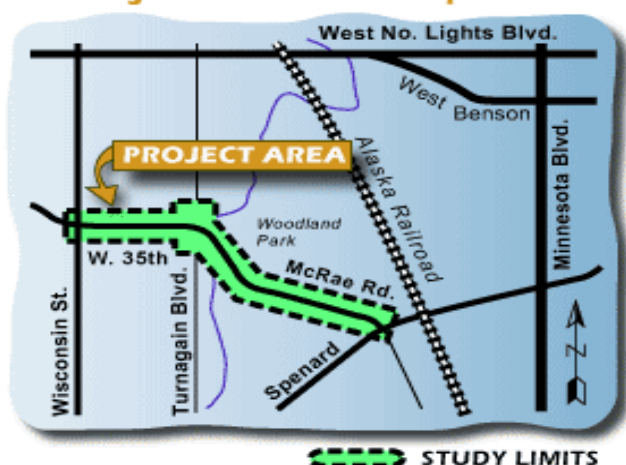
July 17 — Platting Board Public Hearing on Subdividing Two Tracts into One Tract at 1741 W. Northern Lights Blvd., 6:30 p.m., Loussac Library 1st Floor Assembly Chambers. This proposal is to facilitate the development of an Indoor Tennis Court Facility adjacent to the Dempsey Ice Arena. Info: R&M Consultants, Dave Hale, 646-9651, dhale@rmconsult.com.

Project Updates

● 35th & McRae Road Improvement Project

Construction on the 35th Ave. & McRae Rd. road project is planned to begin in July 2013 and be completed in fall of 2014. Key elements include improving the roadway, adding a pathway, traffic calming, realignment of the road crossing at Fish Creek and the addition of cluster mailboxes. Some utilities will also be relocated.

Project Location Map



For More Information & to Submit Comments:
www.35thandmcraeproject.com, Wende Wilbur,
CRW Engineering Group, 562-3252, comments@crweng.com.



● Coastal Trail Rehabilitation

Construction on the Coastal Trail has begun — phasing has been modified from its original plan and will start at Mile 4.1 south of the Pt. Woronzof Overlook Area and continue north/east to Mile 2.5 by the Earthquake Park bridge. **THIS SEGMENT OF THE TRAIL WILL BE CLOSED.** For the first phase, construction equipment staging will be at AWWU treatment facility. Access to Pt. Woronzof Overlook and Earthquake Park will be permitted, but extreme caution is advised.

For Construction Updates & Alternate Routes, go to:
www.muni.org/departments/parks/pages/coastaltrailrehab.aspx

UPDATE on Assembly Ordinance Restricting Continued Public Hearing Testimony

TCC passed a motion in May to consider a resolution regarding AO 2013-63 at our June 6th meeting. However, on May 21st the Assembly unanimously passed a motion to postpone indefinitely the ordinance. Therefore, the TCC Board decided to withdraw this from our June agenda.



Your Comments Needed!

OUR Coastal Trail



AIRPORT'S 'Coastal Trail'



Coastal Trail Users — If you value the EXISTING trail and its dedicated park greenbelt buffer west of the Airport,
tell the Airport:

***“No Runway Through
Our Coastal Trail or Dedicated Parkland!”***

The Airport's Draft Master Plan Update Alternative 5 proposes
another North-South Runway — just like it did in 2008!

Pt. Woronzof Park & a section of the Existing Coastal Trail/Greenbelt would be destroyed! The public said “NO!” in 2008 — **it's time to say “NO!” again!**

View the 5 Draft Alternatives on the
**May 23rd Airport Master Plan Open
House Presentation & Submit Comments**
Online at **www.ancmasterplan.com**
or Email Comments to
contact@ancmasterplan.com

**Please Submit
Your Comments
by June 30th!**