SPENARD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Meeting at 7pm, February 1, 2006, at the Spenard Recreation Center

AGENDA & NEWSLETTER

- 1. Legislative Teleconference
- 2. Minutes and Agenda Action
- 3. Assembly Reports
- 4. APD Update
- 5. McRae & 35th Ave Update
- 6. General Aviation Update
- 7. Election of Officers
- 8. NW Parks Update
- 9. Committee Reports
- 10.Old and New Business

GENERAL AVIATION UPDATE

Diana Rigg, Planning Manager, will attend the February meeting and update the Council on the preferred alternatives for expansion of the Lake Hood Aviation Complex. On February 15, 2006, there will be a public hearing on the draft environmental assessment for the Echo Parking Phase II Project, as well as a public information meeting on the 2006 construction projects, at the Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities, 4111 Aviation Drive, from 5:30-7:30pm.

MCRAE & 35th AVE PROJECT UPDATE

Another public meeting on this project was held at Turnagain Elementary School on January 11, 2006. At that meeting, a joint Turnagain-Spenard citizen's committee was formed.

DRAFT TRAFFIC CALMING POLICY MANUAL

The Traffic Department has issued a draft Traffic Calming Policy Manual. A copy of the Manual will be available at the February meeting. The draft and a comment page are located at www.muni.org/traffic/Publications.cfm. Comments are due by February 28, 2006.

COMMUNITY LIASON SERGEANT CINDI STANTON

Cindi Stanton of the Anchorage Police Department is the Community Council Liason Sergeant. If there is an issue you want discussed at the next Council meeting, contact her at 786-2668 (office); 317-0985(cell); cstanton@ci.anchorage.ak.us.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Council will hold its annual election of officers at the February meeting. Those officers include chair, vice-chair, secretary and treasurer.

LAND USE ISSUES

Chuck Spinelli is appealing an enforcement order involving a coffee cart in an R-O zone at 1900 Northern Lights Blvd. The matter is scheduled before the Zoning Board of Equalization and Appeals on February 9, 2006.

An ordinance amending the sign ordinance to grandfather existing noncompliant signs is scheduled before the Planning and Zoning Commission on February 13 and before the Assembly on February 28, 2006.

A second draft of Title 21 is now available and comments are due March 3, 2006. For more details, go to www.muni.org/planning/index.cfm.

The Municipality of Anchorage will hold a public workshop at Romig Middle School on February 2, 2006 from 7-9pm to get input on needed pedestrian improvements for the Anchorage Pedestrian Plan.

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