

**CITY OF BETHEL
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

Regular Meeting of May 17, 1995

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was convened at 7:30 PM, at the Finance Office Conference Room, Bethel, Alaska, by Acting Chairman Turner.

II. ROLL CALL

Present: Rhodes (late), Robb, Swanson, Turner, Williams

Absent: Watts

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

There were no minutes presented for approval.

IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

motion M/M by Williams, 2nd by Robb to amend the agenda by postponing Old Business Item A to the next regular meeting and adding New Business Item B: Appeal of Chauffeur's License Denial--Joseph Jelic . Voice vote. Motion carried unanimously.

V. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS

None.

VI. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

None.

VII. OLD BUSINESS

ITEM A: Public Hearing--Draft Alcohol Ordinance

This item was postponed to the next regular meeting agenda.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

ITEM A: Amendment to Ordinance--Renewal Date of Chauffeur's Licenses

Commission member Robb addressed this item, stating that the current process, which establishes an expiration date of December 31 for all licenses, strains the Police Department and health resources, since all permittees must

pass a physical examination for a Chauffeur's License. Chief Liu added that bottlenecks occur at the clinic and Police Department, trying to accommodate all of the applicants. Commission member Robb suggested the ordinance be changed to establish an expiration date one year after the license is issued. The Commission agreed with this idea and requested the suggested wording for the change be brought back for further review.

ITEM B: Chauffeur's License Denial Appeal--Joe Jelic

Mr. Jelic presented his appeal to the Commission, asking for reinstatement of his Chauffeur's License.

motion M/M by Williams, 2nd by Rhodes to issue a Chauffeur's License with the following conditions:
1. Mr. Jelic obey all laws; and 2. Mr. Jelic receive counseling at Mental Health. Poll vote.
Motion failed, 3-yes, 2-No (Robb, Turner).

motion M/M by Robb, 2nd by Williams to issue a Chauffeur's License with the following conditions:
1. Mr. Jelic obey all laws; 2. Mr. Jelic study taxi/chauffeur laws; 3. Mr. Jelic return to the
Transportation Commission at its next regular meeting; 4. Mr. Jelic demonstrate to the
Commission that he understands the Vehicle for Hire Ordinance; 5. Mr. Jelic seek anger
management counseling with Mental Health; 6. Mr. Jelic enroll in an anger management course
and complete it in a timely manner; 7. Mr. Jelic agree to stay in his vehicle when for hire and not
accost by-standers; and 8. Mr. Jelic understand what constitutes assault per Alaska Statutes
11.41.230(A)(1).

motion M/M by Williams, 2nd by Rhodes to amend sections 1, 2, and 8 of the motion to read: 1. Mr.
Jelic obey all city and state laws; 2. Mr. Jelic study Chapter 5.20 of the Bethel Municipal Code;
and 8. Mr. Jelic read what constitutes assault and demonstrate an understanding to the
Commission. Poll vote. Motion carried, 5-Yes, 0-No.

vote Poll vote on the motion as amended. Motion carried, 5-Yes, 0-No.

IX. ADJOURNMENT

motion M/M by Williams, 2nd by Rhodes to adjourn the meeting at 9:30 p.m. Voice vote. Motion
carried unanimously.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 1995.

John T. Watts, III, Chairman