

# City of Bethel, Alaska Public Safety & Transportation Commission

November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2005

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

## I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on Monday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers, Bethel, Alaska.

Council Representative Dymont called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m.

## II. ROLL CALL

Comprising a quorum of the Commission, the following members were present for roll call:

Charley Chung	Hugh Dymont
Kyla Hagan	Mark Springer

John Dickens absence excused due to still being out of town.

Ex-Officio members present were the following:  
Administrative Assistant Debbie Reukauf  
Fire Chief George Young

## MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES

<b>MOVED BY:</b>	Springer	Move item VI to item III to allow Fire Chief Young to be heard.
<b>SECONDED BY:</b>	Dymont	

<b>VOTE ON MOTION</b>	Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.
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## III. CHIEFS COMMENTS

A. Fire Chief Young:

- a. Discussed vehicle break down issues and assured commission that all vehicles are in good working condition.
- b. Addressed concerns about disaster program.
  - i. Fire Department working on a local program
  - ii. Interest in a program for the Delta Area as well.
  - iii. There is a chain of command already in effect for the city in the event of a disaster-City Manager is first in command.
  - iv. More disaster drills being planned for the future.
- c. After Action Report from Table Top Exercise in March has been completed and sent to the state.
- d. Had a safe and successful Halloween.
- e. EMT's just finished a two week refresher course.
- f. Fire Department is fully staffed and everything is running and ready to go.
- g. Lateness of stipends for volunteers has been corrected and should be issued shortly.

**IV. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD**

- A. Frank Mazzaro
  - a. Concerned about rules for cab permit renewal having to be completed by December 31st.
  - b. Wants Trip Sheets eliminated.
- B. Ben Barnes
  - a. Would like the commission to enforce the rules for dispatchers before setting any new ones.
  - b. Questions if the consolidation of cab companies, and the cab company that only has one driver, is legal under currant dispatch service ordinance?
  - c. Would also like Trip Sheets done away with.

**V. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**MOTION TO APPROVE THE AGENDA OF November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2005 AS AMENDED**

<b>MOVED BY:</b>	Springer	Move item VI to item III
<b>SECONDED BY:</b>	Dyment	

<b>VOTE ON MOTION</b>	Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.
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**VI. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE REGULAR MEETING OF October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2005  
MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF**

<b>MOVED BY:</b>		No motion made will carry over to next regular meeting on December 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2005
<b>SECONDED BY:</b>		

<b>VOTE ON MOTION</b>	.
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**VII. TRANSPORTATION INSPECTOR REPORT**

- A. No report.

**VIII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- A. Continued Discussion on Drug and Alcohol Testing for Chauffeurs (BMC 5.20.085)
  - a. Wording of proposed rewrite questioned
    - i. Mr. Dyment will talk to Chief Dudley and then have the city law firm work on the wording.
- B. Vehicle Impound (Chief Dudley)
  - a. Will carry over to next meeting for discussion.

**IX. NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Discussion on rewriting BMC Title 5 (Chief Dudley)
  - a. Will carry over to next meeting for discussion.
- B. Discussion on Dispatch Service Permit BMC 5.50.010 and 5.50.020 A and C.
  - a. No provision in currant BMC for a new non-transferable dispatch permit to be issued.

**MOTION TO ADD PARAGRAPH TO BMC 5.50.**

<b>MOVED BY:</b>	Chung	To allow that a non-transferable dispatch service permit may be issued
<b>SECONDED BY:</b>	Springer	

*Dyment asked to clear the floor to amend motion to direct commission to send to an attorney for wording of directive.*

<b>VOTE ON MOTION</b>	Motion carried by roll call vote as follows: Chung-Yes, Dyment-Yes, Hagan-Yes, Springer-Yes.
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**X. COMMISSION MEMBER'S COMENTS**

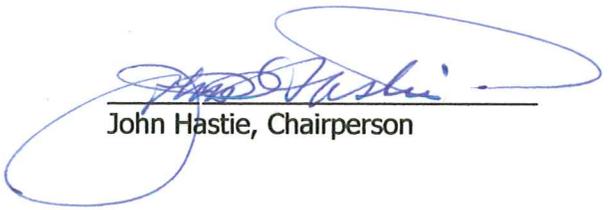
- A. Mr. Springer
  - a. Would like to have more sand applied to ice on roads.
- B. Mr. Chung
  - a. No Comments
- C. Ms. Hagan
  - a. No Comments
- D. Mr. Dymont
  - a. Encouraged all who support alcohol delivery site to be at the next City Council Meeting , November 15<sup>th</sup>,2005.

**XI. ADJOURNMENT  
MOTION TO ADJOURN**

<b>MOVED BY:</b>	Dymont	November 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2005 at 8:55 p.m.
<b>SECONDED BY:</b>	Springer	

<b>VOTE ON MOTION</b>	Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.
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Next meeting on Monday – December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2005

  
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John Hastie, Chairperson

ATTEST:

  
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Debbie Reukauf, Recorder