
City of Bethel, Alaska

Public Safety & Transportation Commission

December 6th, 2017

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on December 6th, 2017 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 6:36 pm.

II. ROLL CALL

Present: Eileen Henrikson, *Chair*
 Jared Karr, *Vice Chair*
 Julene Webber
 Mary Weiss
 Mary Nanuwak, *Alternate*

Absent: Naim Shabani *Council Rep*
 Joan Dewey
 Burke Waldron *Chief of Police*

Ex-Officio Present: William Howell *Fire Chief*
 Jesslyn McGowan *Recorder*

Others Present: Monroe Tyler

III. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

No one to be heard

IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOVED:	Weiss	Motion to approve the agenda.
SECONDED:	Karr	
VOTE ON MAIN MOTION	All in favor.	

V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOVED:	Karr	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of
SECONDED:	Weiss	
VOTE ON MAIN MOTION	All in favor.	

VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. Taxi Rate Increase

MOVED:	Webber	Motion to table discussion until January meeting
SECONDED:	Karr	
VOTE ON MAIN MOTION	All in favor	

B. Discussion about Taxi Cameras

MOVED:	Webber	Motion to table discussion until January meeting
SECONDED:	Karr	
VOTE ON MAIN MOTION	All in favor	

C. Camai Cab Violations

MOVED:	Karr	Motion to enforce code 5.40.050
SECONDED:	Nanuwak	
VOTE ON MAIN MOTION	All opposed.	

D. Discussion of BMC Codes

MOVED:	Karr	Motion to table discussion until January meeting
SECONDED:	Webber	
VOTE ON MAIN MOTION	All in favor	

VII. CHIEF'S COMMENTS

Chief Waldron – See report in Commission Packet

Fire Chief Howell – See report in Commission Packet

VIII. TRANSPORTATION INSPECTOR'S REPORT

See report in Commission Packet

IX. COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE'S COMMENTS

No Council Rep present

X. COMMISSION MEMBER’S COMMENTS

Jared Karr – Talked of BFD’s announcement on radio and the great vibes it gives to the public, also that it is a great recruiting tool. Also a comment about social media and his thoughts about making accusations and complaints on social media without going to the appropriate authority. Ended by welcoming the new members.

Mary Nanuwak – Made comments regarding cab companies, complaints on companies, having the correct information is helpful and positive comments always help.

Julene Webber – Mentioned that PSTC has good intentions and only so much it can do. Also welcomed new members.

Mary Weiss – Welcomed new members and gave a small background of what PSTC did in the last couple of meetings.

Eileen Henrikson – Welcomed new members.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

MOVED:	Webber	Motion to adjourn.
SECONDED:	Weiss	
VOTE ON MAIN MOTION	All in favor.	

Meeting adjourned at 7:28 pm.

APPROVED THIS 3rd DAY OF January, 2017.


Jesslyn McGowan, Recorder


Eileen Henrikson, Chair