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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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January 19, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2016 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:04PM

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
 Chuck Herman *Council Representative*  
 Naim Shabani  
 Eileen Henrikson

Other Present: Bruce Claypool (member of the public)

Absent: Deborah White  
 Julene Webber

Ex-Officio Present: Andre Achee *Chief of Police* (via telephone conference)  
 Bill Howell *Fire Chief*  
 Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

### III. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

None

### IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to approve the agenda.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

### V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of December 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2015.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	

<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.
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**VI. CHIEFS' COMMENTS**

Chief Bill Howell – *See Report and Recommendation form in Commission Packet.*

Chief Andre Achee – *Our 2015 year-end stats are done. For 2015, we got close to 17,000 calls which are all broken down into different categories which includes: crimes against person(s), recorded offenses, sexual offenses, sexual abuse of minors, robberies, missing persons report, harassment, kidnapping, domestic violence calls, property crimes, thefts, intoxicated pedestrians, curfew violations, juvenile offenses, security checks, welfare checks, agency assists, EMS calls, fire calls, animal calls, suicide/deaths, etc. There were also 499 arrests for end of year.*

*For the staffing aspect in patrol, we are currently budgeted for 8 patrol officers, which include 2 patrol sergeants, 1 investigative sergeant and 1 investigator. Of that roughly for 2015, we had a total of 7 patrol officers working. Currently we are down to 4 patrol officers working, which is half my patrol staff. My Patrol sergeants and investigative sergeant are also covering the streets. In comparison to 2014, our average number of officers was 10, and there were 14,738 calls. In 2014 there were less calls, nut more officers. The average call per officer is roughly 46, and the average number of officers per day is 3. The average calls for officers per day is 15.*

*Earlier in the beginning of 2015, our dispatch center had a major issue and we were down to 2 dispatchers. Our dispatcher center runs 24 hours, 7 days a week. Having a dispatcher that is calm and collective and able to dispatch the appropriate resources is important. During that time, our Patrol sergeants and administrative staff, including myself and administrative assistant filled in to cover dispatch. Right now, we are lucky that we are at full staff, however "full staff" means that when someone goes on vacation or quits, it means overtime for other staff. We will be asking for an additional dispatcher.*

*At full staff, there are 4 dispatchers and 1 dispatcher supervisor. For 2013 and 2014, there was an average of 3 dispatchers. In the past, we have had dispatchers that will quit after a week or two or three months into training. We recently had a CSP that worked a few days and quit. It is different here and it is a different type of work, it takes a special person to work in Public Safety. In 2014 dispatchers handled about 40 calls/day; in 2015 it was about 46 calls/day.*

(For full stats, see stats report in Commission Packet and Recommendation Form).

**VII. TRANSPORTATION INSPECTOR REPORT**

*See Report in Commission Packet*

**VIII. COUNCIL MEMBER'S COMMENTS**

Council Member Herman – *Don't have much to report – will get to items on agenda.*

**IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**A. Drug Screening Policy for Chauffeurs (Commission Member Shabani)**

*Discussed, Drug Screening Policy will remain as is per BMC 5.20.085 Drug and Alcohol Testing.*

**X. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Bethel Friends of Canines 2015 Year End Numbers & Canine (and Feline) Services Update**

*Bethel Friends of Canines is a nonprofit organization that has been in existence since July of 2011. There have been 234 dogs that were homed, 8 cats and 1 ferret; that brings our numbers up to 1000 canines that have been abandoned, unclaimed, unwanted, running loose, homeless, overdue at the pound or coming in from the villages. Over 1000 dogs have been homed and about 50 cats. "Homed" means having people go through an application process, home screenings, making sure landlords take animals or they own the homes, the family doing trial home visits. We consider that progress in terms of getting unwanted animals off the streets.*

*Thank you to Former city manager, Lee Foley and with the city attorney Patty Burley's assistance in drafting a memorandum of agreement with Bethel Friends of Canines, which included conditions of getting all dogs rabies vaccinations, booster shots if they are puppies, getting them spayed and neutered, finding adoptive homes for them and making sure that they are not loose. Any unclaimed and overdue dogs in the pound, if they are adoptable, they go to BFK9, this has helped reduce the effect of officers who had to shoot perfectly healthy dogs in the past prior to July of 2011. I'm hoping it (BFK9) also helps keep officers wanting to do this hard work of law enforcement*

*We have also started to help families who are in domestic violence situations and are having to flee. If they have pets, we help get the pets boarded or up for adoption, if that is what the family decide that they want to get done. We help in getting those animals they care about out of the situations and either with them when they move on or adopted. We are involved in nearly all the villages in the YK delta area, responding when we get calls for help, including helping set up spay and neuter clinics.*

*There is a really neat story about a special education teacher out in one of the villages, who have a special needs student that loves dogs and wanted to start rescuing in the village. This teacher wrote this in, part of her treatment plan and has since sent in 3 very healthy, very beautiful puppies that have since been adopted. She has been taking care of a momma dog and some more dogs that are going to be coming in to be homed. This has given this girl a sense of purpose and pride in what she is doing and she is definitely helping the community.*

*This is related to public safety because there used to be a horrific loose dog situation here and there still is at times. A horrible situation two days before the K300, we tried to get police to respond and nobody was available to come. There was traffic backed up on Ptarmigan and into housing because the cab could not move and the dog that was still alive would not have been saved. The dogs were trapped underneath the cab. One was expired, however we did not know until CPR was attempted. It was very slippery that night and these dogs were loose.*

*It was very upsetting and disturbing and I bring this up here because it could have turned out to be very different. People were pretty calm and respectful but it was a cab and there are a lot of stereotypes and generalizations about cabs. The woman driver was visibly shaken up and I don't think she could have done anything to avoid hitting the dogs. We could not get any police help and we tried three times that we know of to get help. The public did a good job with not getting emotional, but it could have been very heated and more serious. We got two people passing by to help lift up the back of the cab and another person cut the dog loose with a knife.*

*It was amazing that people stayed focus on the issue at hand and no one made it worse, because it could have definitely been worse.*

*We really try to help low income families with dogs, and we try to help with training, convincing people not to buy Christmas puppies for their toddlers, but to buy a little puppy toy first, because if you end up with an animal that has no training and is hungry running loose, then you have a public safety problem.*

*I really hope that we continue to get community support and it seems to be working. We are at a point that we really need steady help daily. We first try local adoptions, but we still have an overpopulation problem. We have a 5 part mission in our articles of incorporation that include all of these things related to the health, safety and well being of a community. These are important aspects of living in a great community that takes care of its people and animals.*

*We need to get more vet support, however we have an interesting project starting with UAF, and we are looking at a possible vet health aid program.*

**B. Reconsideration of Ordinance 15-21: Cab Video Surveillance and GPS System Requirements (Council Recommendation)**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to disapprove Ordinance #15-21.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**XI. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS**

Joan Dewey - *I just want to thank the Chiefs for bringing all of the details, that was really great.*

**XII. ADJOURNMENT**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to adjourn.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

*Meeting adjourned at 10:26pm*

APPROVED THIS 2ND DAY OF February, 2016.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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February 2, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:10PM

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
 Chuck Herman *Council Representative*  
 Julene Webber  
 Eileen Henrikson

Absent: Deborah White  
 Naim Shabani

Ex-Officio Present: Andre Achee *Chief of Police* (via telephone conference)  
 Bill Howell *Fire Chief*  
 Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

### III. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

None

### IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

<b>MOVED:</b>	Webber	Motion to approve the agenda.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Herman	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

### V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

<b>MOVED:</b>	Webber	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of January 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2016.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Herman	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

## **VI. CHIEFS' COMMENTS**

Chief Bill Howell – *See Report in Commission Packet.*

Chief Andre Achee – *The Police Department did a location check for the liquor license applications and there were only 34 calls, essentially nothing that constitutes a high rate of calls. The recommendation is based on the number of calls and in this case, it is a small number.*

*The department has hired one local police officer, Richard Ramos who will be attending the academy sponsored by APSC (Alaska Public Safety Commission) on February 28<sup>th</sup>. The other officer, if he passes everything, will also be attending the academy. He is from out of State, however his fiancée lives and works in Bethel. Our new CSP officer (Community Service Patrol) will be starting her position in mid February. We are still trying to maintain staffing; we have one officer and one dispatcher leaving later on this month.*

*We officially wrote to PERS (Alaska Public Employees' Retirement System) with a copy of the proposed 2 weeks on/2 weeks off schedule in hopes to attract more lateral offices that are experienced and trained. We will also be speaking with our Union representative about this since he will be in town as well as to discuss the police department's recommendation to City Council.*

*We had our first death of the year today. There appears to be no foul play and asphyxiation is possibly the cause of death. His remains have been released to his family.*

*Our CSP second quarterly report was completed yesterday. With the addition of our new CSP, we will be back up to full staff in our CSP program. Our last CSP lasted about 3 days. Our CSP program has been very good to us, they purchased a vehicle for us last year, but unfortunately it missed the last barge. This year the CSP program will be purchasing us another vehicle.*

*There are still staffing issues at the City's V&E (Vehicles and Equipment), however we have been authorized to take our vehicles to local private sectors.*

*Lieutenant Tracy with AST (Alaska State Troopers) retired last week, and there is new Lieutenant stepping in, Lieutenant Gonzalez.*

*Today we had a situation at ME school dealing with a potential kidnapping. We called the cab company and told them not to move and the cab was able to comply and locked the doors to prevent the individual from getting out. The cab companies have been really good about helping us out; they are the other eyes on the road.*

## **VII. TRANSPORTATION INSPECTOR REPORT**

*See Report in Commission Packet*

## **VIII. COUNCIL MEMBER'S COMMENTS**

Council Member Herman – *The cameras in cab was brought up at the last meeting, however the City Attorney stated that confidential information might be coming over from the court system that might be influencing our decision. The topic will be postponed until the next meeting and we will see what that information is*

**IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

*None*

**X. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Fire Department's Recommendation to City Council**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to recommend.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Webber	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**XI. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS**

*Eileen Henrikson – The City grant manager should look up community block grants to get more funding. I was also wondering about cameras in the cab, I read a few articles that the cameras were covered under FEMA grants and that was an interesting avenue to go down.*

*Joan Dewey – If we can think about potential candidates and promote ways for members to join this commission, that will be great because we are going to get low if anybody is traveling or needing to not be here, to have a quorum*

*Chief Andre Achee – Lieutenant Dave Tracey with Bethel's AST (Alaska State Troopers) will no longer be in Bethel, he is retired. There is a new lieutenant, Lieutenant Gonzalez that will be out here in Bethel.*

**XII. ADJOURNMENT**

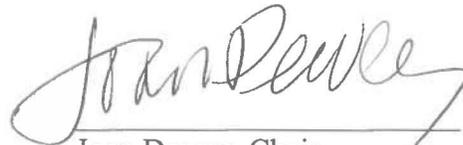
<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to adjourn.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

*Meeting adjourned at 8:30pm*

APPROVED THIS 15<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2016.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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March 1, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:11 pm.

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
 Chuck Herman *Council Representative*  
 Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*  
 Julene Webber

Absent: Deborah White  
 Naim Shabani

Ex-Officio Present: Andre Achee *Chief of Police* (via telephone conference)  
 Bill Howell *Fire Chief*  
 Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

### III. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

Frank Mazzaro - *Concerned with monetary change for large bills in taxi cabs due to lack of services in Bethel. Would like to post a sign notifying customers that he cannot provide change for certain denominations before 8 in the morning and would like to inform the public about it to avoid conflict.*

### IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to approve the agenda.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of February 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2016.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**VI. CHIEFS' COMMENTS**

Chief Bill Howell – *See Report in Commission Packet.*

Chief Andre Achee – *See Report in Commission Packet.*

**VII. TRANSPORTATION INSPECTOR REPORT**

*See Report in Commission Packet*

**VIII. COUNCIL MEMBER'S COMMENTS**

Council Member Herman – *City Council passed the Ordinance that requires cabs to have a video surveillance system inside of their cabs, it passed 4 to 3. I don't think there were any amendments made to it other than possibly the dates of implementation being shifted around a little bit.*

**IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

*None*

**X. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Concerns with Ayaprun's Relocation to the new BNC Building**

*Discussed, Council member Herman will be sending an email to the City Planner in regards to the issue.*

**B. YKHC's Hospital Expansion and Traffic Congestion**

*Discussed, Council member Herman will be sending an email to the City Planner in regards to the issue.*

**C. Consideration of the Resolution to support the health and well-being of our children and firefighters and endorse the "Toxic Free Children's Act."**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Webber	Motion to recommend.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Herman	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**XI. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS**

Eileen Henrikson – *Thanks to Chuck, there will be two career fairs this year. One will be at the high school on April 6<sup>th</sup> for local businesses, training and education, specifically geared for high school students so that they know what their options are; and the community wide career fair will be taking place on April 20<sup>th</sup>, at the Cultural Center. These career fairs are an opportunity for recruitment and networking.*

*CHIEF Bill Howell*  
~~Chuck Herman~~

*I just wanted to give Kudos to the Public Safety and Transportation Commission; I really appreciate having two department heads who seem to be very proactive and working towards issues and solving issues. It is just really nice to be a part of a commission where it feels like we're working towards goals and seeing at least progress towards them.*

Chief Andre Achee – *I know we can't take any action on what Frank talked about, but I just want to let him know that he is an independent business owner and he could post whatever he wants on his business. He owns his own permit and his own cab, but he's just using Kusko as a dispatch service.*

**XII. ADJOURNMENT**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to adjourn.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

*Meeting adjourned at 8:49 pm.*

APPROVED THIS 5<sup>th</sup> DAY OF April, 2016.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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April 5, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on April 5th, 2016 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm.

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*  
Julene Webber  
Naim Shabani  
Daniel Macynski

Absent: Chuck Herman *Council Representative*

Ex-Officio Present: Andre Achee *Chief of Police and Acting Recorder*

Ex-Officio Absent: Bill Howell *Fire Chief*  
Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

### III. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

Ana Hoffman – *Wanted to thank the Bethel Police Department for their public service and the strong efforts being made to fill the vacancies. It is encouraged and empowering to see young people born and raised here in uniform and appreciates it very much. Would like to request reinforcing the prosecution of inebriates for persistently loitering, especially around BNC. Would like these inebriates to be prosecuted to the full extent of the law and not just taken into the care of the Sobering Center.*

### IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

<b>MOVED:</b>	Henrikson	Motion to approve the agenda.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Macynski	

<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.
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**V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Shabani	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of March 1, 2016.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**VI. CHIEFS' COMMENTS**

Chief Andre Achee – *See Report in Commission Packet for statistical data for the month of March.*

*We have one officer currently still at the Academy, the other recruit was dismissed due to not being able to meet the strict academic standards. In the month of March, one of our Officers, Sammie Hendrix left. We are down to 5 officers 3 sergeants and 2 patrol officers. We offered two conditional offers this month, one declined due to pay and the other accepted. We are still actively recruiting; most people applying are from the lower 48.*

*We just transferred William Charles from CSP to the vacant CSO position. He with Derek will be working together in the training phase as CSO. We are finishing up our interview process for our vacant CSP position. We also extended a conditional offer to a local gentleman in town who accepted and is scheduled to start on the 11<sup>th</sup> of this month.*

*We did have an armed-stand-off situation that occurred; the gentleman was upset, semi-suicidal and discharged firearms in his residence a few times. Our officers in town responded, one came back early from vacation to assist. The troopers were able to assist; they contacted their SERT (Special Emergency Response Team) from Fairbanks because it was a barricaded subject with the possibility of serious injuries on either side. It came to a peaceful resolution in the end, the gentleman surrendered and taken into custody without any incidences.*

*There was a death investigation on Friday during Camai weekend. There is no foul play suspected. It is unclear whether or not he crashed his snow machine and he ended up either drowning or dying of hypothermia. We contacted the medical examiner's office and we should be getting some sort of pulmonary cause of death by the end of this week.*

**VII. TRANSPORTATION INSPECTOR REPORT**

*See Report in Commission Packet*

## VIII. COUNCIL MEMBER'S COMMENTS

Council Member Herman – *Absent*

## IX. SPECIAL ITEM OF BUSINESS

### A. Traffic Impact Analysis of the YKHC's Hospital Expansion Project and Ayaprun Elitnaurvik's relocation to the Kipusvik Building (Ted Meyer, City Planning Director)

Received an email from Council Member Herman addressing the concerns with the huge increase of traffic around these areas.

*See Report in Commission Packet*

## X. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

*None*

## XI. NEW BUSINESS

### A. Declaring Commission Seat Vacant, per Bethel Municipal Code 2.52.070 A2 *Discussed, commission seat vacancy due to BMC 2.52.070 A2 regarding Commission member Deborah White.*

### B. Increasing Cab Fare Rates (Commission Member Shabani) *Discussed, no action taken.*

## XII. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS

Joan Dewey – *I just want to welcome Daniel, I think it's great that we have another member and another area of expertise in the community.*

Daniel Macynski – *I was wondering later, maybe down the line, one of the main things I wanted to be a part of this commission was to maybe help set up a neighborhood watch, keep an eye on juvenile/kids, helping the police, and having the public support. Another reason I am really motivated because basically in the past two years, I had three incidences or more where people have gone into City Sub and my neighborhood and broken into my vehicles in City Sub.*

Chief Andre Achee – *Two items I forgot to mention, on the April 12<sup>th</sup> council meeting, there is an action memorandum regarding a grant on an enhanced E-911 system. Our equipment is extremely old, and we were able to receive a federal grant to upgrade it. We're hoping that it should be done and if everything is approved, by the end of summer the new system will be implemented. Within a year from that date, we are hoping that we can be in Phase 2*

compliance which can track 911 calls made by cell phones. This is available in most road-system areas. Phase 2 compliant means that the phone number comes up and the name of the person who registered that number. This can be done on land lines; however we weren't able to track it on cell phones. Everything will be funded by this federal homeland security grant.

The next thing is the submission of our budget, the only thing the PD asks for is status quo. We are asking for one additional dispatcher position. Currently we have 4 dispatchers and 1 dispatch supervisor. The minimum staffing is 4 dispatchers because we run 24 hours/day and the dispatch supervisor fills in if needed, however the dispatch supervisor has a lot of other collateral duties. The additional 5<sup>th</sup> dispatcher position will help cover vacations and in cases that we have high turn-overs.

Eileen Henrikson – Just a reminder there are career fairs, tomorrow at the high school and on the 20<sup>th</sup> at the Cultural Center.

**XIII. ADJOURNMENT**

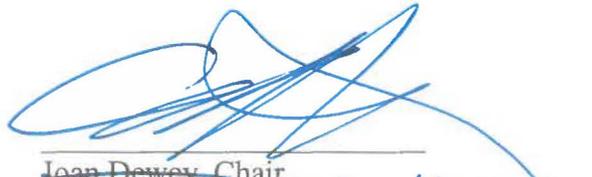
<b>MOVED:</b>	Henrikson	Motion to adjourn.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Webber	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm.

APPROVED THIS 7<sup>th</sup> DAY OF June, 2016.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair  
Eileen Henrikson  
Vice Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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May 3, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on May 3, 2016 in the City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:10pm

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*  
Daniel Macynski

Excused Absent: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
Chuck Herman *Council Representative*  
Naim Shabani  
Julene Webber

Ex-Officio Present: Andre Achee *Chief of Police*  
Bill Howell *Fire Chief*  
Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

A quorum was not established of the Commission.

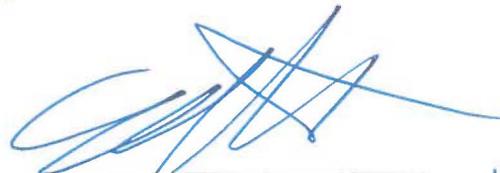
### III. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 7:11pm.

APPROVED THIS 7th DAY OF June, 2016.



Christina Him, Recorder



~~Joan Dewey, Chair~~

Eileen Henrikson,  
Vice Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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June 7, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on June 7th, 2016 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm.

### II. ROLL CALL

Present:

Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*  
Chuck Herman *Council Representative*  
Julene Webber  
Daniel Maczynski  
Ted Meyer *Planning Director*

Absent:

Joan Dewey *Chair*  
Naim Shabani

Ex-Officio Present:

Andre Achee *Chief of Police*  
Bill Howell *Fire Chief*  
Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

### III. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

Frank Mazzaro – Has an issue with the new city ordinance #15-21 requiring all taxicabs to have a video surveillance system. Feels that the camera system and the fees/citations associated it with costs a lot of money and feels he doesn't want to be a cab driver anymore. Feels that it is pointless, what if there is maintenance required for his cab, and if he has to disconnect his camera for purposes as these, he would be in violation of the ordinance.

### IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to approve the agenda.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Webber	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Herman	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of April 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2016 and May 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 2016
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Webber	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**VI. CHIEFS' COMMENTS**

Chief Bill Howell - *See Report in Commission Packet*

Chief Andre Achee

*The police department has tentatively accepted the increase in wages for current existing police officers. The Police and Fire departments came up with a reclassification, public safety classification and if everything goes through by the final ratification, existing officers will get between a 20-25% increase in their base pay. New employees coming in will be compensated in that level that is competitive with the market in Bethel. If everything goes through, we will have another officer back in Bethel by the end of next week, as he is scheduled to graduate from the Academy this Friday.*

*For the last couple of months, we have been working on our enhanced 9-1-1 system for dispatch. We are implementing an enhanced 9-1-1 system, which will give us (on landlines only right now), the names, addresses, and locations of where the call is calling from. The equipment is being shipped out today; it was received in Anchorage a couple of days ago at the barge and should be delivered tomorrow morning in Bethel. The E9-1-1 crew will come out and hook it up once it is here. We don't have full geo maps yet, but we are working with the Planning department to get the current existing geo map so that it will blend in with the program. We are tentatively looking at getting the system up and operational by July 1<sup>st</sup>. During that time, there will be specialized training for dispatchers and admin personnel for the utilization of that equipment. The second phase of the new system upgrade will happen sometime next year, it is called Phase 2 and is specifically for cell phones. Currently 9-1-1 calls from cell phones are not able to be located. We applied for a license from the FCC (Federal Communications Commission), however it takes one year for the company (GCI) to be in compliance. The second phase of this enhancement allows us to find out not only who is calling, but also their location from a cell phone if they dial 9-1-1. Right now, only the Bethel hub will get this enhancement for this region. Dispatch is excited about this new upgrade. Additionally, for those that are TTY, the new 9-1-1 system will eliminate a separate keyboard, and everything will be computerized so it is basically voice to text to make it easier for members who need that extra support.*

*We wrapped up a couple of burglary cases, we had good leads/assistance from the public and we sent out a Press Release. The PD's official Facebook account was launched since our last meeting, and it has been very popular. There was some misconception that Council banded social media, but we do have a social media policy in place. The Council did pass the social media policy. We are compliant with the records aspect of this, as we have a third party vendor that maintains all of the records for us as required since we are a government agency. We are getting very good feedback, and Christina and Natalie are our two primary administrators on our Facebook account. We are also putting out our press release out there, which gives us the*

*opportunity to put out information faster including our stats. We have profanity filters set up on our site, which allows us to censor certain types of remarks, however, the comments/remarks are still captured by our social media archiving system and it is still part of public record. In 2 weeks, we had 1,000 likes, and we have had over 3,000-4,000 "hits" on some of our press releases that we published on our account. On Mondays we do a "weekend wrap-up", Tuesdays are "Trivia Tuesday", Wednesdays are "Warrant Wednesdays" for outstanding warrants, and Saturdays are "Safety Tip Saturday." We have done that (Warrant Wednesdays) for two weeks, and the public (including villages and local calls) has assisted us in helping locate these individuals, whom were remanded within 3 hours of our post being published on Facebook. It helps us promote our public relations within the community, and puts out information out there as well as linking the public to other sites for informational matters.*

*We appreciate PSTC's support, as well as Chuck's support on the Council for our budget. We are coming close to the end of the fiscal budget and we are trying to get more equipment needed for the department. Our biggest issue is that pretty much half of our patrol fleet is down, as V&E does not have enough mechanics. However, we have received authorization to get our vehicles serviced at private sectors.*

*We are assisting AST's WAANT (Western Alaska Alcohol and Narcotics Team) unit with the best that we can, however it is their case (in reference to the recent busts). WAANT has received assistance from several different task forces in Alaska to close out their cases. This is an on-going investigation, the WAANT or State Troopers may be putting out a press release soon about what is going on.*

*We are wrapping up a least 10 residential and business burglaries where a lot of stolen item/equipment was seized, including firearms. The WAANT unit also assisted us with that operation as well as federal authorities because the U.S. Fish & Wildlife was broken into and some of their equipment was taken.*

*It is great that Council is supporting us with the reclassification/pay range of officers, but we still have to hire some more officers. Sergeant Gwen Drake's last day is the 19<sup>th</sup> of the month, and we are still down officers. I have been talking to the City Manager about emergency hires, which we are authorized to do per ordinance and possibly to do temporary assignments to supplement existing staff otherwise by July 1st, there will be only one officer on each shift, which will be very dangerous. I have employees that have changed their leaves several times to accommodate the department but I can't do it again, as their personal lives will be devastated. Right now, I have three officers committed that are retired, but still certified, and that has worked in Bethel to help us out. I am hoping that the emergency hires will go through next week, so that we have at least one officer with boots on the ground, especially during the 4<sup>th</sup> of July weekend. The Fire department has been great in assisting us with alcohol related calls.*

## **VII. TRANSPORTATION INSPECTOR REPORT**

*See Report in Commission Packet*

## **VIII. COUNCIL MEMBER'S COMMENTS**

Council Member Herman – *I think everyone knows, but I've submitted my letter of resignation, it will be effective on the 15th of this month, so I will no longer be on Council or on this commission. You will be assigned a new council member on this commission; it is possible that it could be a new person. I have no idea who that is going to be, but you will have a new person hopefully by the next meeting. Beyond that, Chief has already covered kind of the main budget stuff that has gone on. We have had about 8 budget meetings so far and a grand total of 0 people that have actually come in to talk about the budget. Other than that, I don't really have anything else to say, if anyone has any questions, I'd be happy to answer them.*

**IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**A. PSTC's Recommendation to increase Police Officer Pay upon Academy Completion**

*Passed by Council, addressed in Council Packet.*

**B. Traffic Impact Analysis of the YKHC's Hospital Expansion Project and Ayaprun Elitnaurvik's relocation to the Kipusvik Building (Ted Meyer, City Planning Director)**

*Discussed, no action taken.*

**X. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Amending BMC Title 5 \_ Removing Buses (Council Member Herman)**

*Requested to be removed by Chief Achee, as this topic has been addressed in the Council Packet.*

**B. Consideration of a "Neighborhood Watch" Program (Commission Member Maczynski)**

*Discussed, no action taken.*

**XI. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS**

Julene Webber – *I just want to reiterate, thank you Council Member Herman. I wish you well on your endeavors and safe travels. I appreciate the neighborhood watch. I appreciate both Chiefs, always our recorder and Miss Eileen for heading our meeting and being very active in this community.*

Chief Andre Achee – *Thanks everyone, thank you Chuck. I appreciate you being on the commission as well as on Council, and for having 3 daughters that went to or still in high school; I appreciate you for being at the high school.*

Chuck Herman - *Thank you all for being on this commission and helping out. It has been pretty cool. I think we've been kind of the most (from my view) productive, effective commission, even though they didn't always listen to us. With the big increase, feels like we*

have managed to meet at least the majority of the time we are suppose to and get stuff through, so that was pretty cool.

Daniel Maczynski – *I wish I was able to come in sooner, you and my brother kind of inspired me to kind of be more involved in the community. Hope to see you come back. I went to school with you, and you both kind of inspired me to help with the City and be more involved.*

Chief Bill Howell – *Thank you all for you service on a day like today. Thank you Chuck, it's been a joy working with you.*

Christina Him – *Best of luck Chuck, thanks everybody for showing up and being active participants, and for running a tight ship here thank you Eileen.*

Eileen Henrikson – *Again, thank you Chuck for everything, and for your help even not on the commission and city council, you helped me in April.*

**XII. ADJOURNMENT**

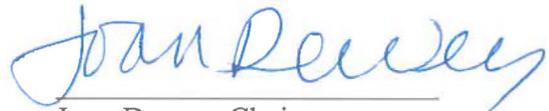
<b>MOVED:</b>	Webber	Motion to adjourn.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Herman	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

Meeting adjourned at 9:05 pm.

APPROVED THIS 9<sup>th</sup> DAY OF September, 2016.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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July 5, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on July 5, 2016 in the City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:17pm

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*  
Julene Webber  
John Sargent

Excused Absent: Naim Shabani  
Daniel Macynski  
Mary Weiss  
Andre Achee *Chief of Police*

Ex-Officio Present: Daron Solesbee *Fire Captain*, in lieu of Fire Chief Bill Howell  
Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

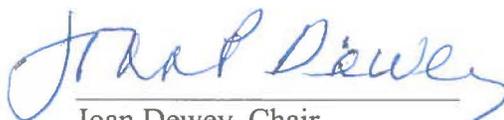
A quorum was not established of the Commission.

### III. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 7:18pm.

APPROVED THIS 6<sup>th</sup> DAY OF September, 2016.

  
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Christina Him, Recorder

  
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Joan Dewey, Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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August 2, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on August 2, 2016 in the City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:03pm

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
Daniel Maczynski

Excused Absent: Mary Weiss *Council Representative*  
Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*  
Naim Shabani  
Julene Webber

Ex-Officio Present: Andre Achee *Chief of Police*  
Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

Ex-Officio Absent: Bill Howell *Fire Chief*

A quorum was not established of the Commission.

### III. ADJOURNMENT

*Meeting adjourned at 7:04pm.*

APPROVED THIS 6<sup>th</sup> DAY OF September, 2016.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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September 6, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on June 7th, 2016 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:03 pm.

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
Mary Weiss *Council Representative*  
Julene Webber  
Daniel Maczynski  
Ted Meyer *Planning Director*  
Teri Forst *Clinician, Bethel Family Clinic*

Absent: Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*  
Naim Shabani

Ex-Officio Present: Andre Achee *Chief of Police*  
Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

Ex-Officio Absent: Bill Howell *Fire Chief*

### III. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

*No one to be heard.*

### IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

<b>MOVED:</b>	Webber	Motion to approve the agenda.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Weiss	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

### V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

<b>MOVED:</b>	Webber	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of June 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2016
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Weiss	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

<b>MOVED:</b>	Webber	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of July 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2016
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Maczynski	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

<b>MOVED:</b>	Webber	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of August 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2016
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Maczynski	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**VI. SPECIAL ITEM OF BUSINESS**

- A. Public Hearing on the price and quality of service provided by all regulated vehicles, chauffeurs and dispatch services.

*No one to be heard.*

**VII. CHIEFS' COMMENTS**

Chief Andre Achee - *See Report in Commission Packet*

**VIII. TRANSPORTATION INSPECTOR REPORT**

*See Report in Commission Packet*

**IX. COUNCIL MEMBER'S COMMENTS**

Council Member Weiss – *None.*

**X. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- A. **Traffic Impact Analysis of the YKHC's Hospital Expansion Project and Ayaprun Elitnaurvik's relocation to the Kipusvik Building** (Ted Meyer, *City Planning Director*)

*See Report in Commission Packet*

**B. Consideration of a “Neighborhood Watch” Program (Commission Member Maczynski)**

*Requested to be removed and postponed to later date by Commission Member Maczynski*

**XI. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Community Service Options for Juvenile Offenses (Commission Member Maczynski)**

*Requested to be removed and postponed to later date by Commission Member Maczynski*

**B. Title 6 Proposal: Animal Control**

*Requested to be removed by Chief Achee*

**C. Heroin Issue: Medical & Behavioral Health Approaches & Treatment Options (Teri Forst, Clinician, Bethel Family Clinic)**

*See Report in Commission Packet*

**D. Statewide Task Force Update on Heroin (Byron Maczynski, Council Member)**

*Not Discussed, Byron Maczynski was unable to attend.*

**E. Western Alaska Alcohol & Narcotics Team (WAANT): Regional Update**

*Requested to be postponed to next meeting by Commission Member Webber.*

**XII. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS**

Mary Weiss – *I just want to say thank you very much and I think I have obviously very big shoes to fill here. I think it's been a very interesting and a very informative meeting. I think we've got some stuff done, I think it's been very effective, I'm happy to be here and happy to learn and listen.*

Julene Webber – *I was reading back on the last meeting minutes on Chuck's last meeting and he said he felt “good”, that he felt for the first time he had a commission that was active and making progress so that was exciting to read that again and be a part of that as well.*

Joan Dewey – *Good luck with your projects (Daniel Maczynski), we need that PATC, so get that roof on over there. I just want to say that it is really great to have Mary on this commission. It is already a pleasure working with you and I'm already really liking it, so thank you. We do still need to promote the need for public service to volunteer for this commission, we can still have 2 alternate members, it will be a good thing to have with travel*

and everything, that way we have more people familiar with all the issues too and bring their ideas. I did get somebody interested, so I'm hoping she applies.

Chief Andre Achee – Just to let you know, I will not be in town for the October 4<sup>th</sup> meeting, I will be on leave, but regardless if I am on leave, I still call in telephonically. Other than that, welcome Mary on board, I think we are in good shoes with Mary being our council rep, thank you.

**XIII. ADJOURNMENT**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Webber	Motion to adjourn.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Maczynski	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

Meeting adjourned at 9:14 pm.

APPROVED THIS 4<sup>th</sup> DAY OF October, 2016.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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October 4, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:01 pm.

### II. ROLL CALL

Present:  
Joan Dewey *Chair*  
Mary Weiss *Council Representative*  
Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*  
Daniel Maczynski

Absent:  
Bill Howell *Fire Chief*  
Naim Shabani  
Julene Webber

Ex-Officio Present:  
Andre Achee *Chief of Police (telephonically)*  
Daron Solesbee *Fire Captain*  
Amy Davis *Investigations Sergeant*  
Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

### III. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

Ray Watson – Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws, would like a recommendation that advocates for citizens who use ATV's and who are obeying the laws.

Loni Upshaw - Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws.

Leif Albertson – Clarifying City Council's objectives with the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws.

Rick Robb – Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws, however would like to work towards a solution, favors a shared-road system and is proposing an ordinance that will allow ATVs and four-wheelers on the road.

Samuel Hare - Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws.

Gary Hanson - Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws.

Ira S. Flowers III – Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws.

Brian Hughes - Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws, would like a compromise for those who are responsible and obeying the laws on ATVs and four-wheelers.

Fedosia Hughes – Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws.

Vernon Blevins – Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws.

Bridget Hughes Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws, would like a compromise for those who are responsible and obeying the laws on ATVs and four-wheelers.

Jennifer Fiess – Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws.

Scott Greydanus – Stated opposition to the active enforcement of ATV and four-wheeler laws.

Chief Achee – Clarified the stance of the BPD’s active enforcement of the ATV and four wheeler laws per the Action Memorandum from City Council. The action memorandum asked BPD to strictly enforce ATV/off-road laws and removes all discretion from police officers.

#### **IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Henrikson	Motion to approve the agenda.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Maczynksi	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

#### **V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

<b>MOVED:</b>	Maczynski	Motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of September 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2016.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

**VI. CHIEFS' COMMENTS**

Captain Daron Solesbee - *See report in commission packet.*  
 Chief Andre Achee – *No comments, see report in commission packet.*

**VII. TRANSPORTATION INSPECTOR REPORT**

*See Report in Commission Packet.*

**VIII. COUNCIL MEMBER'S COMMENTS**

Council Member Weiss – *As we are very much aware, the City Council did task a resolution that the ATV rule should be enforced and encouraged the Alaska State Troopers to enforce it and then it all turned into the Bethel Police Department as well. There was a pretty active discussion, a lot of it was generated because there are people that are on ATV's and they are reckless and dangerous. There was a lot of back and forth. There was obviously a whole bunch of discussion on basically discretion and what exactly does enforcement mean since it was maintained and they were already enforcing it. We have another City Council meeting coming up. We will be speaking about it a little more down on the agenda.*

<b>MOVED:</b>	Weiss	Motion to relax the formality of the meeting and allow Gary Hanson to ask a question.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Maczynski	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

Gary Hanson – *Inquired on statistical report provided by BPD on how many citations were issued to ATV drivers that were actually driving recklessly or whether they were just driving on the streets.*

Investigations Sergeant Amy Davis – *Citations in our system is tracked by the Statute, so it doesn't actually break down what each person was doing, but on each citation there is a probable cause segment and the officer writes down on the citation usually what the reason for their stop is. It is written on the citation, as far as tracking goes, it is really difficult to track, because it's tracked by statute number.*

**IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

None.

**X. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Statewide Task Force Update on Heroin** (*Byron Maczynski, Council Member*)

*Not Discussed, Byron Maczynski was unable to attend.*

**B. Clarification of Roadway Use for ATVs** (*Mary Weiss, Council Member*)

*See Report in Commission Packet*

**i. Proposition of Ordinance: Operation of Snow Machines and ATV's on Bethel Roads** (*Rick Robb, Mayor*)

<b>MOVED:</b>	Maczynski	Motion to relax the formality of meeting to allow Mayor Rick Robb to speak about proposed ordinance: "Operation of Snow Machines and ATV's on Bethel Roads."
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Henrikson	
<b>MOVED:</b>	Henrikson	Motion to recommend suspending Action Memorandum 16-30, pending the outcome of proposed ordinance of "Operation of Snow Machines and ATV's on Bethel Roads."
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Maczynski	
<b>VOTE ON MOTION</b>	All in favor.	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

<b>MOVED:</b>	Henrikson	Motion to recommend proposed ordinance: "Operation of Snow Machines and ATV's on Bethel Roads."
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Maczynski	
<b>MOVED:</b>	Henrikson	Motion to amend the proposed ordinance to include that all passengers or operators under the age of 18 be required to wear helmets
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Maczynski	
<b>VOTE ON AMENDMENT</b>	All in favor.	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

*See Report in Commission Packet*

**XI. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS**

Eileen Henrikson – *If you guys know anyone that needs a job, there's a recruitment event next week at the Job Center for Westward Seafood on Wednesday morning at 9am.*

Daniel Maczynski – *I would like to put the "Neighborhood Watch" back on the Agenda for the next meeting. That's been getting a lot of attention.*

Mary Weiss – *I think this was really an excellent meeting, I think it really served the idea of good governance, I think we got a lot of public input which was what was needed. And I think it was wonderful that Robb was here because we were able to really sit down and talk about what needed to happen. I just want to congratulate everyone; it was nice to see a lot of people come out.*

Joan Dewey - *Chief, this is the second time you're on your vacation and thank you so much for all that you're doing for the community, but also helping us with giving us input to help with how we go about considering these issues, appreciate that.*

Chief Achee – *No comment.*

Chief Howell – *Not present to be heard.*

Captain Daron Solesbee – *No comment.*

Sgt. Amy Davis – *No Comment.*

Julene Webber – *Not present to be heard.*

Naim Shabani – *Not present to be heard.*

## XII. ADJOURNMENT

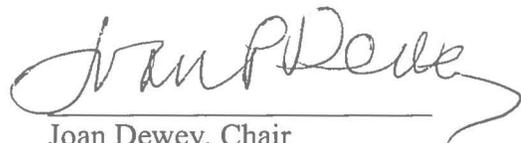
<b>MOVED:</b>	Henrikson	Motion to adjourn.
<b>SECONDED:</b>	Maczynski	
<b>VOTE ON MAIN MOTION</b>	All in favor.	

*Meeting adjourned at 9:43 pm.*

APPROVED THIS 7<sup>th</sup> DAY OF February, 2017.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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November 1, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:01pm.

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*  
Naim Shabani

Excused Absent: Norman Ayagalria *Council Representative*  
Julene Webber  
Daniel Maczynski

Ex-Officio Present: Andre Achee *Chief of Police*  
William Howell III *Fire Chief*  
Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

A quorum was not established of the Commission.

### III. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 7:02pm.

APPROVED THIS

7<sup>th</sup> DAY OF February 2017, 2016.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair

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# City of Bethel, Alaska

## Public Safety & Transportation Commission

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December 6, 2016

Regular Meeting

Bethel, Alaska

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### I. CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Public Safety and Transportation Commission was held on December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2016 in the Bethel City Hall Council Chambers.

This meeting was called to order at 7:02pm.

### II. ROLL CALL

Present: Joan Dewey *Chair*  
Eileen Henrikson *Vice Chair*

Absent: Norman Ayagalria *Council Representative*  
Julene Webber  
Daniel Maczynski  
Naim Shabani  
Bill Howell *Fire Chief*

Ex-Officio Present: Andre Achee *Chief of Police*  
Christina Him *Recorder and Transportation Inspector Designee*

A quorum was not established of the Commission.

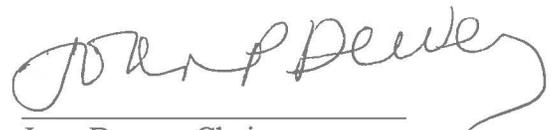
### III. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 7:04pm.

APPROVED THIS 7<sup>th</sup> DAY OF February, 2017.



Christina Him, Recorder



Joan Dewey, Chair