



CITY OF BETHEL

P.O. Box 388 • Bethel, Alaska 99559

543-2297—Area Code 907

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

January 27, 1994

CALL TO ORDER Wally Richardson called the January 27, 1994, regular meeting of the Transportation Commission to order at 7:40 p.m.

ROLL CALL Present: Allen Glore, Dave Trantham, Chris Devlin, Wally Richardson, John Watts

 Absent: Don Constantine, Virginia Turner

APPROVAL/MINUTES minutes were unavailable for approval.

APPROVAL/AGENDA agenda was approved as presented.

TRANSPORTATION
COMMISSION MEMBER
COMMENTS -Mr. Devlin requested, received confirmation that if a cab is sold to a private person the license plates must be changed.
 -Mrs. Richardson stated that the commission should stick with the Wednesday night meeting schedule.
 -Mr. Trantham stated that Wednesday nights conflict with Don Constantine's schedule.

PEOPLE TO BE HEARD (none)

OLD BUSINESS (none)

NEW BUSINESS

Item A: Appeal
 of Chauffeurs
 License Denial -In regard to the chauffeur license of Mr. Yong H. Yi, Mr. Trantham explained that the commission has set a precedence of not hearing appeals for at least one year after a conviction or charge.

motion M/M by Trantham, 2nd by Glore to approve the chauffeur license appeal of Mr. Yi. Voice vote. Motion failed unanimously.

-Mr. Joseph Andrew presented his case for the appeal of his chauffeur license denial.
-Commission members expressed appreciation for his honesty and sincerity. The possibility of approving the appeal, with conditions placed on the license, was discussed.

motion

M/M by Watts, 2nd by Devlin to grant a conditional permit, stipulating that if Mr. Andrews is arrested for any reason the permit will be revoked immediately. Further, the permit will be limited to Tri-Cab only. Roll call requested. 3 affirm, 2 oppose. Motion failed.

Item B: Vehicle
Inspections

-Chris Liu explained the reasons for this information to be given to the commission.

motion

M/M by Richardson, 2nd by Devlin: to approve the four listed garages (J & T Services, Anton Industries/Best Auto Parts, Bethel Equipment Auto Repair, and Nicholson's Auto) as designated inspection stations, in accordance with city ordinances. Voice vote. Motion carried unanimously.

motion

M/M by Richardson, 2nd by Devlin to adjourn the meeting. Voice vote. Motion carried.

THE NEXT MEETING OF THE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION WILL OCCUR ON
FEBRUARY 16, 1994, 7:30 PM AT THE CITY OFFICES CONFERENCE ROOM.

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TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

April 20, 1994

CALL TO ORDER John Watts called the April 20, 1994, regular meeting of the Transportation Commission to order at 7:35 p.m.

ROLL CALL Present: Dave Trantham, Don Constantine, Wally Richardson, Virginia Turner, John Watts
Absent: Chris Devlin, Allen Glore

APPROVAL/MINUTES minutes were unavailable for approval.

APPROVAL/AGENDA M/M by Richardson, 2nd by Constantine, to approve agenda as presented. Motion passed.

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS
-General complaints about cab drivers were discussed. Consensus is that the Bethel Police Department would investigate written complaints.
-Lt. Meece was asked to comment on contract vehicle inspections. Meece stated that the contracts have helped the police department personnel, and there have not been any problems.

PEOPLE TO BE HEARD (none)

OLD BUSINESS (none)

NEW BUSINESS

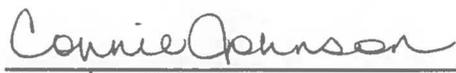
Item A:
Revision of the Transportation Ordinance Commission will review federal regulations pertaining to alcohol testing of vehicle drivers, to include the alcohol test kits. This item will be considered at the next meeting.

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Item B: Taxi Cab (none)
Complaints

Item C: Don Constantine stated that of the last four
Commissioner meetings this is the only meeting which had a
Attendance quorum.

ADJOURNMENT Meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.



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TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

June 15, 1994

- CALL TO ORDER** The June 15, 1994, regular meeting of the Transportation Commission was called to order at 7:35 p.m.
- ROLL CALL** Present: Constantine, Richardson, Trantham, Watts
Absent: Devlin, Turner
- APPROVAL/MINUTES** Minutes of the May 18, 1994, meeting were unavailable.
- APPROVAL/AGENDA** M/M by Richardson, 2nd by Constantine to approve the agenda as presented. Voice vote. Motion carried unanimously.
- TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS** -Alan Glore did not express interest in reappointment to the Transportation Commission. Currently, the position is being advertised as open.
- PEOPLE TO BE HEARD** -Lieutenant Gerald Meece reported on the chauffeur status of Sunny Kim. Meece also provided an update on Ken Kirby, stating that his permit has been revoked.
- OLD BUSINESS**
Item A:
Revision of the Transportation Ordinance -Wally Richardson requested to see in writing about the City of Bethel being able to write an ordinance which is more restrictive than state law. Chairman Watts will obtain a copy.

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Item B: Commercial Vehicle ordinance request has
Regulation of been forwarded to the city clerk.
Commercial
Vehicles

NEW BUSINESS

Item A: Regulation of courtesy vehicles idea was
Regulation of discussed. Consensus is that this would be
Courtesy covered by a commercial vehicle ordinance.
Vehicles

ADJOURNMENT The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

THE NEXT MEETING OF THE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION WILL OCCUR ON
JULY 20, 1994, 7:30 PM AT THE CITY OFFICES CONFERENCE ROOM.

Connie Oldham

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Police Department Admin. Asst.

**CITY OF BETHEL
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

Regular Meeting of July 20, 1994

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was convened at 7:30 PM by Chairman Watts.

II. ROLL CALL

Present: Constantine, Richardson, Trantham, Turner
Absent: Devlin, Glore, Watts

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

motion M/M by Trantham, 2nd by Turner, to approve the minutes of the June 15, 1994, regular Commission meeting as presented. Voice vote. Motion carried unanimously.

IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

motion M/M by Constantine, 2nd by Trantham to approve the regular agenda as presented. Voice vote. Motion carried unanimously.

V. TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS

There were no comments.

VI. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

Hugh Short and Greg Mockta commented on the problem of taxicabs recording and/or documenting calls, stating it was not conducive to car dispatch.

John Kim, Quayana Cab Company spoke in agreement with Mr. Short and Mr. Mockta.

The Transportation Commission decided to allow cab companies until August 1, 1994, to formulate a method to record dispatch calls.

VII. OLD BUSINESS

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July 20, 1994

ITEM A: Revision of the Transportation Ordinance

This item was tabled until the next meeting.

ITEM B: Regulation of Commercial Vehicles

Discussion took place on requiring delivery vehicles to display signs on the vehicles. The point was made that this may be an area for the Public Safety Committee. Police Chief Chris Liu stated he would coordinate with the City Clerk to investigate implementing this requirement.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

ITEM A: Chauffeur Permit Restrictions

William Hunter presented a petition to require a one-year residency provision to the Chauffeur's Permit conditions. Discussion ensued regarding additional requirements, i.e. map tests; reading, writing and speaking English tests; and possessing valid Alaska driver's license for one year.

ITEM B: Transfer of Yellow Cab Company

Transfer of five permits from Quayana Cab to Yellow Cab was requested. Yellow Cab will instead apply for five new permits.

IX. ADJOURNMENT

motion M/M by Richardson, 2nd by Constantine to adjourn the meeting. Voice vote. Motion carried unanimously.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 1994.

John Watts, III, Chairman