

ROLL CALL

Mayor Millie Schoonover called the meeting to order and the roll was taken. Present were Greg Head, Joni Kuntz, Jim See, Marge Young, and Don Pierce. Absent excused was Mike Douville.

Staff present: Jon Bolling, City Administrator; Vicki Hamilton, City Clerk; Brian Templin, City Planner; Mark Habib, Police Chief; and Joyce Mason, Treasurer.

Audience present: Paul Dawson, Frank Lazo, Don Filmore, Sally Birch and Kevin Smith,

CONSENT AGENDA

There were no items on the consent agenda.

HEARING FROM THE PUBLIC

Don Filmore of H.O.P.E. (Helping Ourselves Prevent Emergencies) spoke to the council about Governor Parnell's new legislation to help deal with high incidence of domestic violence. On March 31st, the governor plans a march in Juneau from the state capital building and has asked other communities to do the same in their communities. Mr. Filmore announced H.O.P.E. will lead a march from their office on Easy Street to city hall on March 31st at 12:00 noon. Mr. Filmore asked the city council to support H.O.P.E.'s efforts by becoming a member of H.O.P.E.

Paul Dawson brought to the council, three proposals of potential sites for establishing a Veterans of Foreign Wars Memorial Park. They are asking that USS 1430 Block 11A Lot 4A be designated for the VFW Park. Frank Lazo spoke in favor of the proposed park.

READING OF CORRESPONDENCE

There were no comments.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES

None to consider.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

Adoption of the 2010 CEDS Committee Annual Report-Brian Templin briefed the council on the two days of meetings with the C.E.D.S. Committee. The committee provided a priority list for both the local and regional projects.

Greg Head commented the discussion of boroughization was higher on the priority list.

PIERCE/KUNTZ: moved to adopt 2010 C.E.D.S. Community Annual Report.
MOTION CARRIED

Set meeting date-Vicki Hamilton asked the council to consider April 15th for the first city council meeting of the month. There were no objections from the council.

Kevin Smith of AML/JIA, presentation on property/casualty insurance-Kevin Smith, executive director of Alaska Municipal Leagues' Joint Insurance Association gave a presentation on property and casualty insurance. Their organization can pool for worker's compensation, liability, and property insurance. Mr. Smith explained their insurance and services they offer.

Item not included on the agenda-An item not on the agenda was presented by the mayor to the council. It was a letter asking for donations to help with the expense of constructing a wheelchair access ramp for Goldie Abel.

SEE/HEAD: moved to donate \$200.00 toward the outstanding debt owed to construct Goldie Abel's wheel chair ramp. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

ADJOURNMENT

HEAD/PIERCE: moved to adjourn. MOTION CARRIED

The meeting adjourned at 7:47 p.m.

APPROVED _____

MAYOR MILLIE SCHOONOVER

ATTEST _____
VICKI HAMILTON, CITY CLERK