

# HOTEL/MOTEL DISCRETIONARY FUND COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA – DECEMBER 6, 2018, 12:00 PM FAIRBANKS CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS 800 CUSHMAN STREET, FAIRBANKS, ALASKA



# DISTRIBUTION MEETING

- 1. Roll Call
- 2. Approval of Meeting Minutes December 4, 2018
- 3. New Business
  - a) Announcement of Discretionary Fund Awards for 2019 Distribution
- 4. Next Meeting (Wrap-up) to be determined by the Committee
- 5. Adjournment



# HOTEL-MOTEL DISCRETIONARY FUND COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES, DECEMBER 4, 2018, 5:30 PM FAIRBANKS CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS 800 CUSHMAN STREET, FAIRBANKS, ALASKA



The Hotel-Motel Discretionary Fund Committee convened at 5:30 p.m. on the above date to conduct a Presentation Meeting at the City Council Chambers, 800 Cushman Street, Fairbanks, Alaska, with Council Member June Rogers (Seat F) presiding and with the following members in attendance:

Members Present: Kathryn Fitzgerald, Seat A

Ron Woolf, Seat B John Nobles, Seat C John Kohler Jr, Seat D Jim Soileau, Seat E

Absent: None

Also Present: D. Danyielle Snider, City Clerk

Margarita Bell, City Controller

Carrie Peterson, Grants Administrator

**Chair Rogers** welcomed everyone to the meeting and, instead of taking a roll call, introduced herself and each Committee member to those present and listening.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a) Approval of Meeting Minutes – November 19, 2018

Mr. Soileau, seconded by Mr. Woolf, moved to APPROVE the November 19 meeting minutes.

Ms. Fitzgerald stated that she would like to amend her comments in last paragraph under "Next Meeting" on page four of the minutes. She requested that her statements be amended to read, "Ms. Fitzgerald asked if there was a procedure in place regarding deeming presentations by applicants 'closed' by a certain time after the last presentation ends so as to avoid a situation where an applicant shows up for their presentation near the end of the meeting when the Committee is having discussion regarding zeroing out applicants." Clerk Snider confirmed the changes proposed by Ms. Fitzgerald. Chair Rogers called for objection to the changes, and no members objected.

Hearing no objection, **Chair Rogers** declared the November 19, 2018 Meeting Minutes, as Amended, APPROVED.

**Chair Rogers** took a moment to read aloud the Hotel/Motel Discretionary Fund Committee's adopted policies for the benefit of all those present and listening.

#### PRESENTATIONS BY APPLICANTS

Applicant presentations were taken in the below order. Each applicant had three minutes to present, and the Committee had two minutes to ask questions of each applicant.

- a) Fairbanks Youth Litter Patrol Inc.
- b) Alaska International Senior Games, Inc.
- c) Alaska Dog Mushers Association
- d) Fairbanks Racing Lions Club, Inc.
- e) The World Eskimo-Indian Olympics, Inc.
- f) Fairbanks Community Band
- g) Tanana-Yukon Historical Society
- h) Fairbanks Youth Soccer Association
- i) Fairbanks Curling Club
- j) I.C.E. Alaska
- k) Pioneer Memorial Park, Inc.

- 1) Tanana Valley State Fair Association
- m) Festival Fairbanks, Inc.
- n) Clay Street Cemetery Commission
- o) University of Alaska Museum of the North
- p) Fairbanks Community Museum
- q) Literacy Council of Alaska
- r) Christmas in Ice
- s) Alaska Songbird Institute
- t) Alaska Goldpanner Baseball, Inc.
- u) Fairbanks Arts Association

**Chair Rogers** thanked everyone present for being part of the process and for efforts to make the community a better place.

## **NEXT MEETING**

**Chair Rogers** shared that the next Regular Meeting of the Hotel/Motel Discretionary Fund Committee (Distribution Meeting) is scheduled for Thursday, December 6, 2018, at 12:00 p.m.

**Chair Rogers** asked Committee members to share if they allocated a "zero" to any of the organizations that presented. No members had allocated a "zero" to any of the applications that had presented, so no organization was "zeroed out."

**Ms. Fitzgerald** stated that the City Council was recently considering an increase to the Hotel/Motel tax. She indicated that she would like to see an increase to the Discretionary Fund grant.

**Mr. Kohler** shared some numbers on the total amount of funding that had been requested compared to the amount available.

**Mr. Soileau** stated that he learned so much from the presentations and by going through the applications.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Soileau, seconded by Mr. Nobles, moved to ADJOURN the meeting.

Hearing no objection, **Chair Rogers** declared the meeting ADJOURNED at 7:14 p.m.

June Rogers, Chair	D. Danyielle Snider, City Clerk

Transcribed by: DS

# January 2019

# **Available Dates for Wrap-up Meeting**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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