

### Kenai Peninsula Borough

144 North Binkley Street Soldotna, AK 99669

# Meeting Agenda Planning Commission

Jeremy Brantley, Chair – Ridgeway/Funny River/Sterling District
Pamela Gillham – Kalifornsky/Kasilof District
Virginia Morgan, Parliamentarian – Cooper Landing/Hope/East
Peninsula District
Dawson Slaughter – South Peninsula District
Jeffery Epperheimer - Nikiski District
Diane Fikes – City of Kenai
Franco Venuti – City of Homer
Paul Whitney – City of Soldotna
Karina England – City of Seward

Monday, September 8, 2025

7:30 PM

**Betty J. Glick Assembly Chambers** 

**Zoom Meeting ID: 907 714 2200** 

Remote participation will be available through Zoom, or other audio or video means, wherever technically feasible

#### **ZOOM MEETING DETAILS**

Zoom Meeting Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/9077142200 Zoom Toll Free Phone Numbers: 888-788-0099 or 877-853-5247

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The hearing procedure for the Planning Commission public hearings are as follows:

- 1) Staff will present a report on the item.
- 2) The Chair will ask for petitioner's presentation given by Petitioner(s) / Applicant (s) or their representative -10 minutes
- 3) Public testimony on the issue. 5 minutes per person
- 4) After testimony is completed, the Planning Commission may follow with questions. A person may only testify once on an issue unless questioned by the Planning Commission.
- 5) Staff may respond to any testimony given and the Commission may ask staff questions.
- 6) Rebuttal by the Petitioner(s) / Applicant(s) to rebut evidence or provide clarification but should not present new testimony or evidence.
- 7) The Chair closes the hearing and no further public comment will be heard.
- 8) The Chair entertains a motion and the Commission deliberates and makes a decision.

All those wishing to testify must wait for recognition by the Chair. Each person that testifies must write his or her name and mailing address on the sign-in sheet located by the microphone provided for public comment. They must begin by stating their name and address for the record at the microphone. All questions will be directed to the Chair. Testimony must be kept to the subject at hand and shall not deal with personalities. Decorum must be maintained at all times and all testifiers shall be treated with respect.

#### A. CALL TO ORDER

#### B. ROLL CALL

#### C. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AND REGULAR AGENDA

All items marked with an asterisk (\*) are consent agenda items. Consent agenda items are considered routine and non-controversial by the Planning Commission and will be approved by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of consent agenda items unless a Planning Commissioner so requests in which case the item will be removed from the consent agenda and considered in its normal sequence on the regular agenda.

If you wish to comment on a consent agenda item or a regular agenda item other than a public hearing, please advise the recording secretary before the meeting begins, and she will inform the Chairman of your wish to comment.

- 1. Time Extension Request None
- 2. Planning Commission Resolutions None
- 3. Plats Granted Administrative Approval

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KPB-7158 a. Hope Lake Subdivision 2022 Replat; KPB File 2022-112
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- b. King's Creek 2022 Replat; KPB File 2022-056
- 4. Plats Granted Final Approval (KPB 20.10.040) None
- 5. Plat Amendment Request None
- Commissioner Excused Absences

Virginia Morgan, Cooper Landing/Hope/Eastern Peninsula

7. Minutes

<u>KPB-7159</u> August 25, 2025 Planning Commission Minutes

- D. OLD BUSINESS None
- E. NEW BUSINESS

1. KPB-7160 Section Line Easement Vacation; KPB File 2025-058V

AK Mental Health Trust Authority

Request: Vacate the entire 50' section line easement on the north line of Government Lots 2 & 3 and the entire 50' section line easement on the west line of Government Lots 3 & 4, SEC 27; and the entire west 50' and the entire south 50' of the S1/2 SW1/4 of SEC 22 all being

located in T03N, R12W

Kasilof Area

Staff Responsible: Platting Manager Vince Piagentini

Attachments: PHN SLEV-Trust Land Survey 2025-07 West Cohoe Sub

2. KPB-7161 Utility Easement Vacation; KPB File 2025-121V

Edge Survey & Design / Christianson

Request: Vacate the 10' utility easement along all interior lot lines of Lots 8, 9 & 10, Block 5, Lake Hills Subdivision Part 3, Plat KN

84-265

Nikiski Area

Staff Responsible: Platting Manager Vince Piagentini

<u>Attachments:</u> PHN\_UEV-Lake Hills Sub Christianson Addn

3. KPB-7162 Conditional Use Permit; PC Resolution 2025-19

Applicant: KNC Golf Inc.

Request: For the Kenai Golf Course to replace a bridge over an

anadromous stream

Location: 1500 Lawton Drive / PIN 04938216

City of Kenai

Staff Responsible: Planner Morgan Aldridge

<u>Attachments:</u> PHN CUP- Kenai Golf Course Bridge

**4.** KPB-7163 Conditional Use Permit; PC Resolution 2025-20

Applicant: AK Railroad

Request: Install 1000 cubic yards of rip rap to stabilize the bank line

along the Snow River

Location: Primrose AK, Coordinates 60.3319, -149.3405

Staff Responsible: Planner Morgan Aldridge

Attachments: PHN CUP-ARRC Snow River

#### F. PLAT COMMITTEE REPORT - Will review 3 plats

#### G. OTHER

#### H. PUBLIC COMMENT/PRESENTATION

(Items other than those appearing on the agenda or scheduled for public hearing. Limited to five minutes per speaker unless previous arrangements are made)

#### I. DIRECTOR'S COMMENTS

#### J. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

#### K. ADJOURNMENT

## MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATIONAL ITEMS NO ACTION REQUIRED

#### NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

The next regularly scheduled Planning Commission meeting will be held Monday, September 22, 2025 in the Betty J. Glick Assembly Chambers of the Kenai Peninsula Borough George A. Navarre Administration Building, 144 North Binkley Street, Soldotna, Alaska at 7:30 p.m.

### CONTACT INFORMATION KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH PLANNING DEPARTMENT

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A party of record may file an appeal of a decision of the Planning Commission in accordance with the requirements of the Kenai Peninsula Borough Code of Ordinances. An appeal must be filed with the Borough Clerk within 15 days of the notice of decision, using the proper forms, and be accompanied by the filing and records preparation fees. Vacations of right-of-ways, public areas, or public easements outside city limits cannot be made without the consent of the borough assembly.

Vacations within city limits cannot be made without the consent of the city council. The assembly or city council shall have 30 calendar days from the date of approval in which to veto the planning commission decision. If no veto is received within the specified period, it shall be considered that consent was given.

A denial of a vacation is a final act for which the Kenai Peninsula Borough shall give no further consideration. Upon denial, no reapplication or petition concerning the same vacation may be filed within one calendar year of the date of the final denial action except in the case where new evidence or circumstances exist that were not available or present when the original petition was filed.