

Agenda City Council Regular Meeting

Monday, April 14, 2025 at 6:00 PM City Hall Cowles Council Chambers In-Person & Via Zoom Webinar

Homer City Hall

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CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

AGENDA APPROVAL (Only those matters on the noticed agenda may be considered, pursuant to City Council's Operating Manual)

MAYORAL PROCLAMATIONS AND RECOGNITIONS

PUBLIC COMMENT ON MATTERS ALREADY ON THE AGENDA

RECONSIDERATION

CONSENT AGENDA (Items listed below will be enacted by one motion. If a separate discussion is desired on an item, that item may be removed from the Consent Agenda and placed on the Regular Meeting Agenda at the request of a Councilmember.)

- a. Homer City Council Regular Meeting Minutes of March 24, 2025. City Clerk. Recommend adoption.
- b. Memorandum CC-25-099 from Mayor re: Re-appointments of Marcia Kuszmaul to the Library Advisory Board. Recommend approval.
- c. Ordinance 25-31, An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Amending the FY25 Capital Budget Supplemental Appropriation of \$72,382 from the Public Works Capital Asset Repair and Maintenance Allowance (CARMA) Fund for a Change Order to the Fuel Island Replacement contract to also include Underground Tank Removal. City Manager/Public Works Director. Introduction April 14, 2025 Public Hearing and Second Reading April 28, 2025.

Memorandum CC-25-101 from the Public Works Director as backup.

d. Ordinance 25-32, An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Amending the FY25 Capital Budget by Appropriating \$1,300 Additional Funding from the Port Reserves Fund for the Crane Eight Control System Replacement Project. City Manager/Port Director. Introduction April 14, 2025 Public Hearing and Second Reading April 28, 2025.

Memorandum CC-25-102 from Port Director as backup.

- e. Ordinance 25-33, An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Amending the FY25 Capital Budget by Appropriating \$45,000 From the Port Reserves Fund for the Purpose of Installing Air Filled Floats to Refloat DD Float in System Four. City Manager/Port Director. Introduction April 14, 2025 Public Hearing and Second Reading April 28, 2025.
 - Memorandum CC-25-103 from Port Director as backup.
- f. Ordinance 25-34, An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska Amending the FY25 Capital Budget by Appropriating \$45,500 from the Port Reserves Fund for the Purpose of Replacing a Fender on the Deep Water Dock and Authorizing Single-Source Procurement. City Manager/Port Director.
 - Memorandum CC-25-104 from Port Director as backup.
- g. Ordinance 25-35, An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Amending the FY25 Capital Budget by Re-appropriating Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) Alaska Clean Water Action (ACWA) Grant Funds from the Beluga Slough Green Infrastructure Stormwater Treatment System Project to the Purchase of Hydroseeding Equipment. City Manager/Public Works Director. Introduction April 14, 2025 Public Hearing and Second Reading April 28, 2025.
 - Memorandum CC-25-105 from Public Works Director as backup.
- h. Resolution 25-027 A Resolution of the City Council of Homer Alaska, Approving the Assignment of a Ground Lease and Security Agreement between the City and Berth II, Inc., for the Property with a Legal Description of T7S R13W Section 1 Seward Meridian HM0890034 Homer Spit Amended Lot 32, in the Homer Recording District, State of Alaska, also known as Kenai Peninsula Borough Parcel No. 18103432 and Authorizing the City Manager to Negotiate and Execute the Appropriate Documents. City Manager/Port Director. Recommend adoption.
 - Memorandum CC-25-107 from Port Property Associate as backup.
- i. Resolution 25-029, A Resolution of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Accepting the Fiscal Year 2024 Basic Financial Statements and Acknowledging the Management Letter Submitted by the City's Independent Auditor, BDO USA, LLP and Authorizing the City Manager to Execute the Financial Report. City Manager/Finance Director. Recommend adoption.
 - For the Basic FY24 Audit documents please refer to the Committee of the Whole Packet
- j. Resolution 25-031, A Resolution of the City Council of Homer, Alaska Awarding a Contract to East Road Services, Inc. of Homer, Alaska, in the Amount of \$2,064,000 for the Ohlson Lane West Bunnell Avenue Roadway and Water Improvement Project and Authorizing the City Manager to Execute the Appropriate Documents. City Clerk. Recommend adoption.
 - Memorandum CC-25-110 from City Engineer as backup.

- k. Resolution 25-032, A Resolution of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Authorizing the Issuance of a Task Order to Nelson Engineering, PC in the amount of \$63,412 for Bidding and Construction Assistance Services for the Ohlson Lane and W. Bunnell Avenue Road Reconstruction Project. City Manager/City Engineer. Recommend adoption.
 - Memorandum CC-25-111 from City Engineer as backup.
- l. Resolution 25-033, A Resolution of the City Council of Homer, Alaska Approving a Contract to McSwain Appraisals, LLC in the Amount of \$12,000 to Provide Appraisal Services to Support the Kachemak Peatlands Project and Authorizing the City Manager to Negotiate and Execute the Appropriate Documents. City Manager/City Engineer. Recommend adoption.

Memorandum CC-25-112 from City Engineer as backup.

VISITORS

- a. Legislative Report Senator Gary Stevens
- b. FY24 Audit Presentation BDO USA PC, Bikky Shrestha
- c. Homer Wilderness Leaders (HoWL) Presentation & Annual Dirt Bag Clean Up Event Todd Hineman

ANNOUNCEMENTS / PRESENTATIONS / REPORTS (5 Minute limit per report)

- a. Committee of the Whole Report
- b. Mayor's Report
- c. Borough Report
- d. Port and Harbor Advisory Commission
- e. Economic Development Advisory Commission
- f. Americans with Disabilities Act Advisory Board

PUBLIC HEARING(S)

a. Ordinance 25-28, An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Amending the FY25 Capital Budget by Unappropriating \$268,605 of Homer Accelerated Roads and Trails (HART) Roads Funds for the Ohlson Lane West Bunnell Avenue Reconstruction Project. City Manager/Public Works Director. Introduction March 24, 2025 Public Hearing and Second Reading April 14, 2025

Memorandum CC-25-091 from Public Works Director as backup.

b. Ordinance 25-29, An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska Amending the FY25 Capital Budget by Appropriating an Additional \$3,200 from the Homer Accelerated Roads and Trails (HART) Trails Fund for Change Order No. 1 to Kinney Engineering Task Order 24-01 and

Authorizing the City Manager to Negotiate and Execute the Appropriate Documents. City Manager/Public Works Director. Introduction March 24, 2025 Public Hearing and Second Reading April 14, 2025.

Memorandum CC-25-092 from Public Works Director as backup.

c. Ordinance 25-30, An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska Amending the FY25 Capital Budget by Appropriating an Additional \$57,073.12 from the Homer Accelerated Water and Sewer Program (HAWSP) for the Purpose of Reimbursing Six Property Owners in the Bunnell Ave/Charles Way Special Assessment District for the Cost of E-One Lift Stations. Aderhold/Hansen. Introduction March 24, 2025 Public Hearing and Second Reading April 14, 2025.

Memorandum CC-25-093 from City Manager as backup.

ORDINANCE(S)

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

- a. City Manager's Report
 - Title 21 Re-write Update from Agnew::Beck
 - CIRCAC Update from the Board of Directors
 - April Employee Anniversaries

PENDING BUSINESS

a. Ordinance 25-11(S)(A), An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Amending Homer City Code Chapter 21.90 Administration and Enforcement to Direct Appeals to the Office of Administrative Hearings or a Hearing Officer Appointed by the City Manager. City Manager. Introduced February 10, 2025, Public Hearing on February 24, 2025 Postponed to March 10, 2025 Referred to Planning Commission March 19, 2025 Second & Final Reading April 14, 2025

Memorandum CC-25-106 from City Planner as backup.

Memorandum CC-25-075 from Acting City Manager as backup.

Memorandum CC-25-043 from Community Development Director as backup.

NEW BUSINESS

a. Memorandum CC-25-100 from Mayor re: 2025 Council Projects & Initiatives

RESOLUTIONS

a. Resolution 25-026, A Resolution of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Awarding the Contract for Federal Lobbyist Services to a Firm to be Named in the Amount to be Determined and Authorizing the City Manager to Negotiate and Execute the Appropriate Documents. City Clerk.

Memorandum CC-25-098 from Selection Committee as backup.

b. Resolution 25-028, A Resolution of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Supporting the Efforts of the Homer Area Beekeepers Association to Promote "No Mow May" for the Protection of Pollinators. Davis/Erickson.

Memorandum CC-25-113 from Homer Area Beekeepers as backup.

c. Resolution 25-030, A Resolution of the City Council of Homer, Alaska Amending the City of Homer Personnel Regulations Sections 5.8 Shift Pay and 5.14 On Call Pay. City Manager/HR Director.

Memorandum CC-25-108 from Personnel Director as backup. Memorandum CC-25-109 from Employee Committee as backup.

COMMENTS OF THE AUDIENCE

COMMENTS OF THE CITY ATTORNEY

COMMENTS OF THE CITY CLERK

COMMENTS OF THE CITY MANAGER

COMMENTS OF THE MAYOR

COMMENTS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

ADJOURNMENT

The next Regular Meeting is Monday, April 28, 2025 at 6:00 p.m., Committee of the Whole at 5:00 p.m. A Special Meeting at 4:00 p.m. All meetings scheduled to be held in the City Hall Cowles Council Chambers located at 491 E. Pioneer Avenue, Homer, Alaska.