

MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH Historical Preservation Commission

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Regular Meeting

August 6, 2026, 6:00pm

IN-PERSON: Talkeetna Public Library, 24645 Talkeetna Spur Rd, Talkeetna, AK 99676

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL – DETERMINATION OF QUORUM

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

IV. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

A. May 21, 2026

V. LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

"We acknowledge that we are meeting on traditional lands of the Dena'ina and Ahtna Dene people, and we are grateful for their continued stewardship of the land throughout time immemorial."

VI. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION (three minutes per person, for items not scheduled for public hearing)

VII. HISTORICAL SOCIETY/MUSEUM UPDATES

VIII. STAFF/AGENCY REPORTS & PRESENTATIONS

A. Staff Report

1. NAPC Grant not approved
2. Baseball exhibit at the State Fair + Opening Event
3. ACHP Proposed Rulemaking, to revise Section 106 of the NHPA
4. Mat-Su Historic Themes Study Update
5. DePriest Family Farm NR Nomination Update
6. Frontiersman Digitization Project

B. Chair Report

IX. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- A. Draft Historic Preservation Plan comments
 - i. HPC Comments
 - ii. Next Steps

X. **NEW BUSINESS**

- A. **Resolution of Support for Frontiersman Digitization Project**
- B. New Section 106 Consultations
 - 1. **ARRC Culvert Replacements Milepost 210.7 (due August 8)**
 - 2. ARRC MP 225.97 Culvert Replacement (comment period ended July 3)
 - a. Finding of No Adverse Effect
- C. New Borough Project Reviews

XI. MEMBER COMMENTS

XII. ADJOURNMENT

Note: agenda items **in bold** indicate decision items

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