

PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE PETERSBURG COMMUNITY

The Petersburg Borough will be hosting a series of open houses to allow community members to identify areas where the Borough could reduce expenses or increase revenues. As State and Federal resources decline, we understand our community will need to plan for our own future in ways that may not be how we have done it before. Please take the time and join us at one of these informal meetings to discuss your ideas.



MEETING DATES:

January 3, 2018, Noon - 2pm
January 18, 2018, 4pm - 6pm
January 27, 2018, 11am - 1pm

All events to be held at the Borough Assembly Room, 2nd floor of the Municipal Building.

Meeting format will be informal with Borough Staff available to answer questions if necessary. Participants will be invited to post their ideas on flip charts located throughout the room. Very informal, and hopefully a non-stress environment!

If you cannot attend the meeting, you can also submit your ideas electronically through email at Petersburgplan@petersburgak.gov. All ideas must come with contact information, so staff can follow up with any questions that may develop.

All submitted ideas will be reviewed by the Assembly, the appropriate Department Head and discussed at Public Meetings to be scheduled in March & April prior to any implementation.

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Notice of PIA Election

There shall be an election of the Petersburg Indian Association Board of Directors to be held January 8, 2018. The polling location will be at the ANB/ANS Hall. The voting poll will be open at 8am and will close at 7pm on Election Day.

The following seats will be up for election:

PIA Board Member: 3 - Two Year Terms
PIA Board Chair (President): 1 - One Year Term
JOM Parent Committee: 3 - Two Year Terms

All nominations or Declarations of Candidacy will be officially closed Friday, December 29, 2017 at 3:30pm.

Any eligible Tribal Members wishing to run as a write in candidate must send in a Letter of Intent by Tuesday, January 2, 2018 before 3:30pm.

A complete list of nominated candidates will be posted Thursday, January 4, 2018 in The Pilot, on piatribal.org, PIA's face book page and, as a PSA on KFSK radio.

For Declaration of Candidacy, Nomination for Candidate, Absentee Ballot by fax, or Absentee Ballot, Letter of Intent forms, questions, or to register, please contact Debbie Marden at the PIA office by calling (8am – 12pm/ 1pm – 5pm, Monday - Friday) at 772-3636, you can also email at piaelection@piatribal.org

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Douglas Leen

Project No. P-14862-000

NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE LICENSE APPLICATION, FILING OF PRE-APPLICATION DOCUMENT, AND APPROVING USE OF THE TRADITIONAL LICENSING PROCESS

(December 21, 2017)

- a. Type of Filing: Notice of Intent to File License Application and Request to Use the Traditional Licensing Process.
- b. Project No.: P-14862-000
- c. Date Filed: November 14, 2017
- d. Submitted By: Douglas Leen
- e. Name of Project: Kupeanof Microhydro Project
- f. Location: On an unnamed stream, in Petersburg Borough, Alaska. The project occupies 0.1 acres of United States lands administered by U.S. Forest Service.
- g. Filed Pursuant to: 18 CFR 5.3 of the Commission's regulations
- h. Potential Applicant Contact: Douglas Leen, P.O. Box 341, Petersburg, AK 99833; (907) 518-0335; mail@dougleen.com.
- i. FERC Contact: Ryan Hansen at (202) 502-8074; or e-mail at ryan.hansen@ferc.gov.
- j. Mr. Leen filed his request to use the Traditional Licensing Process on November 14, 2017. Mr. Leen provided public notice of his request on November 16, 2017. In a letter dated December 20, 2017, the Director of the Division of Hydropower Licensing approved Mr. Leen's request to use the Traditional Licensing Process.
- k. With this notice, we are initiating informal consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and/or NOAA Fisheries under section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and the joint agency regulations thereunder at 50 CFR, Part 402; and NOAA Fisheries under section 305(b) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act and implementing regulations at 50 CFR 600.920. We are also initiating consultation with the Alaska State Historic Preservation Officer, as required by section 106, National Historic Preservation Act, and the implementing regulations of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation at 36 CFR 800.2.
- l. Mr. Leen filed a Pre-Application Document (PAD; including a proposed process plan and schedule) with the Commission, pursuant to 18 CFR 5.6 of the Commission's regulations.
- m. A copy of the PAD is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's website (<http://www.ferc.gov>), using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov, (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in paragraph h.
- n. Register online at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp> to be notified via e-mail of new filing and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

**Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.**

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