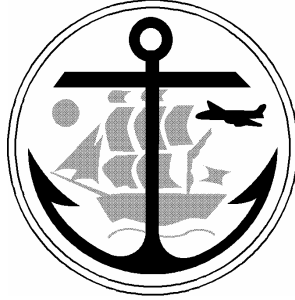


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Media Advisory

Highway Connection Project Seeks Public Opinion

Community involvement requested on project that will shape Anchorage's future

Mayor Mark Begich, Department of Transportation Central Region Director Gordon Keith and Dave Miller, Division Administrator with the Federal Highway Administration will meet at 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 29 at Fairview Recreation Center as the Executive Oversight Committee (EOC) for the Highway-to-Highway (H2H) project. The EOC will announce their appointees of a newly formed Citizens Advisory Committee.

The EOC was established to coordinate the project development process and to provide guidance to the H2H committees and staff on issues pertinent to the Highway project. The project is to construct a freeway connection between the Seward Highway and Glenn Highway. This project will improve traffic safety and relieve congestion through Anchorage and reconnect local neighborhoods.

Additionally, two identical public open houses will be held to identify community values and gather public opinion regarding the project. The meetings are focused on public interaction and listening and are open to the media.

5 – 8 p.m., Tuesday, July 29 at the Mountain View Community Center
5 – 8 p.m., Thursday, July 31 at the Fairview Elementary School

For more information, please visit www.highway2highway.com.

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