

Anchorage Municipal Code Citations

4.50.050 Geotechnical advisory commission.

- A. There is established a geotechnical advisory commission composed of nine members.
- B. Due consideration shall be given to technical qualifications. The director of planning shall function as an ex officio member of the commission, and shall serve as secretary to the commission.
- C. The commission shall act in an advisory capacity to the assembly, the mayor, and heads of executive departments, and shall have the following powers and duties:
 - 1. To make recommendations and give advice on geotechnical matters, including but not limited to revisions to the Anchorage coastal resources map.
 - 2. To make such special studies on geotechnical matters as may be designated from time to time.
 - 3. To act in an advisory capacity to the platting board and planning and zoning commission.
- D. The sunset provisions in section 4.05.150 shall not apply to this board.

(AO No. 62-75; AO No. 77-136; AO No. 88-36; AO No. 95-223, § 1, expires 1-20-1998; AO No. 99-7, § 1, 1-26-99, expires 1-20-02; AO No. 2001-189, § 2, expires 1-20-05; AO No. 2004-96, § 1, 6-8-04; AO No. 2011-64(S-1), § 4, 6-28-11; AO No. 2011-81, § 2, 8-30-11)

Cross reference(s)—Environmental protection, tit. 15; land use planning, tit. 21; building codes, tit. 23.

21.02.080 Geotechnical advisory commission.

- A. *Powers and duties.*
 - 1. The geotechnical advisory commission shall serve as a technical advisory board in the municipality.
 - 2. The commission shall act in an advisory capacity to the assembly, the mayor, boards, commissions, and heads of municipal departments and agencies, and shall have the following responsibilities:
 - a. To make recommendations and give advice on geotechnical engineering issues and natural hazards risk mitigation.
 - b. To recommend and review special studies relating to geotechnical engineering and natural hazards risk mitigation issues.
 - c. To act in an advisory capacity regarding proposed development located in high or moderate snow avalanche hazard zones, in areas designated with high or very high susceptibility to seismically induced ground failure, and in areas susceptible to other natural hazards.

(AO 2012-124(S), 2-26-13)