

**SENIOR CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
July 17, 2026 @ 11:00 am, in person and Teams**

Commissioners Present

Jim Bailey, Chair; Madeline Holdorf, Vice Chair, Gordon Glaser; Judy Atkins; Anne Tompkins

Commissioners Absent

Abi Haring-Brito, Excused; Suzanne Hickel, Excused

Guests:

Suzanne LaFrance, Mayor
Susanne Fleek-Green, Chief of Staff, Mayor's Office

Staff:

None from AHD – Excused due to short meeting notice
Marie Husa, Constituent Relations Director, Mayor's Office

Call to order:

Meeting started at 11:14 am

Summary of Discussion:

The commission requested the meeting to hear about the Mayor's priorities and identify areas where the commission can provide support.

The Mayor expressed that, per the MOA code, the commission advises both the Mayor and the Assembly, The Mayor encouraged the commission to let her know of issues affecting the senior citizens of Anchorage.

The Mayor encouraged the commission to speak with the Assembly's Legislative Office and invite Assembly members to their meetings. Marie will connect commission to Clare Ross.

Actions identified where the commission can express a position:

- Testify at assembly Meeting
- Passing a resolution

Adjournment:

Meeting adjourned at 11:50 am