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## **Alaska Historical Commission to Meet June 7**

**(Anchorage, AK)** – The Alaska Historical Commission will meet by Microsoft Teams on Tuesday, June 7, to hear updates on historic preservation activities, approve priorities for fiscal year 2022 Certified Local Government (CLG Grants), and consider proposals to name or change the name of certain geographical features.

The meeting will be from 12:30 pm to 4:00 pm and is open to the public via Microsoft Teams.

In addition to approving priorities for CLG grants, the Commission will consider seven Geographic Names proposals to name features in the Bristol Bay Borough, Kenai Peninsula, Chugach State Park, and the Aleutian Islands. Finally, the Commission will receive brief updates on recent historic preservation activities, including Secretarial Order 3404.

Any person or group wishing to address the Commission on the Geographic Names proposals or other historic preservation issues is invited to participate in the public comment session starting at 1:30 pm. Those wishing to comment or listen to the meeting must make arrangements in advance. Please email your request to [dnr.oha@alaska.gov](mailto:dnr.oha@alaska.gov).

The preliminary meeting agenda and Geographic Names proposals are posted on the Office of History and Archaeology website at [www.dnr.alaska.gov/parks/oha](http://www.dnr.alaska.gov/parks/oha). Members of the public may request a printed copy of the agenda by calling 907-269-8700, emailing [dnr.oha@alaska.gov](mailto:dnr.oha@alaska.gov), or writing to the Office of History and Archaeology, Alaska Department of Natural Resources, 550 W. Seventh Ave., Suite 1310, Anchorage, AK 99501-3565.

The Commission is the review board for the state's historic preservation program and Geographic Names. More information about the Commission is available at [www.dnr.alaska.gov/parks/oha](http://www.dnr.alaska.gov/parks/oha)

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