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Alaska Historical Commission to meet February 25

(Anchorage, AK) – The Alaska Historical Commission will meet in Anchorage, on Monday, February 25, 2019, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The meeting, open to the public, will be at the Atwood Building, 550 West 7th Ave., Room 102.

The commission will review grant applications for projects from Certified Local Governments (CLGs), and will consider proposals to name a lake near Sitka, a lake in Lake Clark National Park & Preserve, two peaks near Seward, and to change the officially recognized name for the community of Chenega. The commission will be given brief updates on historic preservation activities since its meeting in September 2018.

Any person or group wishing to address the Commission on the grant requests or geographic name proposals is invited to participate in the public comment session starting at 11:30 a.m. To comment by phone, arrangements must be made in advance by calling 907-269-8714.

The preliminary meeting agenda is posted at www.dnr.alaska.gov/parks/oha. A printed copy of the agenda can be requested by calling 907-269-8700, emailing dnr.oha@alaska.gov, or writing to the Office of History and Archaeology, Alaska Department of Natural Resources, 550 West 7th Ave., Suite 1310, Anchorage, AK 99501-3565. The geographic name proposals are available at www.dnr.alaska.gov/parks/oha.

The Alaska Historical Commission is the review board for the state's historic preservation program and for geographic names. More information about the commission is available at www.dnr.alaska.gov/parks/oha.

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