

Elise Sorum-Birk

From: Edward Day [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, July 17, 2026 8:10 AM
To: Elise Sorum-Birk
Subject: Re: Ports & Harbors Commission Attendance

Elise,
Apologies for the delay. I looked back thru my email and I've always responded to the emails for meetings. It also seems a portion of those meetings I responded I could attend were canceled. If there are others interested please pursue that avenue.

Regards,
Ed Day

From: Elise Sorum-Birk <ESorumBirk@ValdezAK.Gov>
Sent: Tuesday, June 30, 2026 11:34 AM
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Cc: Jeremy Talbott <JTalbott@ValdezAK.Gov>; Sheri Pierce <SPierce@ValdezAK.Gov>
Subject: Ports & Harbors Commission Attendance

Good Afternoon Edward-

I just wanted to reach out to touch base since you have not been able to attend most of the Ports & Harbors Commission meetings in the last year.

We absolutely understand that everyone gets busy and there is often a lot going on and just want to check-in and see where you are at with serving on the commission.

Regular attendance at meeting and work sessions is required under adopted Council policies and procedure and is expected of commissioners.

If you will be able to commit to regularly attending meetings for the final year of your term, it would make sense for you to continue to serve.

If not, we do have some other community members who have expressed interest and who want to be part of the commission.

Please let me know your thoughts.

Thank you so much,
Elise



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