

# Senior service directory published

The first complete listing of senior citizen information ever compiled for older Alaskans has just been published by Older Persons Action Group, Inc.

Copies of the 65-page pocket-sized "Directory for Older Alaskan Citizens" are available free to senior citizens residing in the state.

The directory contains statewide listings, community by community, of senior citizen organizations, senior centers and housing, senior activities, transportation and discounts.

Older Persons Action Group, Inc. is a statewide, non-profit membership organization headquartered in Anchorage. The initial edition was compiled and published by the OPAG staff under a state grant administered by the Division of Adult and Aging Services, Department of Health and Social Services.

Vera Gazaway, OPAG director, said the directory was the result of some six months of work by members of the organization's staff, which gathered and compiled information from

a variety of sources.

"A great deal of this information has never been available before to Alaska's senior citizens," she noted.

Gazaway said OPAG hoped to publish updated editions of the directory each year, but that this will depend on donations and support.

Senior citizens residing in Alaska can obtain individual copies of the directory by writing to: Older Persons Action Group, Inc., 325 East Third Avenue, Anchorage, AK 99501