

## 07 Resolutions

### Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals **Resolutions**

October 16, 2007  
Anchorage, Alaska

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Resolution #07-01

**Funding for Public Education**

WHEREAS, success as a school district and as a state in complying with Alaska's performance standards and the federal requirements of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA aka NCLB) and the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) requires funding sufficient to meet the requirements of law and the educational needs of our students; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals accept responsibility for raising student achievement for all students, and for the efficient and effective use of resources; and

WHEREAS, safe, efficient, and technologically appropriate infrastructure is an essential ingredient in achieving academic success; and

WHEREAS, academic achievement also depends on our schools having highly qualified and committed employees; and

WHEREAS, the failure to adjust the area cost differential threatens the integrity of the foundation formula program, the ability of many school districts to cope with higher operating and labor costs and the ability of districts to meet the 70% instructional expenditure requirement; and

WHEREAS, combined block grant funding for special education, bilingual education, gifted education, and vocational education programs is inappropriate because it fails to account for real differences among the costs of services for each student category; and

WHEREAS, appropriating an adequate amount of funding for education to allow all districts to bring their students to proficiency is the responsibility of policymakers; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals believe our policymakers must appropriate sufficient funding for our public schools to meet the requirements of the law and the educational needs of our students; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals request full funding of the area cost differential in FY09 based on the ISER study or incremental increases toward full funding as recommended by the Joint Legislative Education Funding Task Force, by beginning in FY09; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals believe any area cost differential should be accompanied by an increase to the base student allocation for all districts to better assure adequate funding for all districts regardless of the cost differential adjustment; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals believe that special education, bilingual, gifted education, and vocational education programs should be funded based on need.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-02

**Early Childhood Education**

WHEREAS, funding for public early childhood education is no longer available to Alaska's schools and families; and

WHEREAS, research is clear and consistent that the benefits for early childhood education are significant and important to the educational development of young children; and

WHEREAS, the children most impacted by the decision to eliminate funding for early childhood education are the least likely to find alternate educational programs; and

WHEREAS, early childhood education should be a priority of all Alaskans who desire to see educational improvements; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals support early childhood education and the funding of programs that will offer early education opportunities for all children.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-03

**Hold Harmless**

WHEREAS, school districts are negatively impacted by loss of funds due to decreased enrollment; and

WHEREAS, districts are not forward funded; and

WHEREAS, districts do not know actual State revenue until the first of November; and

WHEREAS, districts are required under current laws to notify tenured teachers of their contractual status by March 16; and

WHEREAS, districts are required under current laws to notify non-tenured teachers of their contractual status by the last day of the school term; and

WHEREAS, the loss of a school and/or decreased enrollment can have large, unexpected negative effects on the budget of the district; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals encourage the Legislature to establish hold harmless provisions similar to those previously in statute.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-04

**Funding for High Cost Special Education Services**

WHEREAS, Alaska's public schools desire to meet their legal and educational responsibilities to provide effective education for all students, regardless of severity of disability or location in the State; and

WHEREAS, these responsibilities include the obligation to provide services in the least restrictive placement and manner appropriate to the child; and

WHEREAS, recognizing the much higher costs of educating children with extreme needs, the Alaska School Foundation Program has long provided Intensive Services funding to defray higher costs; and

WHEREAS, even where provided, Intensive Services funding has not reflected actual excess costs in comparison to other special education programs; and

WHEREAS, the federal Individual with Disabilities Education Improvement Act (IDEA) requires that public schools enroll students with disabilities at age three; and

WHEREAS, preschool students with intensive needs who enroll after the October count date, and after State funding has become fixed, incur costs to a district that are not typical of other students enrolling after the count date; and

WHEREAS, other students with intensive needs who move into a district after the October count date pose a similar financial challenge; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals urge the Alaska State Legislature to adequately fund services for students with intensive needs separate from the existing block grant program; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals urge the Alaska State Legislature to both increase the multiplier used to allocate funding to students with intensive needs, and provide funding for all special education pre-school and K-12 students with intensive needs who enter a district past the count date.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-05

**Full Funding of TRS/PERS Employer Rate Increases**

WHEREAS, The Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) and the Teacher Retirement System (TRS) are both seriously under-funded, a problem the Legislature and the Governor have been aware of for many years; and

WHEREAS, if there is not continued relief from the State of Alaska, school districts will be required to issue layoff notices to hundreds of tenured certificated employees on or before March 15, 2008, forcing teachers and other public employees to move out of state if they wish to remain in their chosen profession, thereby causing a loss of experienced public employees and a long-lasting negative impact on the entire state; and

WHEREAS, placing the amortized cost of the TRS and PERS unfunded liability under a 25 year pay down schedule would be catastrophic to local governments, the state of Alaska, the University of Alaska and political subdivisions of the State; and

WHEREAS, the most immediate remedy to the pension liability will provide the greatest cost savings to the State; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals call on the Alaska Legislature to address the crisis in the state retirement systems as an early priority when the Twenty-sixth Alaska Legislature Legislative Session convenes in January 2008; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Alaska Legislature adopt and implement of SB 25 or a similar solution to provide a mechanism for bringing in new resources to deal with the under-funded liability; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the fiscal solution for the TRS and PERS liability cannot be used as a reason not to address the other significant financial needs faced by school districts.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-06

**Funding of TRS/PERS Employer Rate Increases for SESA and SERRC**

WHEREAS, the Special Education Service Agency (SESA) and the Southeast Regional Resource Center (SERRC), like the school districts they serve, are struggling to meet basic costs; and

WHEREAS, SESA in Statute 14.30.620 is required to participate in the TRS/PERS retirement programs; and

WHEREAS, SERRC was created in 1976 by the Alaska State Legislature by Statute 14.12.150, which states that SERRC is required to participate in the TRS/PERS retirement programs; and

WHEREAS, SESA and SERRC have not received legislative funding relief for their increased costs to TRS and PERS; and

WHEREAS, the continuing and new increases to PERS and TRS will require SESA and SERRC to reduce services to school districts; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals recommend that the State of Alaska include SESA and SERRC in any TRS/PERS funding solution.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-07  
**Funding Bond Debt Reimbursement and the Capital Improvement  
Program**

WHEREAS, the voters have supported several local and statewide bond initiatives for school construction and major maintenance; and

WHEREAS, the public was informed that local and statewide bond efforts would receive State support in the repayment of the bond effort; and

WHEREAS, the planning of construction projects and major maintenance efforts were carefully considered with anticipated budget information secured from a variety of sources, including information from the State of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, a reduction in the repayment schedule from the State of Alaska will adversely affect budgets and promises made to taxpayers at an extremely challenging time; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals support continuation of the current level of 60% and 70% debt reimbursement of voter approved bonds beyond November 30, 2008, and address equitably the needs of school districts that do not have to ability to bond locally.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-08

**Comprehensive Fiscal Plan**

WHEREAS, the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals include the educational and instructional leadership of public education in Alaska; and

WHEREAS, public education is a significant economic force throughout the State educating in excess of 133,000 students and employing more than 10,000 teachers, administrators and support personnel and responsible for more than one billion dollars; and

WHEREAS, the economic vitality of the State impacts education's ability to conduct the business of operating Alaska's schools and school districts; and

WHEREAS, AASA is eager to support a responsible and committed effort to address the fiscal challenges Alaska currently faces; and

WHEREAS, AASA believes Alaska needs a comprehensive fiscal plan to address the priorities of the State in relation to the available resources and desired services; and

WHEREAS, AASA believes that reform will require a long term approach including a combination of budget discipline, use of Permanent Fund earnings, revenues generated by a natural gas pipeline and natural resource development, and a contribution from all people who live and/or work in Alaska; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals support using earnings from the Permanent Fund as one part of a sound and responsible solution to increasing revenue to meet services and obligations of the State of Alaska, determining essential State services as provided in the State Constitution.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-09

**Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Funding**

WHEREAS, Alaska's public schools desire to meet their legal and educational responsibilities to provide effective education for all students, regardless of severity of disability or location in the State; and

WHEREAS, these responsibilities include the obligation to provide services in the least restrictive placement and manner appropriate to the child; and

WHEREAS, recognizing the much higher costs associated with educating children with special needs and that I.D.E.A. funding is crucial to support this effort; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals ask the Alaska Congressional Delegation to support full funding of I.D.E.A.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-10  
**Pupil Transportation Funding**

WHEREAS, the pupil transportation costs for school districts have escalated to new, all- time highs; and

WHEREAS, the competition for those contracts continues to decrease, and

WHEREAS, pupil transportation is an important part of overall school funding;  
and

WHEREAS, getting students safely to and from school is a vital part of public  
education; and

WHEREAS, school districts need adequate funds to address increased pupil  
transportation costs to ensure that they are not forced to use instructional funding  
to meet the costs of these obligations; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and  
Secondary School Principals request that the State of Alaska recalibrate the  
current funding formula and include an annual inflation factor.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School  
Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-11

**Workforce Development**

WHEREAS, the creation of and long-term commitment to a plentiful Alaskan workforce – educated and skilled for the occupations of the future – is a key to economic vitality; and

WHEREAS, workforce development is a lifelong process of preparing and placing people into jobs; and

WHEREAS, workforce development and economic development require quality and relevant education from preschool through technical training or college; and

WHEREAS, career and vocational education and training are integral components of the education provided by schools, especially at the middle school and high school levels; and

WHEREAS, a plan must be developed, based on a shared vision with key stakeholders that can be implemented in a phased approach over time; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals recognize workforce development opportunities and training are an integral part of education; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals support the involvement of educators in the process of identifying existing programs for improving workforce development opportunities, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals support adequate and equitable funding for career development opportunities for students at all grade levels while meeting the requirements of the High School Graduation Qualifying Exam (HSGQE) and demands of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA aka NCLB) and the Individual With Disabilities Act (IDEA).

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

## **New Resolutions**

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-12

### **Reducing Complications for Teacher Certification**

WHEREAS, school districts across the nation are experiencing teacher and administrator shortages, and

WHEREAS, Alaska school districts are finding it increasingly difficult to attract and retain quality certified teachers and administrators, and

WHEREAS, salaries in the lower forty-eight are approaching and in many instances exceeding Alaska's salaries for teachers and administrators, and

WHEREAS, living conditions in many Alaska communities do not compare to those in other parts of the United States, and

WHEREAS, Alaska's Teacher Retirement System is no longer a competitive draw to teachers from other states, and

WHEREAS, teacher certification requirements have become increasingly more complicated with video taping requirements and now with the possible addition of a reading course for all certified employees, and

WHEREAS, this has increased the bureaucracy causing prospective teachers to reconsider coming to Alaska, and

WHEREAS, this increased bureaucracy may cause currently certified Alaska teachers to retire early or exit the state,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals support all efforts of DEED to improve and streamline the certification process and opposes the implementation of any impediments, such as the video requirements, to securing a larger pool certified teachers.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-13

**UAA's Super Tuition for Ed Leadership Students**

WHEREAS, school districts across the nation are experiencing administrator shortages, and

WHEREAS, Alaska school districts are finding it increasingly difficult to attract and retain quality, certified administrators, and

WHEREAS, salaries in the lower forty-eight are approaching and in many instances exceeding Alaska's salaries for teachers and administrators, and

WHEREAS, living conditions in many Alaska communities do not compare to those in other parts of the United States, and

WHEREAS, Alaska's Teacher Retirement System is no longer a competitive draw for administrators from other states, and

WHEREAS, it has become apparent that some prospective administrators are discouraged from choosing school administration as a career field because of the super tuition rates charged by the UA system,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals oppose the University of Alaska Anchorage's added tuition charges for students enrolled in the Ed Leadership Programs.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-14  
**Retire/Rehire Provision Sunset**

WHEREAS, school districts across the nation are experiencing teacher/administrator shortages, and

WHEREAS, Alaska school districts are finding it increasingly difficult to attract and retain quality certified teachers and administrators, and

WHEREAS, salaries in the lower forty-eight are approaching and in many instances exceeding Alaska's salaries for teachers and administrators, and

WHEREAS, living conditions in many Alaska communities do not compare to those in other parts of the United States, and

WHEREAS, Alaska's Teacher Retirement System is no longer a competitive draw to teachers and administrators from other states, and

WHEREAS, Alaska's Retire Rehire law will sunset June 30, 2009, thus creating more vacancies,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals support continuation of the Retire Rehire provisions that have been in place.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast    AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-15

**OPPOSING MANDATED ALASKA READING COURSE**

WHEREAS 4 AAC 12.305(b), Teacher certification, and 4 AAC 12.405, Renewal of Certificate, would require *all* teachers and administrators, regardless of content, grade level, previously proven expertise, or current assignment, to successfully complete the Alaska Reading course or pass its assessments to receive or renew certification; and

WHEREAS it is unnecessarily burdensome for teachers and administrators who are already experts in teaching reading to have to take this course or the assessments and for teachers and administrators not directly involved in reading instruction to use their staff development time for reading instruction when their needs are different and more pressing; and

WHEREAS most elementary and secondary teachers, reading specialists, secondary language arts teachers and others have already received training on reading instruction in their university classes for teacher preparation; and

WHEREAS the logistics of administering the reading course and/or assessments to all certificated staff is an onerous commitment of time and resources that could better be spent elsewhere; and

WHEREAS test scores throughout the state show that reading is the most proficient of the skills tested by standard based assessments; and

WHEREAS the required staff development and district improvement plans already address strategies to improve reading scores where needed; and

WHEREAS the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals are concerned about the need to retain and recruit teachers and believes this requirement would deter some educators from continuing in their profession.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals do not support the proposed regulation.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-16  
**Support for Education Funding Taskforce**

WHEREAS there has always been division about how to conduct the state's business, and

WHEREAS there is often disagreement about how to fund public education, and

WHEREAS the Education Funding Taskforce included members of the legislature with varying opinions and diverse views,

WHEREAS the process was open and transparent and all school districts and the public had opportunity to provide input through testimony, and

WHEREAS the true costs of delivering education exceed the recommendations of the task force, and

WHEREAS a proposed solution would be using the task force recommendations for cost differential and intensive needs multipliers but phase in over a three year period, as well as a \$200 increase on the base student allocation per year, and

WHEREAS the associations recognize and are sensitive to the larger financial issues facing the state, and

WHEREAS the results of the task force represent a best effort to date to solve long-term education issues, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals recognize and appreciate the hard work, thorough deliberation, and the ability of the Education Funding Taskforce to make recommendations to the full legislature and the Governor that favor Alaska's children, even in the midst of those differences of opinion.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Associations urge, at the minimum, full implementation of the task force recommendations during the current legislative session.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast    AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-17  
**Work Ready/College Ready**

WHEREAS there is a need to promote and encourage work ready skills in elementary and secondary schools, and

WHEREAS there is an obvious urgency in the need to proceed with pre-vocational and vocational training and awareness on a state-wide basis, and

WHEREAS there is currently not enough resources from the state to provide all that is needed, and

WHEREAS a good deal of student contact time is currently expended in mandated state and federal tests and assessments, and

WHEREAS this direct student contact time is correlated to student achievement,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals appreciate the benefit of Work Ready/College Ready and WorkKeys, and support making the program and training available to districts, but oppose its mandated implementation.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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AAESP President, Barbara Nagengast

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AASSP President, Michael Perkins

Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
Resolution #07-18  
**Including Extra Curricular Activities as Instruction for Students**

WHEREAS extra curricular activities are an integral part of the education process in schools, and

WHEREAS there are valuable life lessons taught and learned through participation in extra curricular activities, and

WHEREAS the costs of providing a well rounded extra curricular program have significantly increased over recent years primarily due to heightened transportation costs.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals respectfully request that the costs of extra curricular activities be included in the instructional side of the 70/30 requirement.

Adopted by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School Principals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

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ADDENDUM:

Record of Passed Resolutions by the Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary Principals

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