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Re: Resignation from NSBSD School Board, Seat A

Please accept this letter as formal notice of my resignation from the North Slope Borough School District, Board of Education effective upon acceptance at the Special Meeting on December 4, 2024. On November 30th results from the general election were certified and I have been elected to serve on the State House of Representatives for District 40 representing the North Slope and Northwest Arctic regions in the Legislature.

It's truly been the greatest honor to serve as a Board Member, Clerk and President on the North Slope Borough School District Board of Education for the last 4 years.

I'm incredibly proud of the work we've been able to accomplish:

- Stabilizing the district Administration
- Putting the Iñupiaq Language, Culture and Worldview in the forefront of our mission and vision, and developing our Maṅṅuqput, our foundational statement in Iñupiat first!
- Restarted the Uqautiluṅa Iñupiatun, Iñupiaq Immersion Program
- Developing our Pedagogy, the 'how' we implement the Iñupiaq Learning Framework
- Increased capacity of Iñupiat Language offerings by adding positions in our schools
- Implementing interventionists focused on academic growth
- Revised our mission/vision with the goal to produce bilingual speakers

Among so many other amazing accomplishments across the District. I could not be more humbled to have served with such a great Board and Administration. I look forward to continuing to advocate for education and for our children's future, in a slightly different capacity.

Tavrallak!



Robyn Niayuq Burke