

## Alaska School Broadband Assistance Grant Agreement FY2021

This agreement is made and entered into this fourth day of June 2020, by and between the **Alaska State Library**, referred to as the Grantor; and the **North Slope Borough School District**, referred to as the Grantee. Whereas, the State of Alaska has appropriated funds for school broadband assistance grants (School BAG); and whereas, the application of the Grantee for a School BAG award has been approved. NOW THEREFORE and in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained the parties hereto agree as follows:

The Grantor (Alaska State Library) will agree to:

1. Furnish funds in the amount of **\$321,600.00** for broadband assistance to help bring circuits or connections that serve students in the schools specified below up to 25 Mbps download during E-rate funding year 2020, July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021.
2. Schools to receive these funds include: **Nunamiut School, Meade River School, Harold Kaveolok School, Kali School, Kita Learning Center**

The Grantee (School District) will agree to:

1. Seek reimbursement from the FCC Universal Service Fund for E-rate discounts for 25 mbps to support each of these same School BAG circuits/connections.
2. Work with the internet service provider serving each school to monitor download broadband services and costs.
3. Expend school district funds for broadband for each of the schools as specified in the district's School BAG application.
4. Expend School BAG funds only for services that help bring circuits or connections that serve students in the specified schools up to 25 Mbps download speeds during FY2021.
5. Abide by the conditions set forth in Alaska Statutes 14.03.126; Alaska Administrative Code 4.33.600 to 4.33.690, and the School BAG application.
6. Submit an estimated year-end report on a form provided by the Grantor by April 15, 2021.
7. Maintain accurate records for auditing purposes.
8. Return any School BAG funds unexpended or unencumbered by June 30, 2021 to the Grantor by July 30, 2021.

The source of funding for this agreement is as follows:

**State Sources**

**\$321,600.00**

By accepting this award or agreement, the grantee may become subject to the audit requirements of State of Alaska Administrative Code 2 AAC 45.010. The grantee may be required to provide for an audit and to permit independent auditors to have access to their records and financial statements. The grantee should consult with an independent auditor for assistance in determining audit requirements for each fiscal year.

**The undersigned understands and agrees to the conditions of this agreement. Both signatures required.**

**Information Technology or Business Manager**

**Superintendent**

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Signature

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**PLEASE MAKE A PHOTOCOPY OF THE SIGNED AGREEMENT FOR YOUR RECORDS AND  
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P.O. BOX 110571, JUNEAU AK, 99801 OR SCAN A COPY TO: JANET.MADSEN@ALASKA.GOV**