



NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

MEMORANDUM

TO: Qaiyaan Harcharek, President
Members of the School Board

FROM: Rich Carlson, Superintendent

FROM: Chelsie Overby, Board Secretary

DATE: August 31, 2021

SUBJECT: Association of Alaska School Boards
Resolutions

Memo No: SB22-026
(Action Item)

NSBSD Strategic Plan Goal:

2.0 Community Engagement: Foster collective responsibility, commitment, and trust between the school and community.

4.0 Financial & Operational Stewardship: Effectively employ our operational and financial resources to support our strategic goals and long-term stability of the district.

Issue Summary:

The Association of Alaska School Boards (AASB) is soliciting resolutions, resolution amendments, and comments from local school boards for consideration at the 2021 Annual Conference on November 4-7, 2021 in the Anchorage Hilton Hotel. The resolution committee will meet virtually on Thursday, November 4, 2021. This will then be adopted by the membership at the Delegate Assembly on November 7, 2021. These resolutions guide AASB for the coming year in the upcoming legislative session.

Any resolutions, resolution amendments, and comments from local school boards must be submitted by October 5, 2021 by midnight. These submissions from across the state will be available for review beginning Saturday, October 16, 2020, 20 days before the annual conference.

AASB asks each school board to carefully review the resolutions packet and advance only those resolutions or amendments that they deem necessary. The AASB Board of Directors recommended two new resolutions:

(New) 1.13 Land Acknowledgement; and

(New) 3.30 Safe and Inclusive Learning Environments for LGBTQ+ Students.

For renewal, AASB is recommending all but one resolution that is scheduled to sunset. This is Resolution 5.14, Recognition of the True and Improving High School Graduation Rate.

An AASB 2020 Resolution Process and Timeline is included.

Recommendation:

The Legislative Committee recommends amending Resolution 3.7, Cooperation Among Service Providers Serving Children, to allow public health to share relevant information regarding COVID

in the sense that exceptions may be made when disclosures are made to protect the health or safety of others in an emergency/pandemic.

Background:

All submissions of comments, new resolutions or amended resolutions will be submitted digitally via google form by October 5, 2021, 20 days prior to the Resolution Committee. Only the title and resolution are voted on by the AASB membership, not the rationale. To comment on or put forward suggested resolution changes, AASB requests your board schedule time to discuss the resolutions at a regular meeting and vote by official board action. This was done during the Legislative Committee meeting on August 31, 2021 and this work session.

Encl.

Resolution Amendment: 3.7 Cooperation Among Service Providers Serving Children
Resolution Process and Timeline
2021 Table of Sun setting Resolutions
2022 Where We Stand draft #1

Proposed Motion:

“I move that the NSBSD Board of Education approve AASB Resolution Amendment to 3.7, Cooperation Among Service Providers Serving Children, to be brought forward for consideration by the Resolution Committee at the AASB Annual Conference on November 4, 2021.”

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____

Advisory Vote _____ Vote _____