

NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT MEMORANDUM

TO: Nancy Rock, President

Members of the School Board

THROUGH: Rich Carlson, Interim Superintendent

FROM: Fadil Limani, Chief Financial Officer

DATE: January 27, 2022

SUBJECT: Donation Acceptance: ASRC Student Activities Memo No: SB22-134

(Action Item)

2020-2025 Strategic Plan Goal:

1.0 STUDENT SUCCESS: All students will reach their intellectual potential and achieve academic success through integrating Iñupiaq knowledge systems into the core content areas and focusing on the development of the Whole Child.

1.7 STUDENT WELLBEING: Support the physical, nutritional, mental, and social-emotional health of all students.

2.2 COMMUNITY IN THE SCHOOL: Include Elders, parents and community members in school academics and activities and utilize community resources and expertise in learning.

2.4 STUDENTS & STAFF IN COMMUNITY: Facilitate staff involvement in community and village events and integrate student community projects into unit development to foster the spirit of volunteerism.

4.0 FINANCIAL & OPERATIONAL STEWARDSHIP: Effectively employ our operational and financial resources to support our strategic goals and long-term stability of the district.

4.2 FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP/MANAGEMENT: Ensure financial management based on what is best for our students.

Issue Summary:

As prescribed in Board Policy 3290, the School Board greatly appreciates the support of community members and may accept suitable donations on behalf of the district. In order for the gift to be acceptable, the gift, grant or donation must satisfy the criteria 1 thru 7. Upon acceptance by the district, all gifts, grants, and bequests shall become district property. At the Superintendent or designee's discretion, a gift may be used at a particular school.

Background:

The School District has been in need of live stream equipment for the student activities for all the schools across the slope. The pandemic has provided logistical challenges for the parents and community members to travel and participate in person to support their children and the schools with their student activities. Over the last several months, the School District's Athletic Director in conjunction with the School District's CFO has been in communication with ASRC, specifically the Community Development group in an effort to provide financial support for procuring of cameras and other live stream equipment.

With the assistance of the IT Department, the School District was able to spec some of the equipment and provided few options to ASRC for consideration. After their approval, the School District procured the equipment and has been taking delivery and currently has setup the live-steam equipment at BHS.

After the trial run at the BHS, IT has determined additional equipment needed in order for the equipment to be broadcasted through KBRW. We anticipate getting the additional parts very soon and will be able to deploy such equipment to the rest of the school sites.

Funding Source of the Contribution:

This initiative is funded by the Arctic Slope Regional Corporation in the amount of \$28,239.80 for all of the schools within our District.

Proposed Motion:

	oard of Education approve and accept the ASRC Contribution surrounding ream equipment in the amount of \$28,239.80".
Moved by	Seconded by