



**NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**M E M O R A N D U M**

**TO:** Robyn Burke, President  
Members of the School Board

**THROUGH:** David Vadiveloo, Chief School Administrator 

**FROM:** Chelsie Overby, Board Secretary

**DATE:** September 7, 2023

**SUBJECT:** Association of Alaska School Boards (AASB)  
Carl Rose Governance Award

**Memo No. SB24-031  
(Action Item)**

**NSBSD Strategic Plan Goal:**

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

**Issue Summary:**

The Board may choose to nominate a member of the NSBSD Board of Education to the Association of Alaska School Boards for the Carl Rose Governance Award for consideration by the AASB Awards Committee to be presented at the Annual Conference held November 9-12, 2023 during the awards banquet.

The Carl Rose Governance Award is designed to recognize the nominee’s commitment, dedication, and accomplishments as a locally elected school board member. In order to be eligible, a nominee must have served on their local board for at least four consecutive years; and must serve on a member board in good standing of AASB. Qaiyaan Harcharek, Nora Jane Burns, Madeline Hickman, and Nancy Rock are eligible to be nominated for their years on this School Board.

Qaiyaan Harcharek: Term 2014-Current, 9 years – Master Level  
Burns, Nora Jane: Term 2015-Current, 8 years – Master Level  
Hickman, Madeline: Term 2018-Current, 5 years – Master Level  
Rock, Nancy: Term 2019-Current, 4 years – Master Level

The deadline for nomination submissions is October 13, 2023.

**Background:**

The AASB Board of Directors honored Carl Rose in 2013 by naming the organization’s leadership training program for school board members for him after his retirement. Mr. Rose was the Executive Director of AASB from 1987 until 2013. During those 26 years, he participated in every major education debate and reform in K-12 education, and reshaped AASB into a full-service, state-wide non-profit organization whose motto is, “Advocates for Alaska’s Youth.”

**Proposed Motion:**

“I move to nominate board member \_\_\_\_\_ for consideration of the Association of Alaska School Boards Carl Rose Governance Award.”

Motion by \_\_\_\_\_ Seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

Advisory Vote \_\_\_\_\_ Vote \_\_\_\_\_