



## NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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

**TO:** Roxanne Brower, President  
Members of the School Board

**THROUGH:** Stewart McDonald, Superintendent

**THROUGH:** Linda Saito, Assistant Superintendent

**FROM:** Liz Noble, Director of Curriculum & Instruction

**DATE:** March 20, 2018

**SUBJECT:** Resolution 18-05 Supporting National Library Week  
April 8-14, 2018

**MEMO#:** SB18-154  
(Action Item)

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#### **NSBSD Strategic Plan Goal:**

**Goal 2:** Qargi/Community Spirit: Fostering the reclamation and recovery of the responsibility each one of us has for living the Iñupiaq values and being accountable at the personal and community levels for “walking the talk,” embodying the QARGI spirit and commitment to education.

**Objective:** 2.1 Students & Staff in Community: Facilitate staff involvement in community and village events and integrate community projects into unit developments to “foster the spirit of volunteerism.”

#### **Recommendation:**

**Adopt a Resolution Supporting National School Library Week.**

#### **Issue Summary:**

The American Library has announced National Library Week across the United States.

#### **Background:**

The North Slope Borough School District is encouraged to participate in the National Library Week. The American Library Association encourages school districts to celebrate and participate in National Library Week activities and recognize Librarians and library programs during the week of April 8-14, 2018.

The North Slope Borough School District has Library Paraprofessionals and Library Technicians located at the following sites: Nunamiut School, Matt Regan and Katie Fry, Barrow High School, Susan Dunbar, Fred Ipalook Elementary School, Veronica Gandia, Meade River School, Ronald Itta, Hopson Middle School, Patricia Henrie, Harold Kaveolook School, Kimberly Kaleak, Kali School, Christine Lampe, Tikigaaq School, Molly Lane and Eviqsiq Sears. The District has a strong partnership with Ilisaġvik College in providing library resources to both schools and communities. It is fitting that the district celebrates the partnership and the benefit of libraries to our students and citizens through celebrating National Library Week.

**Motion:**

“I move that the NSBSD Board of Education adopt Resolution 18-05, SB18-154, A Resolution Supporting National Library Week from April 8-14, 2018.”

Motion by \_\_\_\_\_ Seconded by \_\_\_\_\_  
Advisory Vote \_\_\_\_\_ Vote \_\_\_\_\_