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DATE: April 16, 2007
TO: Board of Education
FROM: Tim Peterson, Director, Human Resources
THROUGH: Glen Szymoniak, Assistant Superintendent
SUBJECT: Approval of Resignations— Item 10 a (1)

It is recommended the following resignations be approved effective the end of the 2006-07 school year:

Sharyn Lee Harris-Super	Special Ed/Resource	Homer High
Ned Clouten	Science	Nikiski Middle/High
Kaye Lawson	Occupational Therapist	Sterling Elementary
Chris Cowans	Grade 5	Tustumena

Ned M. Clooten

April 3, 2007

Tim Peterson
Director of Human Resources
Kenai Peninsula Borough School District
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Dear Mr. Peterson:

It is with great regret that I submit my resignation from the position of Nikiski Jr/Sr High Science teacher. My family and I are pursuing a job closer to family in the lower 48.

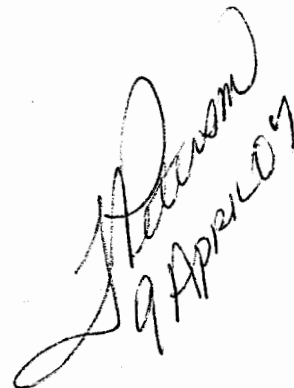
Thank you for the opportunities for professional and personal development that you have provided me during the last five years. I have enjoyed working for KPBSD and appreciate the support provided me during my tenure with the District.

If I can be of any help during this transition, please let me know.

Sincerely,



Ned Clooten



3/30/07

To: Personnel
From: Kaye Lawson

This is to inform the KPBSD that I will be retiring at the end of this school year, the 2006-2007 year. I will not be signing my contract for the coming year, the 2007-2008 year.

Kaye Lawson



March 28, 2007

Donna Peterson, Superintendent
Kenai Peninsula Borough School District
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Dear Dr. Peterson,

It has been my great pleasure to work in the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District for the past eighteen years. I have so many good memories of the six years I spent teaching at the Susan B. English School in Seldovia, and the twelve years I have now spent at Homer High School. However, at this point in my life I feel it is time to make a change. I have been offered a position with the Heritage Adoption Agency, which is the agency I used when I adopted my daughter in January 2000; therefore, I am tendering my resignation effective at the end of the 2006-2007 academic year.

I will always be grateful for the time spent working with the educational community on the Kenai, and I look forward to continuing to work with teachers and administrators as a parent. Although I am retiring, my husband and I will remain in this area, and we would like for our daughter to graduate from high school here.

The decision to leave education has definitely been a difficult and bittersweet one. I will miss many people, but look forward to making new friends and having new experiences in the field of international adoptions. Thank you again for your support and for the opportunity to work with the KPBSD these many years!

Sincerely,

Sharyn Lee Harris-Super
Homer High School Special Education

3-28-2007

Dear Mr. Peterson,

My principal, Mr. Halverson, informed me today to write a resignation letter at your request. I will be resigning from the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District at the completion of the 2006 - 2007 school year in May. My father's death at the end of this past year and my mother's fragile health has persuaded me to move closer to my family. I plan to continue in the education field. I have enjoyed my years working at Tustumena Elementary School. The people that I have worked with there are top-notch teachers, leaders, friends, and peers. I will miss working with such a dedicated group of individuals in educating our youth. Thank you and have a good day.

Best Regards,

Chris Cowans

Chris Cowans
5th grade teacher
Tustumena Elementary School

*Mr. Peterson
28 MARCH 2007*