
Kenai Peninsula Borough School District

Board of Education Meeting News In Brief

November 6, 2006 – 7:00 p.m.
Dr. Donna Peterson, Superintendent

Seward High School
2100 Swetmann, Seward, Alaska

SCHOOL REPORT: Ms. Ginger Blackmon, Seward High School principal, gave a PowerPoint presentation highlighting the school 2006-2007 goals and vision, the Upward Bound program, student performances, college fair participation, SAT/ACT information, community support, and sports program accomplishments.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: Dr. Peterson reported that she spoke at the Seldovia Chamber of Commerce. She announced that the District received recognition from the Alaska Department of Education regarding enrollment information and the highly qualified teacher data base. She reported that she will act as the Borough Mayor's representative for the Anti-Gang and Youth Violence Summit in Anchorage.

CLASS SIZE REPORT: Mr. Sam Stewart presented the Class Size Enrollment Report that included a comparison of pupil-teacher ratios throughout District schools.

LONG-TERM SUBSTITUTE TEACHER CONTRACTS: The Board unanimously approved substitute teacher contracts for Laurie Kempf, Special Education, resource, Sears Elementary; Zada Friedersdorff, language arts, Soldotna Middle; and Linda Vroman, Special Education, resource, Sterling Elementary.

RESIGNATIONS: The Board unanimously approved resignations from Dan Roach, Grade 1, Aurora Borealis Charter; Marsha Gustkey, Grade 3, Mt. View Elementary; and Sandra J. Miller, Algebra/Geography, Soldotna High.

ELECTED OFFICIALS WITHDRAWAL FROM PERS: The Board approved substitute language for the earlier postponed Resolution 06-07-2, Authorizing the Exclusion of Elected Officials of the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District in the Public Employees' Retirement System of Alaska Pursuant to AS 39.35. The Board postponed action on the resolution.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: The next regularly scheduled School Board Meeting is Monday, November 20, 2006, 7:00 p.m., Borough Administration Building, Soldotna, Alaska.

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