



# KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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## Resolution 99-00-9

### A Resolution to Support Funding for the Magazine, Newspapers and More Online Resource

**WHEREAS** the Magazines, Newspapers and More Online Resource provides access to indexes and the full text of many magazines, newspapers, and reference books to Alaskan schools, libraries, and individuals with Internet access,

**AND WHEREAS** Magazines, Newspapers, and More is an effective and efficient use of funds, giving Alaskans access to rich, diverse, important, and authoritative information that is not otherwise available on the Internet,

**AND WHEREAS** the cost of this information is prohibitive for virtually all schools and libraries in the state (an individual subscription would cost more than the entire book budgets of 75 of the 85 public libraries in Alaska),

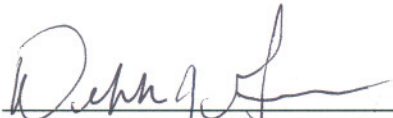
**AND WHEREAS** by working together as a state we have greater influence with vendors and can negotiate more favorable prices,

**AND WHEREAS** Alaskans need business, medical, consumer, and educational information that is reliable and current,


**AND WHEREAS** Magazines, Newspapers and More can be searched in ways that are understandable and appropriate for children, high school students, and adults,

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District Board of Education encourages the Alaska Legislature to support funding for the Magazine, Newspapers and More online resource included in the University of Alaska capital budget request.

Passed February 7, 2000

  
Deborah Germano, President  
Board of Education  
Kenai Peninsula Borough School District

ATTEST:

  
Sally Tachick  
Notary Public, State of Alaska  
Commission Expires: 7/25/01

