

### KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

### **Planning & Operations**

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

To: Dr. Donna Peterson, Superintendent

Board of Education

Through: Dave Jones, Asst. Superintendent

Kenai Peninsula Borough School District

From: Dave Spence, Director, Planning and Operations

Kenai Peninsula Borough School District

Subject: Resolution 08-09-4 approving the transfer of 5 AWG buses

Prior to the 2006 Arctic Winter Games, the Kenai Peninsula Borough received funding for the purchase of 22 activity buses through the Federal Transit Administration (FTA). After the games ended, these buses were sent out to schools to provide student transportation with school activities. However, not all 22 buses are currently being utilized.

To ensure these assets are made available to qualifying agencies that may also have transportation needs, the School District and the Borough are jointly requesting the support from both the Board of Education and the Borough Assembly to transfer ownership of five (5) of these AWG buses to the Kenaitze Indian Tribe for use in their new transportation program.

Thank you.

Attachment: Resolution 08-09-4

#### KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

#### **RESOLUTION 08-09-4**

# A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE TRANSFER OF FIVE SCHOOL ACTIVITY BUSES TO THE KENAITZE INDIAN TRIBE

- **WHEREAS,** preparations for the 2006 Arctic Winter Games included a request for federal funding to purchase school activity buses to be used during the games and subsequently distributed to various schools for transportation of students for afterschool activities; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Borough received a grant award from the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Transit Administration ("FTA"), in the amount of \$1,456,311 to purchase 15 to 22 small passenger buses; and
- WHEREAS, a total of 22 school activity buses were purchased and provided to the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District ("School District") upon completion of the 2006 Arctic Winter Games; and
- **WHEREAS,** the School District has notified the Borough that they are not able to fully utilize all of the buses and wish to dispose of five buses to another agency that has a greater need; and
- **WHEREAS**, the FTA has indicated that the buses may be transferred to another FTA grant recipient; and
- **WHEREAS,** the administration contacted the five eligible recipients within the Kenai Peninsula Borough to determine their desire to receive the buses and only one replied with a positive response; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Kenaitze Indian Tribe has indicated a desire to receive the buses for implementation of their new transportation program; and
- **WHEREAS,** it is in the best interest of the Borough and School District to dispose of five school activity buses to the Kenaitze Indian Tribe;

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION:

**SECTION 1**. That 5 of the 22 buses purchased with FTA funds are no longer required for providing transportation services for after-school activities.

**SECTION 2.** That the mayor is authorized to dispose of five school activity buses to the Kenaitze Indian Tribe in accordance with the federal requirements for disposition of equipment purchased with federal funds. The five buses to be transferred are identified as follows:

	Vehicle Identification	Remaining Federal Interest
	Number	
1	1T88J4E2871280321	\$48,572.21
2	1T88J4E2571280325	\$48,572.21
3	1T88J4E2071280328	\$48,572.21
4	1T88J4E2971280330	\$48,572.21
5	1T88J4E2471280333	\$48,572.21

**SECTION 3.** This resolution shall become effective immediately upon enactment.

# ADOPTED BY THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION THIS DATE OF 1 JUNE 2009.

Sammy Crawford, President
Kenai Peninsula Borough School District
Board of Education

ATTEST:
Sally Tachick
Notary Public, State of Alaska
My Commission Expires 07/25/09