Kenai Peninsula Borough School District Board of Education Meeting News In Brief

October 3, 2005 – 7:00 p.m.Seward High School, 2100 SwetmannDr. Donna Peterson, SuperintendentSeward, Alaska

AWARDS AND PRESENTATIONS: The Board presented the parents of Miss Kylee Adelmann (in her absence) with the Spirit of Youth Award Nomination Certificate for volunteering at the local teen center and as a promoter of healthy activities for her peers.

SCHOOL REPORT: Mr. John Cote reported on transition plans to the new Seward Middle School facility.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: Dr. Peterson reported that the Site Council and Parent Training was held on September 15. She reported that the administration continues to visit schools, especially small schools where there is new staff. She reported that the District Student Government Conference was held on Tuesday, September 27. She reported that the Arctic Winter Games organization recently hired Shawn Maltby as the Care and Comfort Manager. She reported that an Arctic Winter Games volunteer rally will be held on Saturday, October 8. She reported that the High School Graduation Qualifying Exam is being given this week.

FY05 COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT: Mrs. Douglas presented the FY05 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE-CERTIFIED: The Board unanimously approved an unpaid certified leave of absence request for Dale Moon, Curriculum and Assessment, effective October 3, 2005 through the remainder of the 2005-2006 school year.

NEW TEACHER ASSIGNMENTS: The Board unanimously approved teaching assignments for Maryvonne Guillemin, (temporary) foreign language teacher, Homer High School; Marcia Lee, (temporary) librarian, .50 FTE Homer Middle/.50 FTE Homer High; Katharine Bynagle, secondary generalist, Nanwalek School; and Lacey Wisniewski, (temporary) secondary generalist, Port Graham School.

RESOLUTION 05-06-2: The Board unanimously approved a list of primary and alternative members in charge of gaming for those schools applying for gaming permits for FY06.

APPOINTMENT OF STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION: The Board unanimously approved the appointment of Miss Kelly King, a Soldotna High School student, as the student representative to the Board of Education.

RESIGNATION: The Board unanimously approved the resignation of Judy Graham, special education/emotionally handicapped, Soldotna Elementary.

BUDGET TRANSFERS: The Board unanimously approved Budget Transfer Number 49 to purchase software for the Connections Program and Budget Transfer Number 53 to pay for pavement removal and replacement at Aurora Borealis Charter School.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE-SUPPORT: The Board unanimously approved an unpaid leave of absence request for support personnel Robert Klunder, custodian, Soldotna High School, effective September 28, 2005 through the remainder of the 2005-2006 school year.

APPROVAL OF AASB NOMINATION: The Board unanimously approved the nomination of Mrs. Debra Mullins to the Board of Directors of the Association of Alaska School Boards.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: The next regularly scheduled School Board Meeting is Monday, October 17, 2005, 7:00 p.m., Borough Administration Building, Soldotna, Alaska.

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