KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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SCHOOL BOARD COMMUNICATION													
Title:	Арр	roval of	New Teacher Contracts										
Date:	Octo	ber 17,	2011		Item Nu		10 a. (3)						
Administrator: Tim Peterson, Director, Human Resources Through: Dave Jones, Assistant Superintendent Attachments:													
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X Action	Needed	For Di	scussion	Information	Other:								
BACKGROU	JND INFORM	ATION											
RESIDENCE	NAME	DEGREE	INSTITUTION	MAJOR	ATC	EXP	ASSIGN						
Cloquet, MN	Heidi Berg	B.S.	University of Wisconsin	Elementary Education	K-12 Special Ed-Learning Disability; K-12 Special Ed- Emotionally Disturbed; GR 1-6 Elementary Education		Special Education Intensive Needs Teacher, Nikiski North Star Elementary School						
North Muskegon, MI	Justin Derks	B.S.	Grand Valley State University, North Muskegon, Michigan	Biology	GR 6-12 Biology; GR 6-12 Chemistry	====	Generalist – Teacher/Advisor, Connections Program						
Big Lake, MN	Jordana Engebretsen	M.S.	Bemidji State University, Bemidji, Minnesota	Special Education	Birth- GR 12 Special Education- Visually Handicapped	1 state	Special Education Visually Impaired Teacher, Kenai Middle School						
Soldotna, AK	Tiffany Gray	M.S.Ed.	Western Oregon University, Monmouth, Oregon	Reading	Pre K-8 Elementary Education; Pre K-12 English as a Foreign Language	====	Temporary 1 st Grade Teacher, Sterling Elementary School						
Nikiski, AK	Callie Hruby	B.S.	University of South Dakota, Vermillion, South Dakota	Special Education	GR K-12 Special Education; GR K-8 Elementary Education	====	Special Education Resource Teacher, Nikiski Middle/High School						

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Kodiak, AK	Thor Jones	B.S.	Montana State University, Bozeman, Montana	Elementary Education	GR K-8 Elementary Education	====	Intermediate Grade Teacher, Nikiski North Star Elementary School
Homer, AK	Jon Kulhanek	M.Ed.	University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota	Early Childhood Education	Pre K-GR 3 Early Childhood Education	====	.50 FTE, Primary Grade Teacher, Fireweed Academy
Soldotna, AK	Emily Mayberry	B.S.	Illinois College, Jacksonville, Illinois	Elementary Education	GR K-8 Elementary Education; GR 5-8 Social Studies; GR 5-8 Language Arts	1 AK	Temporary 1 st Grade Teacher, Nikiski North Star Elementary
Anchorage, AK	Margo McKay	MAT	University of Alaska Anchorage, Anchorage, Alaska	Education	GR 7-12 Social Studies	====	Social Studies Teacher, Kenai Central High School
Fairbanks, AK	John Morton	MFA	University of Alaska Fairbanks, Fairbanks, Alaska	Art	GR K-12 Art	3 states	Art Teacher, Kenai Central High School
Redmond, OR	Taj Smith	B.A.	Western Governors University, Salt Lake City, Utah	Special Education	GR K-6 Elementary Education; GR K-12 Special Ed- Cognitively Impaired	====	Special Education Resource Teacher, Soldotna Montessori
Tualatin, OR	Elizabeth Wallin	MAT	Concordia University, Portland, Oregon	Early Childhood/Elementary Education	Pre K-GR 8 Elementary Education	====	3 rd Grade Teacher, Mountain View Elementary School

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the above referenced new teacher contracts be approved. The above assignments are tentative.