Sharon Geeslin Golden Apple Award Recipient February 19, 2007

Sharon Geeslin is a retired school district employee; having joined the District in 1977 and retired in 1999, many of Sharon's contributions to the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District continue today. It is Sharon's generous spirit that sets her apart from the crowd. Her work ethic is exceeded only by her good humor. She tackles tough jobs with determination and she doesn't quit until the task is finished.

During her tenure with the District, Sharon was head secretary at Sterling Elementary School and served the last nine years of her District employment as the administrative assistant to the assistant superintendent of business and operations. She acted as the liaison between District Office and school secretaries in meeting the needs of students' districtwide. Her work on the budget document was instrumental in the District receiving the Association of School Business Official's prestigious Meritorious Budget Award. Her work remains the basis of the budget document today.

Sharon's service to our community is exemplified in her work through Soroptomists International of the Kenai Peninsula. She was the driving force behind the Young Women's Conference – 1995 was the first year this conference was held; 37 attended that year. This year 140 young ladies in grades 6 through 12, from around the Kenai Peninsula, will attend the Young Women's Conference.

Please join us, the Board of Education, in honoring Sharon Geeslin with a Golden Apple Award in recognition of her service to our schools, the local community, and particularly the young women of the Kenai Peninsula.