

**A RESOLUTION OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY REAFFIRMING ITS AUTHORITY
FOR FINAL APPROVAL OF SCHOOL DESIGNS**

WHEREAS, the Assembly through AR 82-276 specifically delegated "the responsibility for all major rehabilitation, all construction and major repair of school buildings" to the School District; and

WHEREAS, the accompanying AM 1113-82 specifically states "Since construction is now primarily administered by construction management firms, it would seem appropriate for the Municipality to delegate to the School District its role in school construction."; and

WHEREAS, AS 14.14.060(i) provides authority for the municipality to delegate duties to the school district "Notwithstanding (e) and (f) of this section, a borough assembly and a borough school board may divide the duties imposed under (e) and (f) of this section by agreement between the borough assembly and borough school board."; and

WHEREAS, AS 14.14.060(f) addresses responsibilities for "all major rehabilitation, all construction and major repair of school buildings"; and

WHEREAS, AS 14.14.060(e) addresses responsibilities for school design and states that "(t)he school board shall submit preliminary and subsequent designs for a school building to the assembly for approval or disapproval"; and

WHEREAS, in 1982, the Assembly delegated the construction of schools but not final approval of school design to the School District and has not made such a delegation of duties since that time; and

WHEREAS, in March of 2000, the Anchorage School Board approved design plans for the new South East Anchorage High School.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Anchorage Municipal Assembly Resolves.

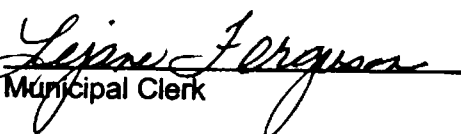
Section 1: That as provided for under Alaska State law, all Anchorage school designs must be approved by the Assembly prior to being sent in final form to the Alaska Department of Education.

Section 2: That this resolution is effective upon passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 21st day of March, 2000.


Chair

ATTEST:


Municipal Clerk