

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

ASD MEMORANDUM #66 (2004-2005)

October 11, 2004

TO: SCHOOL BOARD
FROM: OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
SUBJECT: RESOLUTION FOR SCHOOL BUS SAFETY WEEK

RECOMMENDATION:

It is the Administration's recommendation that the School Board approve a resolution recognizing October 17-23, 2004, as School Bus Safety Week in the Anchorage School District.

PERTINENT FACTS:

October 17-23, 2004 has been designated National School Bus Safety Week. The attached resolution has been written to make the school bus drivers of the district aware of the strong support the Anchorage School Board places on all phases of school bus safety. This resolution will emphasize throughout the district and community the importance of school bus safety.

CC/ME/LN

Prepared by: Lori Nakanishi, Communications Specialist

Approved by: Michelle Egan, Communications Director

**ANCHORAGE SCHOOL BOARD
ASDR 2004-2005-5**

RESOLUTION FOR SCHOOL BUS SAFETY WEEK

WHEREAS, the safety of our school buses is vital for the protection of school children in the Anchorage School District; and

WHEREAS, District transportation administrators, school bus drivers, special ed bus attendants, mechanics, dispatchers, safety personnel, clerical and supervisory staff work diligently each day to ensure the safe and efficient transportation of thousands of District students to and from their place of learning; and

WHEREAS, 238 Anchorage School District and First Student school buses travel over 3,000,000 miles providing over 6,000,000 passenger trips annually; and

WHEREAS, coordinating the 1,300 routes over so many miles and supervising the dozens of students on each vehicle, requires an outstanding effort put forth by over 400 exemplary professionals who have devoted their careers to transporting our students safely; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the week of October 17-23, 2004, be designated as School Bus Safety Week in the Anchorage School District; and be it further

RESOLVED, that this week be devoted to the recognition of everyone who contributes to the successful operation of our District's school buses; and be it finally

RESOLVED, that this week serve as a fitting time to urge all Anchorage area drivers to become more aware of school bus safety regulations and encourage all citizens to be alert and drive more carefully near school buses.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 11th day of October 2004.

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL BOARD

Tim Steele, President

Crystal Kennedy
Jake Metcalfe
Macon Roberts

John Steiner
Jeff Friedman
Mary Marks

Carol Comeau, Superintendent