

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

ASD MEMORANDUM #73 (2004-2005)

October 11, 2004

TO: SCHOOL BOARD

FROM: OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

SUBJECT: TREASURER'S REPORT/FINANCIAL RECAP:
AUGUST 31, 2004

PERTINENT FACTS:

The attached report consists of two parts: the Treasurer's Report and the Financial Recap. The Treasurer's Report and the Financial Recap are presented on a monthly basis. The Treasurer's report and Financial Recap are year-to-date information as of August 31, 2004.

I. TREASURER'S REPORT

The Anchorage School District Treasurer's Report includes a summary of the total demand deposits and investments, which are on hand August 31, 2004, and a summary of the investment transactions completed August 1 through August 31, 2004.

The demand deposits in the General Fund as of August 31, 2004 were \$931,359. The District's banking services contract includes the investment of the bank float that provides additional interest revenue to the District. The total amount of investments on hand at August 31, 2004 was \$182,094,827 and the combined total of these liquid assets consisting of the demand deposits and investments were \$183,026,186. A schedule of investments is presented on page 2.

The District transacted 81 investments during the month of August. The specific investments purchased are presented commencing with page 4 of the Treasurer's Report. The anticipated earnings for these new investments are \$52,581, which will be recorded in the General, Capital Projects, Internal Service, and Debt

Service Funds. The interest earnings on investments made by the District are recorded upon receipt of the actual interest earnings on the various dates of maturity. The interest earnings on investments made by the Municipality of Anchorage on behalf of the District are accrued on a monthly basis.

In summary, the District's investment performance for fiscal year 2004-2005 year-to-date is shown by the following three-portfolio yield calculations:

- 1) The annualized End-of-Month Portfolio Yield, noted on page 3, represents the weighted average yield on investments outstanding with the District on August 31, 2004. The Annualized End-of-Month Portfolio Yield was 1.29 percent.
- 2) The Weighted Average Interest Rate for investments purchased during August was 1.43 percent and is noted on page 5.
- 3) The Year-to-Date Cumulative Yield, noted on page 6, represents the weighted average yield of all investments purchased by the District since July 1, 2004. On August 31, the Year-to-Date Cumulative Yield was 1.47 percent.

II. FINANCIAL RECAP

The Financial Recap is a summary of revenues, expenditures and encumbrances for the current fiscal year through August 31, 2004. The funds presented are the General Fund; Debt Service Fund; Food Service and Local/State/Federal Projects Special Revenue Funds; and Capital Projects Fund. The expenditures are on generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) basis. This means the amount in expenditures include payments on encumbrances from the prior year. For example, the working budget on expenditures includes the current year's revised budget plus the encumbrances from prior year of approximately \$10.434 million. Year-to-Date (YTD) expenditures, therefore, reflect expenditures from the current fiscal year and expenditures from prior year encumbrances that were carried forward. The appropriations from the prior years for these encumbrances were also carried forward.

The General Fund revised budget for fiscal year 2004-2005 totals \$398.712 million including approximately \$21.833 million increase approved by the School Board (ASD Memorandum #326) and the Anchorage Assembly (AR No. 2004-143) on May 24, 2004 and June 22, 2004, respectively. This budget increase was allowed by the passage of House Bill 233, which provided for an increase in the Alaska Public School Funding Program. This \$398.712 million is compared to the

revised budget of \$368.017 million for the prior year. The cumulative actual GAAP expenditures and encumbrances for the two-month period ended August 31, 2004 were \$32.188 million or 7.86 percent of the \$409.146 million working budget (revised budget plus encumbrance budget).

Summary and detailed budget reports are available for each school, department, and other budgetary unit on IFAS on-line with current up-to-date data. This information is available to assist in daily operations.

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Attachment

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