

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

ASD MEMORANDUM #263 (2004-2005)

May 9, 2005

TO: SCHOOL BOARD
FROM: OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
SUBJECT: PIONEERS OF ALASKA BOOK DONATION

ASD Goal: Establish and maintain a supportive and effective learning environment by collaborating with other community agencies to maximize opportunities for lifelong learning.

PERTINENT FACTS:

Even with the growing dependence on computers, books remain an invaluable component in education. Our school libraries still rely on the written word in its traditional format to inform and enlighten students. So anytime the district receives a donation of quality books, it is accepted with sincere appreciation.

The Anchorage Pioneers of Alaska felt the newly published book, "*Fond Memories of Anchorage Pioneers*" Vol. II, would be an insightful and educational resource for Anchorage School District students, so they donated copies to all district elementary and secondary school libraries.

The book is a second volume to its popular "*Fond Memories of Anchorage Pioneers*" First Edition. Volume II, through approximately 300 pages and 400 black and white photographs, tells the story of Alaska's pioneer men and women.

It is requested that the School Board recognize the Anchorage Pioneers of Alaska Igloo 15, Auxiliary #4, for their generous book donation.

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