## AIRPORT HEIGHTS COMMUNITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2024-2

## A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF INCREASED FUNDING FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION IN THE STATE OF ALASKA

WHEREAS, Airport Heights residents support strong public education in our community and across the state, including our local Airport Heights Elementary School;

WHEREAS, Anchorage Municipal Assembly and Anchorage School Board members met for months and finalized a <u>joint resolution on this topic</u>, which has been approved by the Anchorage School Board and Anchorage Municipal Assembly;

WHEREAS, the joint resolution includes current financial data documenting the needed increases in the Base Student Allocation (BSA) and transportation funding to maintain our education system at a vibrant, effective level;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Airport Heights Community Council supports increased funding for public education in Alaska; and

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED, that Airport Heights Community Council requests the Legislature vote to override the Governor's veto of half the increase in the BSA for FY2024 and beyond at the beginning of the legislative session.

THIS RESOLUTION WAS APPROVED by the Airport Heights Community Council on January 18, 2024 by a vote of: FOR\_14\_, AGAINST \_0\_, ABSTAIN \_0\_.

Chelsea Ward-Waller

President