Taku/Campbell Community Council

Resolution Number 2011-02

WHEREAS, flooding due to inadequate road drainage is a severe problem on Margaret and Papa Circles, and onto 75th Avenue;

WHEREAS, the lack of proper drainage floods houses every year, causing extensive damage to public and private property;

WHEREAS, flooding leaves Margaret and Papa Circles covered in standing water for weeks at a time;

WHEREAS, many children walk to Campbell Elementary School;

WHEREAS, Margaret Circle serves a school walkway for Campbell Elementary School;

WHEREAS, the drainage problems listed above causes danger and health hazards to children going to and from the school ground;

WHEREAS, 75th Avenue is riddled with frost heaves and pot holes due to improper drainage, which cannot be repaired without major road reconstruction;

WHEREAS, property values are decreasing due to poor drainage, flooding and road conditions; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Anchorage public works department has identified Margaret and Papa Circles, and 75th Avenue as Anchorage's worst quality residential streets.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Taku/Campbell Community Council supports funding the 75th Avenue/Margaret Circle Drainage Repair Project as our highest priority state capital request.

PASSED: 9-0, February 10, 2011

/s/

Jeff Schmitz, Vice-President
Acting Chair