

MINUTES OF THE ANCHORAGE SCHOOL BOARD
REGULAR MEETING OF APRIL 19, 2007

The Anchorage School Board met in a special Regular Session on Thursday, April 19, 2007, at 5:00 p.m. in the Board Room, at the Anchorage School District Administration Building. President, Jeff Friedman, presided.

A. CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL, FLAG SALUTE, Jeff Friedman, Presiding

Board Members Present: John Steiner, Crystal Kennedy, Jeff Friedman and Tim Steele. Macon Roberts and Mary Marks joined by phone. Jake Metcalfe joined the meeting at 5:15 p.m.

Others Present: Carol Comeau, Rhonda Gardner, Leslie Vandergaw, Mike Henry, Patricia McRae, Leslie Vandergaw, Enid Silverstein, Jerry Sjolander, Jeff Wood, Eric Tollefsen, Janet Stokesbary, George Vakalis, Johanna Lee, the press, and other interested people.

B. ADJOURNMENT OF 2005-2006 - SINE DIE

With nothing further before the Board, Mr. Friedman adjourned the Anchorage School Board 2006-2007 - Sine Die.

C. OATH OF OFFICE OF NEW SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS

The Honorable Judge Sigurd Murphy administered the Oath of Office to newly elected School Board member Chris Tuck and re-elected School Board Member Tim Steele.

D. ORGANIZATION OF 2005-2006 SCHOOL BOARD

Superintendent Carol Comeau presided as temporary chair until a new president was elected.

a. Nominations for President:

Moved by: Jeff Friedman To nominate Tim Steele for
President.

Mr. Steele was declared President by unanimous consent. Ms. Comeau turned the gavel over to President Steele.

b. Nominations for Vice President:

Moved by: Crystal Kennedy To nominate John Steiner for Vice President.

Moved by: Jeff Friedman To nominate Macon Roberts for Vice President.

The Board voted by secret ballot. Superintendent, Carol Comeau counted the ballots.

Macon Roberts was declared Vice President.

c. Nominations for Clerk:

Moved by: Macon Roberts To nominate Crystal Kennedy for Clerk.

Crystal Kennedy was declared Clerk by unanimous consent.

d. Nominations for Treasurer:

Moved by: Jeff Friedman To nominate Chris Tuck for Treasurer.

Chris Tuck was declared Treasurer by unanimous consent.

F. COMMUNICATIONS & SCHOOL BOARD COMMENTS

Mr. Steele indicated that, in keeping with the relatively new tradition of the new Board President to share a vision of the future rather than a review of the past, he intends to prepare his comments to share at the next scheduled meeting of the Board on April 30, 2007.

Mr. Macon Roberts extended congratulations to the newly elected and sworn members of the Board.

Ms. Crystal Kennedy presented an honorary gavel to Mr. Jeff Friedman in appreciation for his leadership over the past two years.

Mr. Tim Steele presented Mr. Jake Metcalfe a gold pan in appreciation for his service to the community and to this board over the last six years.

Mr. Macon Roberts expressed his personal appreciation to both Mr. Friedman and Mr. Metcalfe for their service and their leadership.

Mr. Jeff Friedman addressed the Board and indicated that it has been both an honor and a pleasure to have served as Board President for the past two years.

Mr. Chris Tuck voiced his appreciation to the community for allowing him to serve as a member of the Anchorage School Board. He indicated that he looked forward to working with all of the other Board members to support all of the children in the District.

I. ADJOURNMENT

The Special Meeting of April 19, 2007, was adjourned by unanimous consent at 5:25 p.m.

Tim Steele, President

Crystal Kennedy, Clerk

Johanna Lee, Recording Secretary

Date Minutes Approved