

**ANCHORAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**ASDR 98/99-9**

**A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK,**

**MAY 2-18, 1999**

**WHEREAS**, a strong, effective system of free public school education for all children and youth is essential to our democratic system of government; and

**WHEREAS**, the United States has made considerable progress in the social, technological and scientific fields due to our educational system; and

**WHEREAS**, the backbone of education is made of qualified and dedicated teachers entrusted with the educational development of our children; and

**WHEREAS**, teachers nurture our students' ideas, knowledge and dreams, opening the doors of learning and opportunity to every child; and

**WHEREAS**, teachers are listeners, explorers, role models, artists, counselors, motivators and mentors; and

**WHEREAS**, a teacher's positive influence continues to affect students long after graduation and into adulthood;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Anchorage School Board resolves to recognize and support Teacher Appreciation Week and urges all citizens of Anchorage to honor our public school teachers the week of May 2-8, by recognizing their dedication and commitment to educating our children.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 21st day of April, 1999.

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