

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

ASD MEMORANDUM #254 (98-99) April 21, 1999

TO: SCHOOL BOARD
FROM: OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
SUBJECT: BUS DRIVER APPRECIATION DAY

RECOMMENDATION:

It is the Administration's recommendation that the School Board approve the attached resolution recognizing May 7, 1999 as Alaska State School Bus Driver Appreciation Day.

PERTINENT FACTS:

The Honorable Tony Knowles, Governor of Alaska, proclaimed May 7, 1999, as Alaska State School Bus Driver Appreciation Day. The Anchorage School District recognizes the efforts of school bus drivers and attendants who are involved in student transportation on a daily basis. School bus drivers and attendants operate school buses under difficult driving conditions during most of the school year, and always put student safety first.

BC/CC

Attachment

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A Resolution Recognizing May 7, 1999 as Bus Driver Appreciation Day

Whereas, approximately 20,000 students are transported on school buses twice daily in the Anchorage School District; and

Whereas, over 6,000,000 passenger trips are provided annually; and

Whereas, 255 buses operate over 1,500 routes on a daily basis; and

Whereas, school buses in the Anchorage School District travel over 3,000,000 annually; and

Whereas, 440 bus drivers, special education bus attendants, mechanics, dispatchers, safety officers, office and management staff are dedicated to providing safe transportation for the young people in this community; and

Whereas, the Anchorage School District's first priority in the transportation program is the safety of students;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Anchorage School District observe May 7, 1999 as Bus Driver Appreciation Day.

Passed and Approved this 21st day of April, 1999.

Anchorage School Board

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