1. Invite Anchorage Legislators to the upcoming ASD Listening Sessions.

The Budget Listening Sessions are open to everyone in the community, including Anchorage Legislators. http://bit.ly/1puDjxk

Additionally, the School Board holds monthly Legislative and Communication Meetings and will host a Legislative Luncheon in early November 2015.

- Consider putting together a
 PowerPoint (quick) of 'why' education
 is important..."failure in school
 elevates chances to go to
 prison." Show warning signs we are
 facing now:
 - Attendance
 - Special education
 - Increasing minority gap in graduation between white and non-white students.
 - Or, use this information as an info sheet/brochure to be enclosed with the formal invite....

The implementation of **Destination 2020** is an integral part of our district, from the school board and administrative level to each individual employee. Staff's alignment with the strategic plan is essential to improve student outcomes. Increased achievement will require the collective commitment and efforts of staff, parents and the community.

This plan is designed to provide a stable focus for ASD over a multi-year period, but it must also be responsive to any major changes in our environment or culture. To determine whether any revisions are needed, an annual review process is conducted by the board, superintendent and district leadership. This process enables the board and district leaders to receive updates on work that is in progress and identify new work that may be needed.

In the Anchorage School District, we expect a highperforming district that achieves exceptional results. We believe a process of continuous improvement can be consistent over time, transcending board membership and superintendents.

3. In face of budget cuts, consider reaching out to Bridge Builders et al for (screened) volunteers to help as part of a team assembled to assist specific students. Parents must remain involved.

Building strong and meaningful school partnerships with parents, businesses and groups within community is an ongoing priority in the district. Each school lists its volunteer opportunities on its website and/or in its newsletter; and the district has a very strong and vital School Business Partnership Program. http://www.asdk12.org/sbp/aboutsbp/