CITY OF BETHEL

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Presented By: Council Member Miller
Date: March 26. 1996
Action: Passed
Vote: Unanimous

RESOLUTION #96-12

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF BETHEL, ALASKA, IN SUPPORT OF A NEW BETHEL MIDDLE SCHOOL

WHEREAS, the Bethel City Council considers quality education for the children of our city a vital necessity; and

WHEREAS, the quality and quantity of adequate facilities is directly related to the ability of our school systems to provide the highest quality education; and

WHEREAS, the priority need for a new Bethel Middle School has been established via a state-sponsored planning activity and, further, established as the second highest priority on the LKSD Capital Construction List (preceded by a replacement for the Newtok School, destroyed by fire three years ago); and

WHEREAS, the Bethel Middle School continues to slip on the Department of Education's statewide priority list (it is currently resting in 54th place), as overall resources for construction diminish;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BETHEL CITY COUNCIL stands committed to the political advocacy necessary to maintain awareness of the critical need for a new Bethel Middle School at all levels of local and State government;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT THE BETHEL CITY COUNCIL will work in mutual interest with the School Board, employees, teachers, students and parents in whatever other manner necessary to advance the well-being and educational advantage of our students.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 26TH DAY OF MARCH, 1996.

Ruth M. Richardson, Mayor

ATTEST:

L.J. Tanner, City Clerk

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