

**FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**RESOLUTION 2021-20:**

**RECOGNIZING THE DEDICATION AND PROFESSIONALISM OF ALL  
FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT STAFF**

WHEREAS, the 2020-2021 school year was greatly impacted by COVID-19 such that the Fairbanks North Star Borough School District educators - teachers, support staff, principals, and administrators - showed dedication and professionalism in meeting the unique challenges and opportunities throughout this pandemic year; and

WHEREAS, the 2020-21 school year has presented many challenges and disruptions, the Board recognizes the efforts and innovations of the staff that have led to the success of students; and

WHEREAS, teaching is an honorable profession that causes one to dedicate their lives to mentoring and equipping the next generation to take their place in society; and

WHEREAS, teachers are lifelong learners who pursue strategies, pedagogy, methods, and means to accomplish their mission to assist students in learning; and

WHEREAS, the public education of students is an important part of our growing community; and

WHEREAS, parents have entrusted this most important job to the educators and administrators of the Fairbanks North Star Borough School District; and

WHEREAS, principals and teachers have worked tirelessly to involve students in their schools, activities, and the planning of graduations; the Migrant Education Program staff have been innovative, dedicated, and constant communicators; the Alaska Native Education staff have been instrumental in building relationships with our students, Elders, and community members; and so many other staff groups have influenced the success of our students; and

WHEREAS, district educators have a crucial role in supporting and bravely advocating for all students, ensuring their ability to learn in a safe space, thus upholding the diversity and inclusion goals set forth by the Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, the educators within the Fairbanks North Star Borough School District have played a pivotal role in the education of our students during the COVID-19 pandemic while maintaining the highest degree of professionalism to ensure our students receive the highest degree of education possible;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Fairbanks North Star Borough Board of Education expresses its wholehearted appreciation to all those who have worked so diligently on behalf of the students and families of the Fairbanks North Star Borough School District.

Passed and Approved: May 4, 2021



Timothy P. Doran, President  
Board of Education

ATTEST:



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