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The Honorable Lynn Gattis Alaska House of Representatives Alaska State Capitol, Room 420 Juneau, Alaska 99801.1182

Dear Representative Gattis:

I write in support of HB120 Pupil Transportation Funding.

I am a member of the Juneau School Board and am currently serving my fifth year in this capacity. The opinions in this letter are my own, as our board has not yet had an opportunity to meet and take a position on this legislation.

Thank you for introducing this bill, which will address an anticipated shortfall in our pupil transportation account given the current statutory inflation adjustment is fixed at 1.5%. Changing the adjustment to the Anchorage CPI is aligned with our pupil transportation contract.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this legislation.

Sincerely,

Sally Saddler

Cc: Members of the Juneau School Board