

## MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH

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Erin Aulman, NSI Board President Northern Susitna Institute P.O. Box 46 Talkeetna, AK 99676

Dear Ms. Aulman,

As Mayor of the Matanuska-Susitna Borough, it is my honor to lend support the Northern Susitna Institute (NSI). NSI is a collaborative nonprofit educational organization that provides students of all ages the opportunity to learn, share ideas and develop real life skills through creating and supporting a variety of experience-based academic programs, workshops, conferences, and community partnerships.

I want to continue to support NSI in serving the community with educational opportunities provided by the following programs: Classroom With a View, Talkeetna Build A Plane, Career Exploration and Applied Learning, and the Alaska Folk School. The current project to purchase and renovate the new facility in Talkeetna, is a worthwhile project and I will look forward to updates on the progress.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

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Sincerely,

Larry DeVilbiss Borough Mayor

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