

HOUSE BILL NO. 546

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Introduced: 3/22/96

Referred: State Affairs, Health, Education and Social Services, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act providing for and relating to the issuance of general obligation bonds
2 in the amount of \$600,211,000 for the purpose of paying the cost of acquiring,
3 constructing, reconstructing, and equipping public schools and of repair and major
4 maintenance of public school and University of Alaska facilities; and providing for
5 an effective date."

6 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

7 * **Section 1.** For the purpose of paying the cost of acquiring, constructing, reconstructing,
8 and equipping public schools and of repair and major maintenance of public school and
9 University of Alaska facilities, general obligation bonds of the state in the principal amount
10 of not more than \$600,211,000, if authorized by the qualified voters of the state, shall be
11 issued and sold. The full faith, credit, and resources of the state are pledged to the payment
12 of the principal of and interest and redemption premium, if any, on the bonds. The bonds
13 shall be issued under the provisions of AS 37.15 as those provisions read at the time of

1 issuance.

2 * **Sec. 2.** If the issuance of the bonds is authorized by the qualified voters of the state, a
3 special fund of the state to be known as the "1996 public school and university project fund"
4 shall be established, to which shall be credited the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described
5 in sec. 1 of this Act except for the accrued interest and premiums.

6 * **Sec. 3.** (a) The amount of \$448,568,500 is appropriated from the "1996 public school
7 and university project fund" to the Department of Education to be allocated among the
8 following projects in the amounts listed subject to reallocation between projects in accordance
9 with AS 37.07.080(e):

10	Newtok Elementary Addition	\$ 8,813,500
11	Chevak School Replacement	21,708,000
12	Buckland School Remediation	14,695,000
13	Golovin School	7,929,000
14	Elim School	10,713,000
15	Teller Elementary School	11,013,500
16	Togiak School Replacement	26,680,000
17	Howard Valentine School	253,500
18	Edna Bay School	131,500
19	Noorvik K-12 Expansion	15,278,000
20	Craig High School	15,669,500
21	Koyuk School	9,977,000
22	Naukati School	196,000
23	Akiachak Elementary School	14,295,500
24	Pilot Station K-12 Expansion	19,188,500
25	Tri-Valley School Addition/remodel	11,241,500
26	Kotlik K-12 Addition	20,977,500
27	Arctic Village K-12 School	2,207,500
28	Denali Elementary School Replacement	10,260,000
29	Kenny Lake School	2,609,000
30	Craig Elementary Addition	3,556,000
31	Glennallen Elementary School	4,477,000

1	Nordale Elementary School Replacement	10,652,500
2	White Mountain School	6,391,500
3	Delta Junction School Addition	16,640,500
4	Manokotak Schools	14,390,500
5	Sheldon Point K-12 Addition	12,874,000
6	Circle School Replacement	3,803,000
7	Minto School Addition	4,024,500
8	North Pole Elementary Replacement	10,141,500
9	Unalaska Elementary School	4,100,500
10	Atmautlauk Elementary Addition	3,845,000
11	Kiana K-12 Addition	11,135,500
12	Nikolaevsk School Addition	906,000
13	New Stuyahok Schools	14,822,500
14	Nulato School Replacement	19,518,500
15	Talkeetna School Addition/renovation	5,724,500
16	Dillingham Elementary Addition	1,448,500
17	Ambler K-12 Addition	12,893,500
18	Schoenbar School Addition/renovation	6,592,000
19	Upper Kalskag Elementary School	2,313,000
20	Allakaket School Addition/renovation	7,258,000
21	Angoon Elementary Addition	720,500
22	Kake Elementary Addition	806,500
23	Kaltag School Addition/renovation	5,309,500
24	False Pass School Addition/renovation	981,500
25	Chefornak Elementary Addition	424,500
26	Crooked Creek School Addition	3,214,500
27	Klawock High School	2,754,500
28	Kodiak Peterson School Addition	756,000
29	McGrath Vocational School Expansion	369,500
30	Northway Waste Water Treatment	146,000
31	Kodiak High School Renovation	2,117,500

1	Bethel Middle School	19,142,500
2	Aniak Schools	5,880,000
3	Tetlin School	76,000
4	Northway School Fuel Storage	153,000
5	Northway Spill Remediation	3,713,500
6	Juneau High School Overpass	140,500
7	Mentasta School Fuel Storage	517,000

8 (b) The amount of \$121,642,500 is appropriated from the "1996 public school and
9 university project fund" to the Department of Education to be allocated among the following
10 projects in the amounts listed subject to reallocation between projects in accordance with
11 AS 37.07.080(e):

12	Romig JHS Roof Replacement	\$1,249,500
13	Birchwood ABC Roof Replacement	672,000
14	Anchorage School District, Fire Code Upgrade	1,389,500
15	Annette Island School District, Major Renovation	2,010,500
16	Chugach School District, Major Renovation	200,000
17	Delta/Greely School District, Roof Repair and	
18	Fire Alarm System	1,431,000
19	Hunter Elementary School Renovation	4,219,500
20	Eielson High School Renovation	8,566,500
21	West Valley High School Renovation	7,853,000
22	Barnette Elementary School Renovation	3,667,000
23	Fairbanks School District, ADA Compliance	4,822,500
24	Haines Borough Schools, Roof Repairs	189,000
25	Hoonah School District, Roof Repair	1,561,500
26	Hydaburg School District, Major Maintenance	613,000
27	Iditarod Area Schools, Major Maintenance	760,500
28	Juneau High School, Roof Repair	719,000
29	Marie Drake School, Roof Replacement	740,500
30	Mendenhall River School, Roof Replacement	1,517,000
31	Auke Bay Elementary, Roof Replacement	509,500

1	Juneau School District, Floor Repairs	149,000
2	Kake School District, Major Maintenance	2,713,000
3	Kenai Peninsula School District, Roof	
4	Replacement	173,000
5	Kenai Peninsula School District, ADA	
6	Compliance and Repairs	580,500
7	White Cliff Elementary School, Code Upgrade	995,500
8	Klawock Schools, Major Maintenance	2,079,500
9	Pedro Bay School Renovation	720,000
10	Lake and Peninsula School District, Major	
11	Maintenance	1,800,000
12	Mikelnguut Elitnaurviat School, Roof Repair	949,000
13	Nelson Island High School, Roof Repair	703,000
14	Napakiak School Relocation	4,423,000
15	Lower Kuskokwim School District, Bulk Fuel	
16	Storage Repairs	3,547,000
17	Lower Kuskokwim School District, Water	
18	Treatment Upgrade	5,791,500
19	Lower Kuskokwim School District, Asbestos	
20	Abatement	4,283,000
21	Lower Kuskokwim School District, ADA	
22	Compliance Upgrade	2,240,500
23	Pilot Station High School Renovation	2,062,500
24	Kotlik High School Renovation	2,530,500
25	Sheldon Point High School Renovation	2,068,500
26	Hooper Bay School, Major Maintenance	514,500
27	Nenana School District, Major Maintenance	237,500
28	Nome Beltz School, Major Maintenance	1,540,000
29	North Slope School District, Bulk Fuel	
30	System Upgrades	7,800,000
31	Kiana High School Renovation	2,383,500

1	Noorvik High School Renovation	2,562,000
2	Ambler High School Renovation	2,131,000
3	Northwest Arctic School District, Major	
4	Maintenance	1,293,500
5	Pelican School, Roof Replacement	301,500
6	St. Paul School, Asbestos Abatement	160,500
7	Sitka High School Renovation	5,182,000
8	Baranof Elementary School Renovation	5,200,000
9	Sitka School District, Major Maintenance	1,302,500
10	Koliganek School Renovation	808,000
11	St. Mary's School District, Health and Life	
12	Safety Repairs	775,500
13	Tanana School District, Major Maintenance	312,500
14	Unalaska School District, Roof Replacement	140,500
15	Wrangell School District, Major Maintenance	226,500
16	Yukon-Koyukuk School District, Roof Repair	
17	Projects	2,294,000
18	Yukon-Koyukuk School District, Bulk Fuel	
19	System Upgrades	4,606,500
20	Yukon-Koyukuk School District, ADA	
21	Compliance and Structural Repairs	1,370,500

22 (c) The amount of \$30,000,000 is appropriated from the "1996 public school and
23 university project fund" to the University of Alaska for major repair and maintenance of
24 facilities.

25 * **Sec. 4.** If the issuance of the bonds is authorized by the qualified voters of the state, the
26 amount of \$2,100,739 or as much of that amount as is found necessary is appropriated from
27 the general fund of the state to the state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this
28 Act and to pay expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized in this Act.
29 The amounts expended from the appropriation authorized by this section shall be reimbursed
30 to the general fund from the proceeds of the sale of the bonds authorized by this Act.

31 * **Sec. 5.** The amount withdrawn from the public facility planning fund (AS 35.10.135) for

1 the purpose of advance planning for the improvements financed under this Act shall be reim-
2 bursed to the fund from the proceeds of the sale of bonds authorized by this Act.

3 * **Sec. 6.** The unexpended and unobligated balance of the appropriations made in sec. 3 of
4 this Act lapses under AS 37.25.020 and is appropriated to the state bond committee to redeem
5 bonds sold under this Act. The amounts expended from the general fund to pay the principal,
6 interest, and redemption premium on bonds issued under this Act shall be reimbursed to the
7 general fund from the appropriation made under this section to the extent that the money is
8 not needed to redeem the bonds.

9 * **Sec. 7.** The question whether the bonds authorized in this Act are to be issued shall be
10 submitted to the qualified voters of the state at the next general election and shall read
11 substantially as follows:

12 P R O P O S I T I O N

13 State General Obligation Public School

14 and University Project Bonds \$600,211,000

15 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds in
16 the principal amount of not more than \$600,211,000 for the
17 purpose of paying the cost of acquiring, constructing,
18 reconstructing, and equipping public schools and of repair and
19 major maintenance of public school and University of Alaska
20 facilities?

21 Bonds Yes []

22 Bonds No []

23 * **Sec. 8.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).