

SCR

29

Senate Health, Education and Social Services Committee

Legislation Checklist

Bill number: SCR 29

Sponsor: Kerttula & Sturgulewski

Date referred to committee: 1-17-86

Synopsis completed:

Fiscal note:

Further referrals:

CONTACTS:

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Mary Van Nimwegen

HESS 1-28-86 1:37 pm

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER:

1/17/86

Date January 28, 1986

Mr. President

The Committee on HESS considered SCR 29
relating to designating February 1986 as Community College Month.

and (a majority of the committee) (the committee) reports it back with the following recommendations:

- do pass
- do pass with attached amendment(s)
- replace with/or adopt CS for SCR 29 (HESS)
- new title
- same title and recommends _____
- and attached a "LETTER OF INTENT" NEW FISCAL NOTE
- reports it back without recommendation
- recommends referral to _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING
DO PASS

MEMBERS HAVING
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Edwin De Vries

Lee Josephson

Paul Finch

Carl Stangulinski

Dette Schenk
Chairman

Do Pass
Chairman recommendation

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ACC Arts Fair—The Anchorage Community College Arts Fair, an indoor-outdoor all day event, draws more than 25,000 visitors to the school's main Providence Avenue campus. Artists like this young person try their hand at various mediums, including the popular paper mache' dinosaurs. Anchorage artisans in 125 booths display and sell paintings, pottery, weaving, needlework, toys, stained glass, jewelry and other crafts. Performing Arts events are offered throughout the day and evening. 1985 marked the 14th consecutive year of art and art education celebration by ACC.

Base Back up
Celebrate

National Community College Month February 1986

*Salute the
University of Alaska community colleges*

- Anchorage Community College, Anchorage
- Chukchi Community College, Kotzebue
- Islands Community College, Sitka
- Kenai Peninsula Community College, Soldotna
- Ketchikan Community College, Ketchikan
- Kodiak Community College, Kodiak
- Kuskokwim Community College, Bethel
- Matanuska-Susitna Community College, Palmer
- Northwest Community College, Nome
- Prince William Sound Community College, Valdez
- Tanana Valley Community College, Fairbanks

Special events are planned at these and the other 1,200 technical and two-year colleges in the United States to promote awareness of the mission and philosophy of two-year colleges. Check with your local community college for a schedule of informative and celebratory events to be held in your community.

UA Six-year Plan committee and content changes

The committee charged with developing the UA Six-year Plan sports a new chair, two new members and a revised timeline. Don Behrend, UA provost and vice president for academic affairs, and Lynn Shaver, a regent and senior at UAA, have been appointed to the committee. Behrend will serve as chair, replacing Brian Rogers, director of budget development, who will remain on the committee. Rogers will lead the UA Budget Flexibility Task Force which will become active in the near future.

Behrend expects to have a new draft of the plan ready for review by late January. A rewrite of the 1986 version will be considered by Statewide Assembly at its February 20-21 meeting and by the Board of Regents in late March or early April. At the April 24-25 committee meetings in Nome the plan will come before the regents, preparatory to final consideration at their June 5-6 meeting in Fairbanks.

The plan will have been a year and a half in the making. In January 1985

President Don O'Dowd created a University System Planning Committee charged with devising a systemwide plan to encompass all functions of the university, but focus on academic activities, specifically near-term developments for two fiscal years and long-term developments
(see SIX-YEAR PLAN, page 2)

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**See page 3 for
UA Holiday Schedules for
1986-87 & 1987-88 & 1988-89**
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SCR 29



COMMUNITY COLLEGES, RURAL EDUCATION AND EXTENSION (CCREE)

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

February 1986 has been proclaimed National Community College Month by President Ronald Reagan as a result of the signing of Senate Joint Resolution 158. Alaskan community colleges as well as over 1,200 national community, technical, and junior colleges will join the campaign to promote greater awareness of the mission and philosophy of two-year colleges and to celebrate Community College Month.

Alaska's legislators played a leading role in obtaining this proclamation. Senate Joint Resolution 158 and House Joint Resolution 125 were made possible by Senate sponsor Frank Murkowski (R-AK), House sponsor Don Young (R-AK), and the American Association of Community and Junior Colleges (AACJC)/Association of Community College Trustees (ACCT) Joint Federal Relations Commission.

(The complete text of the proclamation signed by President Reagan is included on the back of this page.)

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Ninety-ninth Congress of the United States of America

AT THE FIRST SESSION

Begun and held at the City of Washington on Thursday, the third day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighty-five

Joint Resolution

Designating February 1986 as "National Community College Month".

Whereas, in the fall of 1981, there were over one thousand two hundred and nineteen community, technical, and junior colleges in which 40 per centum of all undergraduate college students in the United States were enrolled;

Whereas such colleges prepare people for employment in over one thousand four hundred different occupations or for transfer to four-year colleges and universities;

Whereas such colleges are within reasonable commuting distance for more than 90 per centum of all Americans;

Whereas such colleges provide an opportunity to obtain a post-secondary education at low cost for many people who could not otherwise afford one; and

Whereas such colleges are community-based institutions which provide flexible and diverse programs and services tailored to fit the needs of their local populations and industries: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That February 1986 is designated as "National Community College Month", and the President is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to observe such month with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.

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Date: October 30, 1985
 Topic: FEBRUARY 1985 is NATIONAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE MONTH
 Contact: Sue Friedman, Public Information Officer

WASHINGTON, D.C.--- February 1986 has been proclaimed NATIONAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE MONTH by President Ronald Reagan as a result of the October 22 signing of Senate Joint Resolution 158. The American Association of Community and Junior Colleges (AACJC) will host several national activities during February to enhance the public understanding and recognition of the nation's 1,221 community, technical, and junior colleges. In addition, local two-year colleges are being urged to join the national campaign to promote greater awareness of the value of the associate degree and celebrate NATIONAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE MONTH.

Senate Joint Resolution 158 and House Joint Resolution 125 were made possible by the AACJC/Association of Community College Trustees (ACCT) Joint Federal Relations Commission, House sponsor Don Young (R-AK), and Senate sponsor Frank Murkowski (R-AK). "The unanimous support of the Congress and the presidential proclamation indicate the high regard with which community, technical, and junior colleges are held," emphasizes Dale Parnell, president of AACJC. "We continue to be America's college of opportunity for nearly five million credit and more than four million noncredit students each year. National Community College Month affords us the opportunity to better acquaint the public, employers, our educational colleagues in four-year institutions, and decision-makers with the mission and philosophy of two-year colleges."

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MORE MORE



COMMUNITY COLLEGES, RURAL EDUCATION AND EXTENSION (CCREE)

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December 3, 1985

The Honorable Ted Stevens
United States Senate
701 "C" Street, Box 2
Anchorage, AK 99513

Dear Senator Stevens:

We have been informed that on October 22, 1985 President Reagan signed into law the joint resolution H.J. 158) officially proclaiming February 1986 "National Community College Month."

On behalf of the division of Community Colleges, Rural Education and Extension (CCREE) of the University of Alaska, please accept my sincere thanks for your interest and efforts in making it possible for community colleges to receive their much deserved recognition.

The community colleges throughout the state have already begun making plans for special activities during the month of February. If you expect to be in the state during that month, perhaps you would consider visiting one or more of our community colleges and participating in the activities.

Sincerely,

M. O. LOONEY, Chancellor
Community Colleges, Rural Education and Extension

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*x letter was also sent
to Sen. Murkowski and
Rep. Young
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Introduced: 1/17/86
Referred: Health, Education
and Social Services

1 IN THE SENATE

BY KERTTULA AND STURGULEWSKI

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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Relating to designating February 1986 as

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Community College Month.

7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

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WHEREAS in the fall of 1981 there were over 1,219 technical and junior

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colleges in which 40 percent of all undergraduate college students in the

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United States were enrolled; and

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WHEREAS community colleges prepare people for employment in over 1,400

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different occupations or for transfer to four-year colleges and universi-

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ties; and

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WHEREAS community colleges are within reasonable commuting distance

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for more than 90 percent of all Americans; and

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WHEREAS community colleges provide an opportunity to obtain a post-

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secondary education at low cost for many people who could not otherwise

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afford one; and

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WHEREAS community colleges are community-based institutions that

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provide flexible and diverse programs and services tailored to fit the

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needs of their local populations and industries; and

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WHEREAS Alaska has 10 community colleges that provide campus and

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outreach services to citizens throughout the state;

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BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that February 1986 is

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designated as "Community College Month" and the Governor is requested to

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issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the state to observe Febru-

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ary with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

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Whereas such colleges are community-based institutions which provide flexible and diverse programs and services tailored to fit the needs of their local populations and industries: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That February 1986 is designated as "National Community College Month", and the President is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to observe such month with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

*Vice President of the United States and
President of the Senate.*

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MEMORANDUM

February 4, 1986

SUBJECT: CSSCR 29 (Hess)
TO: Senator Fahrenkamp
FROM: Michael F. Ford *M.F.*
Legislative Counsel

You have requested an opinion as to the resolve language of CSSCR 29 (Hess), regarding the legislature designating February as "Community College Month".

Under Uniform Rule 49 (3), the legislature may use a concurrent resolution to reflect the wish, will, view or decision of both houses. Certainly the legislature has the power to express by concurrent resolution the wish that February be designated as "Community College Month". Alternatively, the legislature could request the governor to make the designation. For an example of this technique see Legislative Resolve No. 40, SLA 1984. The legislature has also designated certain holidays by statute for an example of this, see AS 44.12.040.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

MFF:csh
c5/039

Ford

A M E N D M E N T

Offered in the SENATE

By Fahrenkamp

TO: CSSCR 29(HESS)

Page 1, line 24, after "that" insert:

"the Governor is respectfully requested to designate"

Page 1, line 24, after "1986" delete "is"

Page 1, line 25, before "as" delete "designated"

Page 1, line 25, after "and" delete "the Governor is requested"

adopted