

KETCHIKAN GATEWAY BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION  
AGENDA STATEMENT

No. 11a

MEETING OF April 28, 2021

REVIEWED BY:

ITEM TITLE:

**NEW BUSINESS**

Motion to accept the resignation of Beth Lougee

Superintendent

School Board

SUBMITTED BY: Kim Hodne, Board President

CONTACT PERSON/TELEPHONE:

APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL:

Kim Hodne  
Name Phone

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Superintendent

SUMMARY STATEMENT: The Board is being asked to accept the resignation of Superintendent Lougee.

ISSUE:

The Board has responsibility and decision-making authority for the Superintendent position.

BACKGROUND:

Superintendent Beth Lougee submitted her resignation on April 16, 2021, effective April 30, 2021.

RECOMMENDATION: Accept the resignation of Beth Lougee.

ATTACHMENTS:

- Resignation letter

FISCAL NOTE:

EXPENDITURE  
REQUIRED \$ N/A

AMOUNT  
BUDGETED \$ N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION: "I move that the Board of Education accept the resignation of Beth Lougee."

Beth Lougee  
8905 North Tongass Highway A  
Ketchikan, AK 99901

April 16, 2021

To the Ketchikan Gateway Borough Board of Education:

Please accept my resignation as superintendent for the Ketchikan Gateway Borough School District, effective at the close of business on April 30, 2021.

With my husband's death due to COVID-19 in January, and my own related health scare, I have decided that I need to take some time to focus on my own well-being. I have appreciated the opportunity to be the superintendent in Ketchikan, and I wish you all only the best as you continue to serve the School District and its community.

I also want to thank each and every one of the employees in the Ketchikan Gateway Borough School District for their hard work and dedication to providing a well-rounded education for all students. It has been a pleasure working with and getting to know so many of you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Beth Lougee". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish at the end.

Beth Lougee