

Resolution for Enhancing Legal Education and Access to Justice in Alaska

WHEREAS, an informed and engaged citizenry is crucial for a fair and just society;

WHEREAS, understanding the legal system and procedures empowers individuals to navigate legal challenges and protect their rights;

WHEREAS, the inclusion of legal education in high school curriculum in Alaska can foster legal literacy and promote equal access to justice;

WHEREAS, Alaskans are committed to promoting the principles of justice, individual liberty, and the rule of law;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

Alaskans call for the collaboration of the Department of Education with legal experts, educators, and the Alaska Bar Association to develop a standardized curriculum that encompasses essential aspects of criminal law, civil law, rules of court, and common law writs, for high school students.

Alaskans support the implementation of comprehensive legal education reforms in the high school curriculum of Alaska, making it a requirement for all students to study and gain an understanding of both criminal law and civil law, including the procedures associated with each.

Alaskans aim to empower high school students with legal literacy, equip them with the knowledge to understand and navigate the legal system, and promote a deeper awareness of their rights and responsibilities as citizens.