Ordinance to separate NSBSD and NSB introduced

A bank account for the North Slope Borough School District that would be separate from the North Slope Borough was the subject of Ordinance No. 76-5 introduced at the North Slope Borough Assembly meeting of Feb. 10.

Currently there is a centralized treasury at the North Slope Borough for both the borough

and the School District.

The proposed ordinance would allow the School District to open a separate bank account. In order areas there has been intense debate over this type of issue, but on the North Slope the proposed ordinance has to date caused only minor debate. The borough and the School District already have separate accounting systems.

By borough procedures, the ordinance will come up for final consideration at the first assembly meeting in March.