## RESOLUTION NUMBER 10-03 RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE ALASKA CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) PLAN

WHEREAS, the Alaska Workforce Investment Board is a private industry driven public organization that is accountable through its members including representatives from business and industry, education, government, and organized labor to the residents, the Legislature and the Governor of Alaska;

WHEREAS, the Alaska Workforce Investment Board acts as the lead state planning and coordinating entity for state human resource programs involving employment training, vocational education, and workforce development;

WHEREAS, the Alaska Workforce Investment Board recognizes and values the attributes that Career and Technical Education (CTE) provides to enhance students education by providing rigor and relevance to academic and career preparation;

WHEREAS, the Alaska Workforce Investment Board supports the efforts to align career and technical training programs to provide maximum efficiency, effectiveness, and access to all Alaskans;

WHEREAS, Alaska CTE Plan incorporates and values the strategies contained in both the Alaska Education Plan and the Gasline Training Strategic Plan;

WHEREAS, the Alaska CTE Plan will be implemented by the joint efforts of the Alaska Departments of Education and Early Development and Labor and Workforce Development with the assistance and input of all stakeholders including the University of Alaska system, Joint Apprenticeship Training Centers, Regional Training Centers, business and industry, K-12 schools, parents and families, and other interested organizations; and

WHEREAS, the Alaska Workforce Investment Board and Alaska Board of Education and Early Development will oversee this plan.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Workforce Investment Board supports the Alaska CTE Plan and the cooperative efforts of the Departments of Education and Early Development and Labor and Workforce Development to implement the strategies contained in the Plan.

## **CERTIFICATION**

The Alaska Workforce Investment Board held a meeting duly and regularly called, noticed, and convened this 3rd day of May, 2010 and the foregoing Resolution was adopted unanimously at said meeting.

Signed this 3rd day of May, 2010.

Jim Lynch, Chair

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