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ALASKA COMMISSION ON POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION RELEASES THE ALASKA PERFORMANCE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATIONS REPORT

Juneau – The Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education (ACPE) is pleased to announce publication of the *Alaska Performance Scholarship Program Review and Recommendations Report*. The report, produced by McKinley Research (formerly McDowell Group), analyzes the Alaska Performance Scholarship (APS) program over the past ten years and provides valuable insights and recommendations on how the program can better serve Alaskans.

ACPE is developing an action plan to address the recommendations laid out in the report. Our vision is to engage with a diverse group of participants from across Alaska's educational landscape to discuss and implement changes to the APS program. We at ACPE, look forward to working with Alaska's education stakeholders, along with business and industry groups, to enhance the APS program in connection with the needs of Alaska's students and workforce.

Please contact us with any questions or feedback you may have about the report. Our mission is to support access to and success in postsecondary education and career training, to ensure Alaska's students have access to the higher education resources they need to make informed decisions and contribute to a vibrant Alaska economy.

The *Alaska Performance Scholarship Program Review and Recommendations Report* is available on our website at <https://acpe.alaska.gov/reports>.

ABOUT THE ALASKA COMMISSION ON POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION:

Funded by the Alaska Student Loan Corporation, ACPE promotes access to and success in education and career training beyond high school.

THE COMMISSION PROVIDES:

- Education planning tools and resources
- Advocacy and support for postsecondary participation in Alaska

- Financial aid for college and career training
- Education consumer protection through institutional authorization and complaint investigation Education consumer protection through institutional authorization and complaint investigation

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