

Alaska PTA
Special Interests Committee
voted on 2/15/00 to take the following position on Special
Interest PTAs...

Alaska PTA is strongly committed to assisting local units in working with all members in order to benefit all children. An organization stands strong and unified when its identity comes from a name that gives one clear message. We must work together to remain strong and healthy. All issues are important for PTA and all people without regard to race, creed, age, or religion are welcome to join in our efforts on the behalf of children.

Alaska PTA recognizes the diversity of its membership and reaffirms its right to charter local units for the specific purposes outlined in our Bylaws and defined by Federal Law. We will continue to promote the welfare of children and youth and seek ways to unite all people for the benefit of children. However, the creation of special interest PTAs will not accomplish that goal and the **Alaska PTA** will not support such units.