

Combined Hiland Mountain Correctional Center Fire Alarm Systems Replacement **FY2010 Request: \$350,000**
Reference No: 49615

AP/AL: Appropriation **Project Type:** Renewal and Replacement
Category: Public Protection
Location: Anchorage Areawide **Contact:** Leslie Houston
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Estimated Project Dates: 04/19/2010 - 12/31/2010

Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

Replacement of the failed fire alarm systems located at the Combined Hiland Mountain Correctional Center.

Funding:	FY2010	FY2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	Total
Gen Fund	\$350,000						\$350,000
Total:	\$350,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$350,000

<input type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input type="checkbox"/> On-Going
0% = Minimum State Match % Required		<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health Bill	

Operating & Maintenance Costs:

	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Staff</u>
Project Development:	0	0
Ongoing Operating:	0	0
One-Time Startup:	0	
Totals:	0	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

This is a new project request.

Project Description/Justification:

The Hiland Mountain Correctional Center (HMCC) Housing Units I, II and III have all experienced either complete or partial failure of their fire alarm systems which has rendered them inoperative. These fire alarm systems were originally installed between 1980 and 1990, and they are no longer supported by the manufacturer. A repair option is not available.

Per the State of Alaska Fire Marshal's office, this situation requires either the immediate replacement of the fire alarm systems or the removal of all staff and inmates from these buildings. The department does not have any place to relocate these inmates and the cost would be astronomical for an interim relocation. The department is issuing a contract for the replacement of these systems using \$370,000 of FY2009 capital funding; this supplemental request replaces the FY09 capital funding which is targeted for roof repairs in other facilities.

Due to the life safety directive from the Fire Marshal's office, the department is providing a fire watch 24/7 until construction is complete, at a cost to the operating budget not yet determined.