

**Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development****Grants to Municipalities (AS 37.05.315)****Grant Recipient: Anchorage****Federal Tax ID: 92-0059987****Project Title:****Project Type: New Construction and Land Acquisition**

# Anchorage - Arlberg Avenue Extension - Winner Creek Area Access

**State Funding Requested: \$3,500,000****House District: Anchorage Areawide (16-32)**

Future Funding May Be Requested

**Brief Project Description:**

This funding would study needs, route options, environmental issues and develop preliminary costs for each option. Funding may also allow for engineering and permitting efforts.

**Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost:	\$13,500,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2012 State Funding Request:	(\$3,500,000)
Project Deficit:	\$10,000,000

**Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

Girdwood continues to be a growing community serving a growing tourism industry. Substantial undeveloped Heritage Land Bank land is located at the north end of Arlberg Avenue. For several years, interest has been expressed in exploring development possibilities. This grant would fund efforts to develop a framework for future development.

It's anticipated that state grants will be requested in the future to implement recommendations of this study.

**Project Timeline:**

Study and expenditures would primarily occur in 2012 and 2013.

**Entity Responsible for the Ongoing Operation and Maintenance of this Project:**

MOA: Girdwood Road Service Area

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Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority?  Yes  No