

Alaska Clean Water Agenda Enhancement Projects

FY2001 Request: \$667,000
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AP/AL: Appropriation
Category: Health/Human Services
Location: Statewide
House District: Statewide (HD 1-40)
Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2000 - 06/30/2001

Project Type: Health and Safety
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Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

Funding for priority Water Quality Enhancement projects to be identified through the Alaska Clean Water Agenda. The purpose of the Agenda is to set priorities to address polluted runoff, protect and restore polluted waterbodies, and protect public health. The Agenda will establish parameters for spending federal money to start fixing water quality problems in the state.

Funding:	FY2001	FY2002	FY2003	FY2004	FY2005	FY2006	Total
Fed Rcpts	\$667,000						\$667,000
Total:	\$667,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$667,000

<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:

Project Description/Justification:

ALASKA CLEAN WATER AGENDA ENHANCEMENT PROJECTS

The Alaska Clean Water Agenda is a plan to unite the public and private efforts to protect and restore Alaska's water resources by taking the following actions:

- Identifying water quality initiatives and efforts that are underway;
- Recording what water bodies are polluted or in need of additional evaluation;
- Tracking down the sources of pollution;
- Developing statewide priorities for restoring polluted water bodies;
- Developing Alaska-specific solutions to clean up pollution;
- Developing best available technology and management practices to prevent pollution; and
- Involving interested stakeholders and the broad public in protecting and restoring Alaska's watersheds.

The Alaska Clean Water Agenda will go out for public review in 1999 and will be finalized early in the year 2000. The Agenda will be used as a planning document to determine water quality priorities in the State so that federal water quality funds and state resources are focused on the highest priority areas. Examples of projects which may be funded as a result of the Agenda include: storm water mapping, storm water enhancement projects (such as replacing culverts, designing detention ponds), developing Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) waterbody assessments for impaired waters, implementing TMDL controls, and monitoring waterbodies for rate of recovery and other purposes.