

AMD: Kipnuk: Airport Reconstruction**FY2005 Request: \$2,500,000****Reference No: AMD 39173****AP/AL:** Allocation**Project Type:** Construction**Category:** Transportation**Location:** Kipnuk**Contact:** Kip Knudson**House District:** Bethel (HD 38)**Contact Phone:** (907)269-0724**Estimated Project Dates:** 07/01/2004 - 06/30/2009**Appropriation:** Airport Improvement Program**Brief Summary and Statement of Need:**

Complete design and construct runway embankment and gravel surface for runway, apron, and taxiway. Install runway lighting and a snow removal equipment building. This project contributes to the Department's Mission by reducing injuries, fatalities and property damage and by improving the mobility of people and goods.

Funding:	FY2005	FY2006	FY2007	FY2008	FY2009	FY2010	Total
Fed Rcpts	\$2,500,000						\$2,500,000
Total:	\$2,500,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,500,000

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input type="checkbox"/> On-Going
5% = Minimum State Match % Required		<input checked="" 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	0
Totals:	0	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

FY2001 - \$1,600,000. Increased cost estimate.

Project Description/Justification:

The runway, apron and taxiway do not meet state standards for a community class airport. The embankment on the south end of the current runway is failing. Erosion has severely narrowed the current runway and created sharp drop-offs on both sides. The current runway is subject to severe cross winds and turbulence. This project changes runway orientation to alleviate the problem. Airport lighting will improve operations and safety during hours of limited visibility and darkness.