

Takotna: Airport Relocation**FY2009 Request: \$5,500,000****Reference No: 39179****AP/AL:** Allocation**Project Type:** Construction**Category:** Transportation**Location:** Takotna**Contact:** Frank Richards**House District:** Interior Villages (HD 6)**Contact Phone:** (907)465-3900**Estimated Project Dates:** 07/01/2008 - 06/30/2013**Appropriation:** Airport Improvement Program**Brief Summary and Statement of Need:**

Relocate the airport about a mile east of the village. This will include acquiring property and constructing the following to current standards: new runway, taxiway, apron, airport lighting and visual aids, snow removal equipment building and an airport access road. 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:	FY2009	FY2010	FY2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	Total
Fed Rcpts	\$5,500,000						\$5,500,000
Total:	\$5,500,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,500,000

<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 type="checkbox"/> Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health Bill	

Operating & Maintenance Costs:

	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Staff</u>
Project Development:	0	0
Ongoing Operating:	47,000	0
<u>One-Time Startup:</u>	<u>0</u>	
Totals:	47,000	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

FY2006 - \$6,800,000; FY2005 - \$5,111,000.

Project Description/Justification:

The existing Takotna airport has one gravel runway, which is shorter than standards recommend, lacks lighting, and has an obstructed approach surface. The runway safety area does not conform to standards for length, width, and grading. The aircraft parking apron is a widened portion of the runway; aircraft commonly park inside the object free area and the airport lacks maintenance facilities.

Operating and maintenance costs will be approximately \$47,000 per year beginning in 2011.