

Nome Road Improvements**FY2009 Request: \$4,000,000****Reference No: 40579****AP/AL:** Allocation**Project Type:** Construction**Category:** Transportation**Location:** Nome**Contact:** Frank Richards**House District:** Bering Straits (HD 39)**Contact Phone:** (907)465-3900**Estimated Project Dates:** 03/01/2009 - 06/30/2014**Appropriation:** Highway and Bridge Stimulus Projects**Brief Summary and Statement of Need:**

Improve road drainage and provide dust control mitigation on Nome city streets. Solutions to the dust control issues will vary based on existing condition of the streets and material types, including high float, paving or the use of chemical dust palliatives. 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:	<u>FY2009</u>	<u>FY2010</u>	<u>FY2011</u>	<u>FY2012</u>	<u>FY2013</u>	<u>FY2014</u>	<u>Total</u>
Federal ES	\$4,000,000						\$4,000,000
Total:	\$4,000,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,000,000

<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
<u>One-Time Startup:</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Totals:	0	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

FY2006 \$1,000,000 Congressional Earmark.

Project Description/Justification:

The community has seen an increase in vehicle traffic over the past decade. This increase has made dust mitigation such as paving or chemical treatments on local roads a significant issue. The project will also improve drainage on city streets that are typically impacted by permafrost and migration of fine soil particles caused by snowmelt and seasonal rain. Improving drainage is critical to the effectiveness of any dust-abatement surface treatment. Proper drainage will also prevent potholing and any further loss of pavement on the few paved streets in the community.

This project meets the prioritization criteria of serving an economically distressed area, leverages other funds (congressional earmark), and can turn dirt in 2009. Advertising of this project is estimated to take place in July, 2009.