

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Municipalities (AS 37.05.315)****Grant Recipient: Anchorage****Project Title:****Project Type: Equipment and Materials**

Anchorage - Baxter Elementary School Classroom Technology Equipment

State Funding Requested: \$50,001**House District: 21 / K**

One-Time Need

Brief Project Description:

Purchase equipment in support of technology in classrooms at Baxter Elementary.

Funding Plan:**Total Cost of Project: \$25,000***There is no other funding needed***Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

Currently we have only one student computer in each of our primary classrooms. We need two additional computers for 10 classrooms (20 computers) in order to give our struggling students an opportunity to use Lexia Learning Software, Mind Play, and other intervention software on a daily basis, to support and enhance our reading curriculum and to increase student achievement. In addition to our intervention software, our teachers need to have a quick way to assess and monitor student progress. Through the use of Palm Pilots, teachers can enter data quickly into the Aims Web program and have immediate graphs to share with parents and to plan interventions to increase student achievement. (15 Palms - Tungsten E2)

Project Timeline:

This project will be completed no later than June 30, 2012.

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

Anchorage School District

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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

