

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development

Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)

Grant Recipient: Anchorage Museum at Rasmuson Center

Federal Tax ID: 92-6009317

Project Title:

Project Type: Maintenance and Repairs

Anchorage Museum at Rasmuson Center - Major Maintenance Project

State Funding Requested: \$2,000,000
One-Time Need

House District: Anchorage Areawide (17-32)

Brief Project Description:

Replacement of mechanical and electrical systems in the original museum building

Funding Plan:

Total Cost of Project: \$2,400,000

	<u>Funding Secured</u>		<u>Other Pending Requests</u>		<u>Anticipated Future Need</u>	
	<i>Amount</i>	<i>FY</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>FY</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>FY</i>
State Funds	\$500,000	FY09				
Total	\$500,000					

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

The expansion wing of the Museum will be among the first LEED certified facilities in Alaska, utilizing “green” and energy efficient technologies. However, other parts of the Museum are over forty (40) years old and the mechanical systems in this part of the facility are incompatible with the expansion environmental systems. These older, highly inefficient and deteriorating systems require a complete replacement to be compatible with the new environmental systems. This effort will greatly increase energy efficiency and safety of the entire facility, and substantially decrease maintenance and operating costs now and for decades to come.

The Museum has received professional engineering estimates for replacing and/or improving the aging mechanical systems. The total budget estimate is 2.3 million and the Anchorage Museum requests support from the State for the amount \$2,000,000 to accomplish this “shovel ready” capitol improvement project.

Attached please find support documents including the major systems replacement summary estimated costs sheet.

Project Timeline:

FY11

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

Anchorage Museum

\$2,000,000
Approved

Grant Recipient Contact Information:

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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