Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development

Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)

Grant Recipient: Anchorage Park Foundation **Federal Tax ID:** 412205907

Project Title: **Project Type:** Remodel, Reconstruction and Upgrades

Anchorage Park Foundation - Chester Creek Sports Complex Mulcahy Rinks Reconstruction

State Funding Requested: $250,000 **House District:** Anchorage Areawide (16-32)
One-Time Need

Brief Project Description:

Demolition and reconstruction of the Mulcahy Rinks, two outdoor hockey rinks maintained and operated by the Municipality of Anchorage, at the Chester Creek Sports Complex.

Funding Plan:

Total Project Cost:	$400,000
Funding Already Secured:	($100,000)
FY2013 State Funding Request:	($250,000)
Project Deficit:	$50,000

Funding Details:

- Dasher Board & Fence Material Installed --$110,000

- Resurfacing - $50,000

- Design - $15,000

- Construction Contingency - $25,000

Total- $200,000 for each rink

Grand Total- $400,000 with 50K In Kind (volunteer)

Funding In-Hand:

Scotty Gomez Foundation $50,000

Anchorage Park Foundation $50,000

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

The two outdoor hockey rinks at the Chester Creek Sports Complex are used consistently for hockey throughout the long Anchorage winters, and they even get summer roller hockey use. Because the Mulcahy rinks are among the most cost competive sheets of ice in town they are frequented by youth hockey groups in the after school hours. Pick-up games at the Mulcahy Rinks are constant.

While the Mulcahy Rinks have some of the best maintained ice in town, the boards are old and in disrepair, requiring full replacement. The surface should be replaced for full year use and ease of maintenance.

The Scotty Gomez Foundation and the Anchorage Park Foundation are teaming up again in 2012 to rebuild municipal rinks, this time the Mulchahy Rinks, with foundation funding and volunteer support.

Contact Name: Amory Lelake
Contact Number: 465.3704

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$250,000 Approved

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In 2008 the Scotty Gomez Foundation and the Anchorage Park Foundation requested legislative funding to rebuild the Scotty Gomez Rink at Tikishla Park. With the help of the Airport Heights Community Council, our partners leveled and resurfaced the rink; stabilized the rink foundation; installed new dasher boards; and added energy-efficient lighting. We can have a repeat performance in Fairview with the help of the Alaska State Legislature.
http://anchorageparkfoundation.org/projects_challenge/2008_ScottyGomezRink.htm

Project Timeline:

Late Summer 2012

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

Municipatiy of Anchorage

Grant Recipient Contact Information:

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	Anchorage, Alaska 99501
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Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority? [X] Yes [ ] No

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Anchorage Park Foundation

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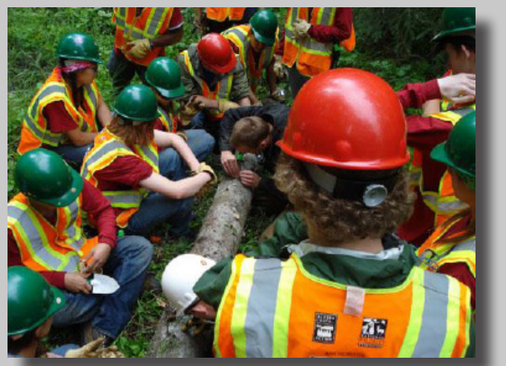
Volunteers

Improve Parks

Build Stronger Neighborhoods

And Build a Stronger Anchorage



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2012

CAPSIS Project Number

55319

Legislative District: 23L

Anchorage Park Foundation

Anchorage has 10,946 acres of municipal parkland, 223 parks, and over 250 miles of trails and greenbelts linking neighborhoods with natural spaces.

The Anchorage Park Foundation partners with the Parks & Recreation Department to promote Healthy Parks and Healthy People in the Anchorage community. Together, we revitalize the safety, function, and appearance of Anchorage parks and the neighborhoods that surround them.

The Anchorage Park Foundation mobilizes public support and financial resources for Anchorage parks, trails, and recreation opportunities. Do you have a vision for parks, trails, open spaces and recreation in Anchorage? Consider the Anchorage Park Foundation your opportunity to fund community projects through public-private partnerships.

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Healthy Parks Healthy People

Anchorage Park Foundation

Mulcahy Outdoor Hockey Rinks

In 2008, the Anchorage Park Foundation, Parks & Recreation Department and the Scotty Gomez Foundation partnered to rehabilitate the neighborhood hockey rink in Tikishla Park. The partners raised more than $300,000 in cash and community support to rehabilitate the rink foundation, install lighting, dasher boards and resurface the arena.

Project partners now plan to work together to rebuild the two municipally owned and maintained outdoor rinks at the Chester Creek Sports Complex. The two outdoor rinks are heavily used for children's and community hockey throughout each winter, and the rinks are in disrepair. The rinks are currently unsafe, with decrepit dasher boards, energy-intensive lighting and unusable restrooms.

Project partners will demolish and remove existing rink structures, rebuild the two outdoor rinks and replace dasher boards in partnership with volunteer groups. The Scotty Gomez Foundation and Anchorage Park Foundation will work together to raise community funds and support to match legislative investment in this tremendous community asset. With a revitalized community hockey complex, legislators will ensure that children grow up with the same healthy outdoor recreation opportunities we grew up with.

About the Scotty Gomez Foundation

The Scotty Gomez Foundation will achieve its mission by hosting fundraising efforts primarily to offer monetary support of associations and individuals. The Foundation exists to grow the pool of hockey talent and level of competition in the state of Alaska so more young hockey players can achieve their highest potential.

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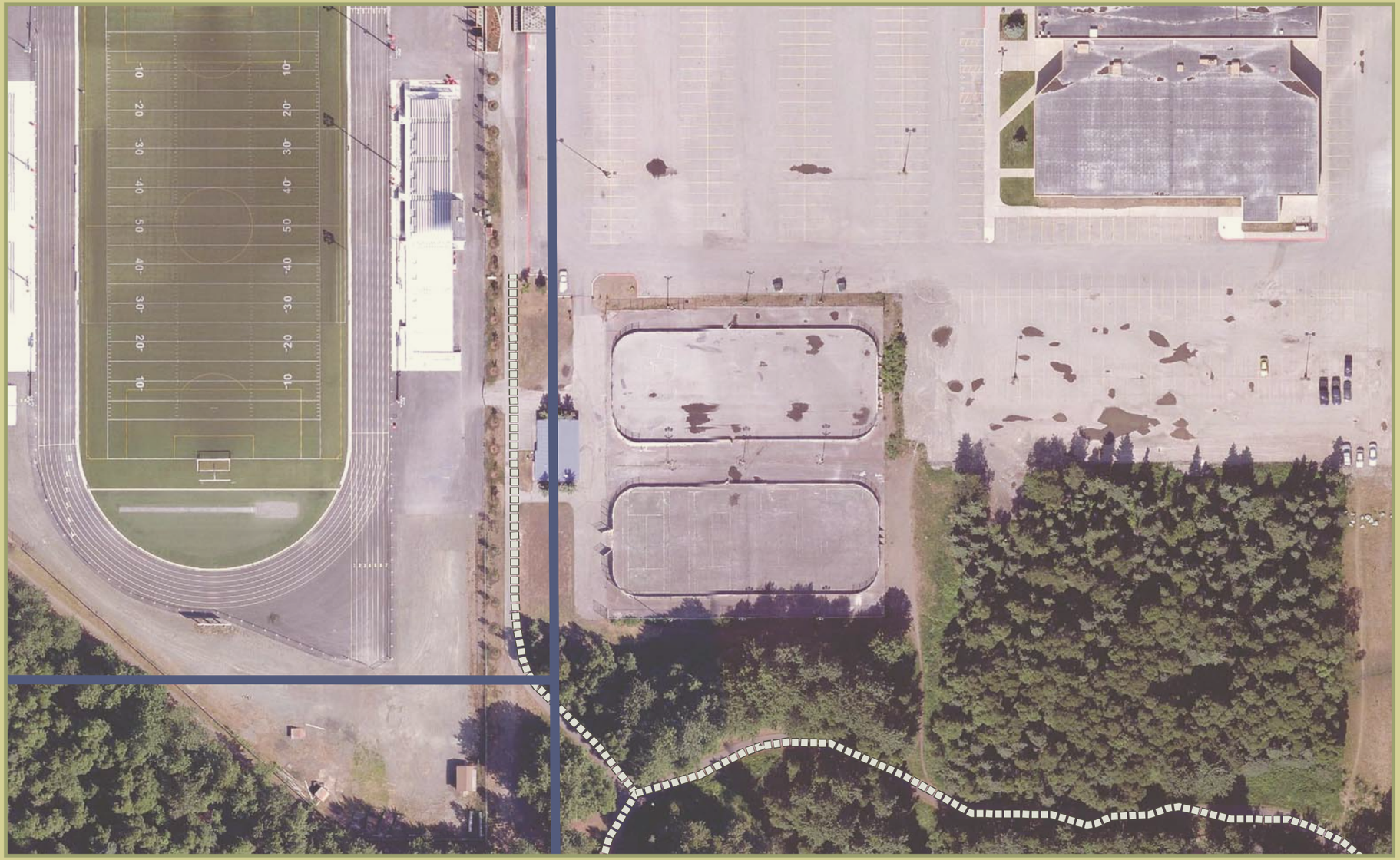

MULCAHY OUTDOOR ICE RINKS

Sheet Title: Aerial View

Location: Chester Creek Sports Complex, Anchorage, Alaska

Sheet: L-1

Date: 06-15-20101

Scale: 1" = 100' - 0"

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PARKS & RECREATION

Mulcahy Outdoor Hockey Rink

Project Cost Estimate

Project Budget	Cost
Dasher board & fence material, installed	$220,000
Resurfacing	$100,000
Design	$30,000
Construction Contingency	$50,000
TOTAL	**$400,000**

2012 Request

Anchorage Park Foundation	$50,000
Scotty Gomez Foundation	$50,000
State Funding Request	$250,000
In Kind Volunteer Labor	$50,000
Total Project Budget	**$400,000**

Fairview Community Council

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January 17, 2011

Alaska State Legislators
State Capitol
Juneau, AK 99801-1182

Dear Senators and Representatives:

This letter concerns the FY2012 State Funding Request for $250,000 from the Municipality of Anchorage for "Anchorage Park Foundation – Mulcahy Rinks Reconstruction at Chester Creek Sports Complex" (TPS Number: 55319).

At its general membership meeting on January 13, 2011, the Fairview Community Council voted 12-1 in support of this request for state funds to supplement the $100,000 already contributed by two nonprofits—$50,000 by the Scotty Gomez Foundation and $50,000 by the Anchorage Park Foundation.

In the spirit of taking better care of what we have, the Council applauds the efforts of private nonprofits wishing to better our public facilities, and notes the success of these same nonprofits in a neighboring community. The Airport Heights Community Council worked closely with these groups in 2008-2009, also with the help of legislative funding, to rebuild the outdoor rink at Tikishla Park.

Thank you in advance for helping our community take care of its public assets in Fairview in partnership with local nonprofits and volunteers.

Please feel free to contact me at 222-0649 or chamard@gci.net if you have any questions.

Regards,

Sharon Chamard
President, Fairview Community Council

MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE

Parks and Recreation Department

Phone: 907-343-4562

Mayor Dan Sullivan

January 31, 2012

Alaska State Legislature-

The Municipality of Anchorage Parks & Recreation Department, the Assembly, and the Mayor have pledged their support for the projects listed below. While you will find these projects listed in the Municipality of Anchorage 2012 State Legislative Program Booklet, please note the Anchorage Park Foundation is requesting the funds and will be the primary grant recipient.

The Anchorage Parks and Recreation Department works closely with the Anchorage Park Foundation in our efforts to improve and maintain our park assets with volunteers, private and public funding.

As an Ex-Officio Board Member to the Anchorage Park Foundation, I am informed about all policies and programs. I support each project listed, and urge your continued support sustaining the world class recreation opportunities in Anchorage.

Sincerely,

John Rodda, Parks and Recreation Director

NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS 2012 LEGISLATIVE REQUESTS

These Neighborhood Parks have been identified for repair rehabilitation by neighbors during the 2011 Parks Report Card process. APF plans to work with individual legislators and their constituents to acquire private and public funding and volunteer support for these fix-its.

- Scenic Park, Muldoon Neighborhood Park Repair and Youth Employment in Parks Trail Work TPS, 57897
  APF Ask: $83,000
- Storck Park, Rabbit Creek/Bear Valley Neighborhood Park Renovation TPS 57898
  APF Ask: $200,000
- Forsythe Park, O'Malley TPS 57989
  APF Ask: $180,000
- Arctic Benson Park, East Spenard Park Safety Upgrades TPS 57991
  APF Ask: $83,000
- Kiwanis Fish Creek Park, Spenard TPS 57993
  APF Ask: $160,000
- Campbell Park, Replace Aging Playground Equipment, TPS 57821
  APF Ask: $200,000
- Fairbanks Park, Replace Unsafe Toddler Playground Equipment, Fairview TPS 57884
  APF Ask: $50,000
- Fairview Lions Park, Replace Aging Playground Equipment, Fairview TPS 57885
  APF Ask: $200,000

ANCHORAGE PARKS & TRAILS 2012 LEGISLATIVE REQUESTS

- Davis Park Athletic Field Upgrades with Polar Little League, Mountain View TPS 56090
  APF Ask: $500,000
- Elderberry Park Rehabilitation & Safety Upgrades, Downtown TPS 57899
  APF Ask: $300,000
- NE Anchorage Skate Park, TPS 57997
  APF Ask: $250,000
- Rovers Run Trail Reroute, Far North Bicentennial Park TPS 57975
  APF Ask: $75,000
- Ruth Arcand Park, Equestrian Trail Rehabilitation with Youth Employment in Parks TPS 57996
  APF Ask: $25,000
- Coastal Trail Surface and Safety Improvements, TPS 57896
  APF Ask: $1,000,000
- Mulchahy Rinks Reconstruction at Chester Creek Sports Complex, TPS 55319
  APF Ask: $250,000
- Downtown Streetscapes, TPS 55368
  APF Ask $310,000
- Campbell Creek Estuary, Build Trail and Trailhead for Public Access with Youth Employment in Parks TPS 56998
  APF Ask: $200,000

ADDITIONAL FUNDING REQUEST FOR PLAYGROUND PROJECT

The North Russian Jack Springs Park project was not identified for a legislative proposal until after the Assembly voted on their 2012 State Legislative Program. This project has had ample community involvement, and Phase I of construction is planned for 2012. The APF requests $300,000 to complete the project as an iconic Anchorage play area.

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