

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: North Peninsula Community Council****Federal Tax ID: 92-0173778****Project Title:****Project Type: Other**

North Peninsula Community Council - Nikiski Beautification

State Funding Requested: \$300,000**House District: Kenai Areawide (33-35)**

One-Time Need

Brief Project Description:

Collect abandoned and junk vehicles from private homeowners for decontaminating, crushing and disposal as scrap. Nikiski Priority #2.

Funding Plan:

Total Project Cost:	\$300,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2013 State Funding Request:	(\$300,000)
Project Deficit:	\$0

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

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Project Timeline:

2012 - Secure funding for a junk vehicle plan including collection and disposal contractors.

2012 thru 2015 - administer the collection and disposal of junk vehicles.

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

North Peninsula Community Council

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Total Project Snapshot Report

2012 Legislature

TPS Report 57497v2

Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority? Yes No

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Year 2012 State Capital Improvement Projects

COMMUNITY: NIKISKI

Funding Recipient: North Peninsula Community Council

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Project Priority
Ranking: 2

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Funding Request:	\$	300,000	Election District:	Senate:	Q
Total Project Cost:	\$	300,000		House:	34

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How did the Community select this project as a funding priority?

The community public viewing park overlooking Cook Inlet was 1st submitted as a legislative funded project in 2006, and was re-submitted for funding in 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010. This project was discussed and selected at many Nikiski community council meetings.

How has the community shown support for this project? (Volunteer, money, resolution, etc.)

The collection vehicles is a first come-first served program under the Revenue Sharing grants, and the need exceeds the funds available.

If a Community Meeting was conducted, how was it advertised? When and where was it held? Who attended?

Meeting notices were advertised in the local newspaper, radio, and posted at the Nikiski Post Office and Nikiski Senior Center. There are many community meetings discussing the junk vehicle collection and disposal, most recently on October 3 and 31, 2011 at the Nikiski Senior Center at the regular council meetings. In attendance at the October 31 meeting was KPB representatives, Assemblyman Ray Tauriainen, council members and Board, Senator Tom Wagoner, House representative Mike Chenault, and Nikiski community members.

Who owns the property and what is the status of the land for the project?

No property is requested nor used in the collection and disposal program.

Who will own the project or facility?

North Peninsula Community Council.

Entity responsible for ongoing operation and maintenance of this project:

North Peninsula Community Council.

How will operations and maintenance be funded after the project is complete?

The Council will fund the program until the funds expire.