Reference No:

AP/AL: Allocation	Project Type: Construction				
Category: Transportation					
Location: Anchorage Areawide	Contact: Frank Richards				
House District: Anchorage Areawide (HD 17-32)	Contact Phone: (907)465-3900				
Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2008 - 06/30/2013					
Appropriation: Surface Transportation Program					

Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

Project will add four-foot shoulders and new pavement; construct a paved pathway to connect existing pathways at Fire Lake and North Birchwood Loop, construct a short truck climbing lane just north of the fire station; construct left turn pockets at South Birchwood, North Birchwood, and Ski Road; and replace the bridge across Peters Creek. 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:	FY2009	FY2010	FY2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	Total
Fed Rcpts	\$5,000,000						\$5,000,000
Total:	\$5,000,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,000,000
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Operating & Maintenance Costs:	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Staff</u>
Project Development:	0	0
Ongoing Operating:	0	0
One-Time Startup:	0	
Totals:	0	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

FY2008 - \$6,200,000; FY2004 - \$5,625,000.

Project Description/Justification:

This segment of the Old Glenn Highway has changed from a rural area to a semi-urban area with business development and single and multi-family residences. The Old Glenn Highway was constructed under standards from the 1940's. Sight distances are limited and there are no turn lanes to allow traffic to exit and enter smoothly from side streets. Failure to improve the Old Glenn Highway at this time could result in operational problems and traffic delays, which could inconvenience the traveling public.