

Rapid Reaction to Highway Safety Features**FY2010 Request: \$200,000****Reference No: AMD 47599****AP/AL:** Appropriation**Category:** Transportation**Location:** Statewide**House District:** Statewide (HD 1-40)**Estimated Project Dates:** 07/01/2009 - 09/30/2011**Project Type:** Life / Health / Safety**Contact:** Frank Richards**Contact Phone:** (907)465-3900**Brief Summary and Statement of Need:**

This amendment to the FY10 Governor's Budget is being requested due to the State's current economic situation. This amendment reduces the FY10 Governor's Budget by \$100,000 General Funds for a new FY10 project total of \$200,000. Funding is needed to quickly address safety issues that cannot or should not be delayed. This would enable the regions to respond quickly and directly to relatively low-cost, but important, safety issues as they become aware of them and would not involve the time lag that typically accompanies a project through the federal process. 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:	FY2010	FY2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	Total
Gen Fund	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$800,000
Total:	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$800,000

<input type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input type="checkbox"/> On-Going
0% = Minimum State Match % Required		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health Bill	

Operating & Maintenance Costs:

	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Staff</u>
Project Development:	0	0
Ongoing Operating:	0	0
One-Time Startup:	0	0
Totals:	0	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

None.

Project Description/Justification:

Small highway safety features such as signs, chevrons, striping, flashing lights, speed indicators, etc. that can be installed without going through the federal process. The Municipality of Anchorage conducts a similar program that is very effective in providing timely responses to safety issues.