

**Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development****Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Soldotna Little League****Federal Tax ID: 92-007457****Project Title:****Project Type: Equipment and Materials**

# Soldotna Little League - Replacement of Field Maintenance Equipment

**State Funding Requested: \$45,000****House District: Kenai Areawide (28-30)**

Future Funding May Be Requested

**Brief Project Description:**

Replacement of Field Maintenance Equipment.

**Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost: \$45,000

Funding Already Secured: (\$0)

FY2014 State Funding Request: (\$45,000)

Project Deficit: \$0

*Funding Details:**2007 grant 07-dc-160 30,000 Field Improvement Grant. 2011 grant 11DC-584, Cap. Grant to Bring city water into complex & build proper bathrooms. 2012 25,000 grant Cap Improvement grant for Field Upgrades & Repairs.***Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

This grant would allow the Soldotna Little League to purchase field maintenance equipment, including lawnmowers, 4-wheelers, and a John Deere Gator. The equipment that is currently in use is obsolete and badly in need of being replaced. The Little League is using 4-wheeler's that are more than 20 years old. The Little League has been using a borrowed 4-wheel drive 4-wheeler in order to maintain the fields for the last 4 years. They have 3 lawnmowers, including a Kubota that is 13 years old, a John Deer mower that 12 years old, and a Craftsman that is more than 20 years old. All three mowers are used on a regular basis, and all three are badly in need of replacement. The Little League also utilizes a John Deere Gator that is 12 years old; the transmission is starting to slip an it is worn out.

**Project Timeline:**

July 2013 through September 2013

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

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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

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