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Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development

Grants to Municipalities (AS 37.05.315)

Grant Recipient: Petersburg

Project Title:

Federal Tax ID: 92-6000142

Project Type: Equipment and Materials

Petersburg - Cemetery Columbarium

State Funding Requested: \$85,000 One-Time Need House District: Juneau Areawide (31-32)

Brief Project Description:

To provide a columbarium for the placement of interred urns at the cemetery. The facility is an above-ground series of niches that accept urns and provide a location for remembrance of loved ones.

Funding Plan:

Total Project Cost:	\$100,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$15,000)
FY2015 State Funding Request:	(\$85,000)
Project Deficit:	\$0
Funding Details:	
In-kind labor and equipment of \$15,000	

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

This project is an enhancement to our existing cemetery overlooking the Wrangell Narrows. The purpose would be to provide a columbarium for the placement of interred urns at the cemetery. The facility is an above-ground series of niches that accept urns and provide a location for remembrance of loved ones. As more people have chosen cremation as an option, this type of facility has become more necessary. The Columbarium would be located in our existing cemetery.

Project Timeline:

Site preparation/order materials - Spring 2015 Construction period - May -- June 2015

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

Petersburg Borough

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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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Example of a Columbarium



The Petersburg Cemetery

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