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Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development

Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)
Grant Recipient: Anchorage School District

Project Title: Project Type: New Construction and Land Acquisition

# Anchorage School District - East High School - Stadium Seating and Scoreboard

State Funding Requested: \$2,100,000 House District: Anchorage Areawide (11-27)

Future Funding May Be Requested

# **Brief Project Description:**

Stadium

## **Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost:	\$3,800,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2015 State Funding Request:	(\$2,100,000)
Project Deficit:	\$1,700,000

## **Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

For project detail please refer to attached document. This request was developed at the school level, reviewed by District technical staff and endorse by ASD leadership. All requests have been presented to the School Board. This project may require municipal approval of a site plan amendment. ASD will initiate the site plan amendment process if the project is funded.

The \$3.8m request for the East HS Stadium can be productively funded in two phases. The first phase would cost \$2.1m and would construct the:

Scoreboard

Grandstand seating for 2,500

Pressbox

Spectator Fencing

Lighting

Flag Pole

The second phase, which could be funded later, would cost \$1.7m and would include:

Running Track

Concession Stand

Ticket booth

Perimeter Fencing

**Security Cameras** 

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Storage Building

# **Project Timeline:**

Please refer to attached document.

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

**Anchorage School District** 

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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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**Location** East High School

**Project Title: Stadium** 

**Amount of Funding Requested** \$3,800,000.00

**Total Funding to complete project** \$3,800,000.00

Primary House District: 17 Secondary House District(s): 16,18,19,20,25,27

Primary Senate District: I Secondary Senate District(s): H,J,M,N

#### **Project Description**

#### **Principal's Priority**

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Complete the East Anchorage High School Stadium. This would involve adding the necessary infrastructure and equipment to enhance a new turf field that has already been put in place, and enable it to be used for athletic events to be viewed by spectators. Depending on funding, this may include a larger track, seating, scoreboard, paving, lighting, and some fencing. By next year, East High will be the only comprehensive high school in Anchorage without the ability to host it's own events.

#### **Benefits if Project is Funded**

Will help meet the growing need for facilities that can host athletic events. Will be a positive addition to the local community, and will help dispel the perception among some that no one cares about schools in lower income areas. East High has more students on the Free and Reduced Lunch program than any high school in the district and is sensitive to apparent discrepancies between our school and schools in which students come from families with higher incomes and means.

#### **Impacts if Project is not Funded**

# of Students impacted by project 2200

Project Start Year 2014

**Project Finish Year** 2015

Project has matching funds are available No

Project has prior state funding available No

Project has federal funding available No

Project has had a public review process Yes

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Validated by: Facilities Validation Date 1/13/2014

Project Type Infrastructure