

**Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development****Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Chinik Eskimo Community****Federal Tax ID: 92-0101046****Project Title:****Project Type: Equipment and Materials**

# Chinik Eskimo Community - Golovin Volunteer Search and Rescue Equipment and Supplies

**State Funding Requested: \$96,100****House District: 39 / T**

One-Time Need

**Brief Project Description:**

This project is for equipment and supplies needed for the new Golovin Volunteer Search and Rescue Building.

**Funding Plan:**

|                               |            |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Total Project Cost:           | \$116,100  |
| Funding Already Secured:      | (\$0)      |
| FY2015 State Funding Request: | (\$96,100) |
| Project Deficit:              | \$20,000   |

*Funding Details:*

\$20,000 of match funds has been requested from the Norton Sound Economic Development Corporation

**Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

The new 26' X 48' Search and Rescue building is 90% complete, and scheduled to be completed by March 31, 2014, assuming all the materials arrive on time. It was funded with money from Norton Sound Economic Development Corporation (NSEDC) and the Rasmuson Foundation. This request is for funds which are needed to buy equipment and supplies for the Golovin Volunteer Search and Rescue (GVSAR).

Golovin is located in a very high traffic area both in the winter and summer months, and is located between two hub communities of Nome and Unalakleet. We are approximately 90 trail miles from the Iditarod finish line and also near the half-way point of the Iron Dog Snow machine race. These two events alone have resulted in several rescue operations. Golovin is located in a bay and when we have southerly winds, the winds force surge waters into the Golovin Lagoon. Every year we have people stuck in overflows. There have been a couple of lives lost in the Golovin Lagoon during winter travel. Using an airboat and FLIR would almost certainly save lives. Most recently on the 22nd of January, 2014, three individuals enroute between Golovin and White Mountain on the Fish River went through the ice and had to be rescued by teams. The majority of our search and rescue missions occur in the winter months when it is imperative to locate people as soon as possible.

The kinds of equipment which would be purchased with these funds, if approved, are:

- The FLIR Binocular and FLIR Lens are necessary to increase the likelihood of finding overdue people. It can potentially reduce search times, potentially save wear and tear on personal as well as Search & Rescue vehicles, spot people in fog or low light conditions, spot people in the water in very bright conditions, spot people in brush or shrubs, potentially determine

the freshest trails, spot dangerous trail conditions and bring more people home in a timely manner.

- The RivAir Boat will potentially save lives in our harsh arctic environment. Outboard or Jet Unit powered boats are not an option since they can easily suck up slush into the water coolant system, thus burning out the engine. Heavy slush and young ice too thick to walk on will stop a regular boat. Golovin has flooded 5 times since 2003. The airboat can be used to extract people who may not have left the flood zone. Rope or wire debris, as is often found during flooding, can tangle props or a jet unit can be disabled from underwater objects.

- The UHMW Plastic Sled is durable, easy to drag, light, can haul heavy loads, and will save on gas. The sleds can be turned over and made into temporary shelters from the elements such as rain and/or wet snow; they can also be made into an emergency boat in a pinch. They will also make the search teams more visible.

- Tracking devices will allow the searchers to transmit current location and/or create short messages that they could transmit, and they can also receive short messages.

- Our current snow machines are older models that need to be replaced because parts are more difficult to find in order to keep them running in top condition. We have had to use several privately owned snow machines during search operations. Similarly, we need a boat with an outboard engine, which will be reliable for years and which can more easily tow boats up to 20' length. All immediate assistance has been done with privately owned boats and owners who had enough gas on hand. These privately owned boats are used mostly for fishing, hunting, and gathering activities if weather permits. Down time for search and rescue uses make the families lose out on seasonal activities that support their families. It also causes wear and tear and additional maintenance to their boats and equipment which also creates a hardship for the owners.

The Chinik Eskimo Community will administer this grant on behalf of the GVSAR, and the GVSAR will maintain the equipment and supplies. The price quote for the needed equipment is just over \$116,100. \$20,000 will be provided from other sources; this request is for \$96,100.

### Project Timeline:

Purchasing would begin as soon as funds are approved.

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

Golovin Volunteer Search and Rescue

### Grant Recipient Contact Information:

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 Title: Member  
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 Golovin, Alaska 99762  
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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

**CHINIK ESKIMO COMMUNITY  
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January 17, 2014

Legislative Capital Projects Request  
2014 January Session  
Juneau, Alaska

**Capital Projects Department:**

The Chinik Eskimo Community is requesting \$96,109.51 on the behalf of the Golovin Volunteer Search & Rescue under the 2014 Legislative Capital Projects session, our Federal Tax ID Number is 92-0101046.

The physical location of this project is in Golovin, Alaska in the Bering Straits Region.

The project title is the Golovin Volunteer Search & Rescue Equipment Acquisition Project.

The Golovin Volunteer S&R Teams have had numerous searches over the years, we see on the news how Thermal Imaging devices could spot people in the dark, through fog, in brush and that the device may be able to identify the newest trail out in the country. The airboat is necessary for late or early season rescues in overflow conditions – overflows are much more frequent and larger, we have the Iron Dog Race, Iditarod Race and numerous travels are traveling between Mt. Mountain & Nome to the villages in the Norton Sound, many or most of whom are not familiar of those dangerous spots even after we have made many attempts of sharing that information. We need one plastic sled to haul loads in soft or low snow conditions, we will acquire four SPOT3 tracking devices that we can loan out to keep track of our local travelers, we need a wide-track fan cooled snowmachine with options and we need a Yamaha 150 hp 4-stroke outboard with a jet unit option along with all other optional equipment so we can use Golovin S&R boat.

We have a \$20,000 local cash match approved by the community and the City of Golovin at a community meeting in December 2013. This is budgeted for one wide-track fan-cooled snowmachine and options, communications equipment and fuel for the new S&R Building currently 90+% complete. We will have a complete budget for this \$20,000 Cash Local Match at a later date, no purchase orders have been made at this time.

The total project cost will be \$116,109.16, the \$20,000 cash match funding security is pending NSEDC acceptance of the 2013 budget. The Chinik Eskimo Community is requesting \$96,109.51 for this project.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Tribal Coordinator Donna Brown at the Chinik Eskimo Community at 907-779-2214 or Toby Anungazuk Jr at 907-779-2005.

Sincerely,

  
Irene A Navarro, President

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From: Chinik Eskimo Community  
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**GOLOVIN NATIVE CORPORATION  
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January 17, 2014

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2014 January Session  
Juneau, Alaska

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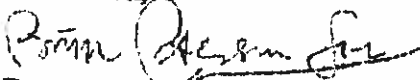
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If you have any questions of this letter of support, please do not hesitate to contact Golovin Native Corporation President Duane Lincoln or our Staff at 907-779-3251.

Thank You,



Duane Lincoln, President of Golovin Native Corporation

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| Quantity | Item                         | Item Number | Shipping    | Other Matching Funds | Price Quote |
|----------|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------|
| 1        | BHS Thermal Imaging System   | BHS-XR      |             |                      | \$6,434.40  |
| 1        | Extra Battery                |             |             | \$0.00               |             |
| 1        | BHS Thermal Imaging Lens 3X  | FLIR QD100  |             | \$0.00               |             |
| 1        | RivAir 16' Airboat           |             | \$17,000.00 | \$0.00               | \$4,675.00  |
| 1        | 10' UHMW Plastic Sled        |             |             | \$0.00               | \$36,000.00 |
| 4        | SPOT 3                       | SPOT 3      | \$251.00    | \$0.00               | \$1,048.00  |
| 4        | 2 year Additional Protection | SPOT 3      |             | \$0.00               | \$589.60    |
| 3 pr     | Clamp Mount                  | SPOT 3      |             | \$0.00               | \$89.88     |
| 4        | Activation Subscriptions     | SPOT 3      |             | \$2.00               | \$155.65    |
| 1        | Shipping to Colovin          | SPOT 3      |             | \$2.00               | \$800.00    |
| 1        | Beercat 570 XT               |             | \$40.00     | \$0.00               | \$40.00     |
| 1        | Ice Studs                    |             |             | \$0.00               | \$9,603.00  |
| 1        | Extra Wide Ski Skins         |             |             | \$0.00               | \$800.00    |
| 1        | Gear Bag                     |             |             | \$0.00               | \$150.00    |
| 1        | Windshield Bag               |             |             | \$2.00               | \$223.00    |
| 1        | GPS Mount, 276 Version       |             |             | \$0.00               | \$55.00     |
| 1        | Full Windshield              |             |             | \$0.00               | \$40.00     |
| 1        | Gauntlets                    |             |             | \$0.00               | \$150.00    |
| 1        | Asp Tank Bag                 |             |             | \$0.00               | \$42.00     |
| 1        | Snowmachine Cover            |             |             | \$0.00               | \$75.00     |
| 1        | Case Engine Oil              |             |             | \$0.00               | \$230.00    |
| 1        | Exr Plug                     |             |             | \$0.00               | \$172.00    |
| 1        | Extra Bat                    |             |             | \$0.00               | \$30.00     |
| 1        | X-trax Skags                 |             |             | \$0.00               | \$80.00     |
| 1        | Yamaha F150 2014 4-stroke    |             |             | \$0.00               | \$70.00     |
| 1        | Aut Unit                     |             |             | \$0.00               | \$13,885.00 |
| 1        | Steering Kit                 |             |             | \$0.00               | \$2,485.00  |
| 1        | Yamaha Multi-Tach Kit        |             |             | \$0.00               | \$190.95    |
| 1        | Racor 320R                   |             |             | \$0.00               | \$127.95    |
| 1        | Racor Filter S3227           |             |             | \$0.00               | \$122.95    |
| 1        | 12 Gallon Tank               |             |             | \$0.00               | \$33.95     |
| 3        | Yamaha Tank Fitting          |             |             | \$0.00               | \$134.95    |
| 2        | Horn Barb                    |             |             | \$0.00               | \$44.88     |
| 1        | Fuel Filter Funnel           |             |             | \$0.00               | \$11.80     |
| 1        | Fuel Hose                    |             |             | \$0.00               | \$24.85     |
| 2        | 30 gal drums w/ fittings     |             |             | \$0.00               | \$96.95     |
| 5        | Yamaha Oil Gallons           |             |             | \$0.00               | \$321.80    |
| 4        | Sony plugs LFR5A-11          |             |             | \$0.00               | \$149.75    |
| 1        | Yamaha Oil Filter            |             |             | \$0.00               | \$39.80     |
| 1        | Battery XHDM-14              |             |             | \$0.00               | \$51.80     |
| 1        | Battery box                  |             |             | \$0.00               | \$102.83    |
| 1        | TIR and Drain                |             |             | \$0.00               | \$12.85     |
| 1        | Shipping to Nome             |             |             | \$0.00               | \$11.85     |
| 1        | Acme to Colovin Shipping     |             | \$125.00    | \$0.00               | \$124.00    |
| 1        | Local Cash Match             |             | \$750.00    | \$0.00               | \$750.00    |
|          | TOTALS                       |             |             | \$20,000.00          | \$0.00      |
|          | Local Cash Match             |             | \$18,166.00 | \$20,000.00          | \$78,858.50 |
|          | Capital Projects Request     |             |             |                      |             |

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| Total Cost   | Source                 | Phone        |
|--------------|------------------------|--------------|
| \$8,434.40   | nord Atlantic USA      | 800-520-1990 |
| \$0.00       | nord Atlantic USA      | 800-520-1990 |
| \$4,875.00   | nord Atlantic USA      | 800-520-1990 |
| \$62,000.00  | Alaska Airboats        | 907-495-9273 |
| \$1,300.00   | Wilderness Ski-doo     | 800-449-6517 |
| \$589.80     | gpscity.com            | 800-GPS-CITY |
| \$89.95      | gpscity.com            | 800-GPS-CITY |
| \$155.85     | gpscity.com            | 800-GPS-CITY |
| \$600.00     | gpscity.com            | 800-GPS-CITY |
| \$40.00      | gpscity.com            | 800-GPS-CITY |
| \$9,600.00   | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$800.00     | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$150.00     | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$225.00     | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$55.00      | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$41.00      | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$150.00     | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$42.00      | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$75.00      | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$230.00     | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$172.00     | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$38.00      | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$68.00      | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$70.00      | Morgan's Sales Service | 800-478-3237 |
| \$13,395.00  | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$2,485.00   | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$180.00     | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$127.85     | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$102.95     | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$33.95      | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
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| \$51.80      | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$102.85     | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$12.85      | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$14.85      | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$125.00     | Dewey's Cook Inlet Mar | 888-522-3933 |
| \$780.00     | Fun-night Est          |              |
| \$20,000.00  |                        |              |
| \$116,109.51 |                        |              |
| -320,000.00  |                        |              |
| \$96,109.51  |                        |              |