Environmental Health Food Safety Laboratory Relocation FY2001 Request: \$240,000 Programming and Site Planning Reference No: AMD 32579

AP/AL: Appropriation Project Type: Health and Safety

Category: Health/Human Services

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Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2000 - 06/30/2005

## **Brief Summary and Statement of Need:**

Current food safety laboratory lease expires in December, 2000 and cannot be extended or renewed. This project contracts for services for programming, site planning and Bid Specification development to relocate the FSL.

Funding:	FY2001	FY2002	FY2003	FY2004	FY2005	FY2006	Total
Gen Fund	\$240,000	-					\$240,000
Total:	\$240,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$240,000
☐ State Match Required ☐ One-Time Project ☐ Phased - new 0% = Minimum State Match % Required ☐ Amendment					Phased - unde	,	-Going
Operating & Maintenance Costs:  Project Development:					Amo	unt 0	Staff 0
Ongoing Operating:				rating:		0	0
One-Time Startup:				tartup:		0	
			•	Totals:		0	0

## **Additional Information / Prior Funding History:**

An appropriation of 145.7 was made for FY 1999 for a feasibility study.

## **Project Description/Justification:**

The Environmental Health (EH) Food Safety Lab (FSL) has been located at its present location for approximately thirty years. During that time, the Lab has received only minor upgrades or renovation. The building does not meet current building codes. In FY99 EH contracted for a feasibility study to relocate the FSL. The study included conceptual design, general layout, equipment requirements, cost estimates, and lease versus build evaluation. The study was further refined in FY00, concluding that a build-to-suit State-owned facility was the most economical option. Property evaluations were performed and a State-owned parcel in Anchorage was selected. This appropriation will allow the Department to contract programming and site planning services. The activities will include spatial delineation of activity areas, internal building utility and equipment requirements, site plan and floor plan design, site analysis, material quality identification, estimate refinement, detailed project schedule development, and partial bid specification development.