

**Name: Airport Rescue and Firefighting / Snow Removal
Equipment Building**

**FY2007 Request: \$3,600,000
Reference No: 39268**

AP/AL: Allocation

Project Type: Construction

Category: Transportation

Location: Nome

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Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2006 - 06/30/2011

Appropriation: Airport Improvement Program

Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

Construct remaining portion of the combined Nome Airport Rescue and Firefighting/Snow Removal Equipment Building, including four bays for snow removal equipment and one bay for sand storage. This project contributes to the Department's Mission by reducing injuries, fatalities and property damage and by improving the mobility of people and goods.

Funding:	FY2007	FY2008	FY2009	FY2010	FY2011	FY2012	Total
Fed Rcpts	\$3,600,000						\$3,600,000
Total:	\$3,600,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,600,000

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input type="checkbox"/> On-Going
5% = Minimum State Match % Required		<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health Bill	

Operating & Maintenance Costs:

	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Staff</u>
Project Development:	0	0
Ongoing Operating:	48,000	0
One-Time Startup:	0	
Totals:	48,000	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

FY2005 - \$9,900,000.

Project Description/Justification:

Construction of the common areas including the mechanical and electrical control rooms and two equipment bays has been funded under an FAA Grant received in FFY2005. The Snow Removal Equipment Building (SREB) at the airport was condemned and demolished in 2004. Since that time the State has been leasing a facility off the airport at considerable expense. Without the necessity of renting other space, these funds could have been put toward other maintenance needs at the airport. The off-site leased building location results in delayed response time to airport needs. The Airport Rescue and Firefighting (ARFF) vehicle is currently stored in an insulated substandard building. The facility is needed to store existing airport equipment in proximity to the areas they maintain.

The operating and maintenance cost will be approximately \$48,000 per state fiscal year starting in FY2008.