

Stampede Road Improvements**FY2007 Request: \$9,000,000****Reference No: 40476****AP/AL:** Allocation**Project Type:** Construction**Category:** Transportation**Location:** Denali**Contact:** John MacKinnon**House District:** Denali/University (HD 8)**Contact Phone:** (907)465-6973**Estimated Project Dates:** 07/01/2006 - 06/30/2011**Appropriation:** Transportation Initiative**Brief Summary and Statement of Need:**

to complete improvements to the Stampede Trail between the Savage River and the Denali National Park Boundary, a distance of approximately 14 miles. The proposed extension will be constructed to a "Pioneer Road" standard. 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:	<u>FY2007</u>	<u>FY2008</u>	<u>FY2009</u>	<u>FY2010</u>	<u>FY2011</u>	<u>FY2012</u>	<u>Total</u>
Gen Fund	\$9,000,000						\$9,000,000
Total:	\$9,000,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$9,000,000

<input type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input type="checkbox"/> On-Going
0% = 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:	0	0
<u>One-Time Startup:</u>	0	
Totals:	0	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

FY2006 - \$5,000,000 AK CAP Income Fund.

Project Description/Justification:

This project will provide new opportunities for residents and visitors similar to the South Denali Access Project (Petersville Road). Current front-country development areas are reaching saturation. This project could provide additional opportunities for development of back-country tours and general tourism. Additionally, it will improve access to undeveloped state lands and could mitigate environmental impacts and improve safety for current users. Lastly, the project improves access to wildlife and scenic viewing areas.