

**Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**

**Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)**

**Grant Recipient: Tolsona Fire Department**

**Federal Tax ID: 27-0297624**

**Project Title:**

**Project Type: Equipment and Materials**

# Tolsona Fire Department - Response Vehicles

**State Funding Requested: \$50,000**

**House District: 12 / F**

One-Time Need

**Brief Project Description:**

Upgrade response vehicles from the thirty-five-year-old vehicles currently in use.

**Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost:	\$50,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2012 State Funding Request:	(\$50,000)
Project Deficit:	\$0

**Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

Tolsona Fire Department does not have an adequate water supply for response to a fire. We would like to upgrade our response vehicles to provide us with supplementary fire fighting capabilities by replacing our 1975 water tender which is a military 6 X 6 with a 1,000 gallon tank and a 1975 Dodge 4 X 4, 1 ton, 300 hp, brush truck with a mini pumper for fighting forest fires. The 1,000 gallon tank is the only water tank the department has to fight fires.

The thirty-five-year-old vehicles are becoming a maintenance issue. The fire department has the firefighting equipment to install on the new trucks. The old trucks will be drained and moth-balled in the winter and used for backup or rented to the Forest Service for forest fire suppression in the summer months.

The Tolsona Fire Department serves 17 miles of the Richardson Highway, 35 miles of the Glenn Highway,.....Mike will send map.

**Project Timeline:**

Acquire funding	Summer 2011
Completion of project	Fall 2011

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

Tolsona Fire Department

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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

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