

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Municipalities (AS 37.05.315)****Grant Recipient: Anchorage****Federal Tax ID: 92-6000078****Project Title:****Project Type: Equipment and Materials**

Anchorage - Begich Middle School Musical Instruments

State Funding Requested: \$25,000**House District: 19 / J**

One-Time Need

Brief Project Description:

Purchase 6 new orchestra instruments and 18 new band instruments.

Funding Plan:

Total Project Cost:	\$25,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2012 State Funding Request:	<u>(\$25,000)</u>
Project Deficit:	\$0

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

For project detail please refer to attached document.

Project Timeline:

Please refer to attached document.

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

Anchorage School District

Grant Recipient Contact Information:

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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

Location **Begich Middle School**

Project Title: **Purchase Musical Instruments**

Amount of Funding Requested \$25,000.00

Total Funding to complete project \$25,000.00

Primary House District: 19 **Secondary House District(s):** 21

Primary Senate District: J **Secondary Senate District(s):** K

Project Description

Principal's Priority 2

In order to provide daily instrumental music instruction to 144 orchestra and 327 band students in grades 6-8 we need a large school owned inventory. We currently provide 110 orchestra instruments to students -76%. We currently provide 175 instruments for band student use-53%. Due to our schools population's inability to fully fund instrument purchase and rentals outside of school it is our goal to make 80% available for orchestra and 70% available for band. We would like to purchase 6 new orchestra instruments and 18 new band instruments.

Benefits if Project is Funded

Equitable access for over 450 sixth grade students will be a benefit. Fairness and balance for our family and community population will be achieved for music instrument use. Music instruction benefits students by increasing brain activity; learning about arts history, performance and education; keeping at risk students involved in school at a high rate; teaching students about organization and group/team involvement and responsibility.

Impacts if Project is not Funded

of Students impacted by project 450

Project Start Year 2011

Project Finish Year 2011

Project has matching funds are available **No**

Project has prior state funding available **No**

Project has federal funding available **No**

Project has has a public review process **Yes** **Capital Request Advisory Committee**

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Validated by: Purchasing **Validation Date** 12/15/2010

Project Type Education