

**Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development****Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Boys & Girls Clubs Alaska****Federal Tax ID: 92-0036082****Project Title:****Project Type: Information Systems and Technology**

# Boys & Girls Clubs Alaska - St. Mary's Club Technology Upgrades

**State Funding Requested: \$3,000****House District: 39 / T**

One-Time Need

**Brief Project Description:**

Boys & Girls Clubs of St. Mary's will upgrade technology to improve youth engagement and involvement.

**Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost:	\$3,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2012 State Funding Request:	(\$3,000)
Project Deficit:	\$0

*Funding Details:*

n/a

**Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

Goals for the project: Increase youth engagement and involvement in the program, promote positive peer interactions, and ensure an open and relevant safe haven in St. Mary's.

2010 St. Mary's Membership 93

2010 Average Daily Attendance 15

Funding would allow staff to increase programming specifically directed at teens, keeping them engaged in positive programming in a safe environment.

Technology would be used to:

- Assist in career planning, college search, assisting with applications for either college or for jobs, resume writing, etc.
- For educational support – homework and test preparation
- Offer programming specific to teen recreational interests such as music mixing, animation, etc.

**Project Timeline:**

Technology procurement in Winter 2011, installation in Spring/Summer 2012.

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

Boys &amp; Girls Clubs Alaska

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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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