

**Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development****Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Nunapitchuk IRA Council****Federal Tax ID: 920065264****Project Title:****Project Type: Equipment and Materials**

# Nunapitchuk IRA Council - Community Improvements

**State Funding Requested: \$100,000****House District: 38 / S**

One-Time Need

**Brief Project Description:**

Development of a playground in Nunapitchuk.

**Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost: \$120,000

Funding Already Secured: (\$20,000)

FY2012 State Funding Request: (\$100,000)

Project Deficit: \$0

*Funding Details:**A site will be contributed for the playground by Nunapitchuk Limited.***Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

The community of Nunapitchuk needs a playground - a safe and fun way for kids to stay active and play. A playground will provide exercise all year long. It will offer a place to play and learn skills important in later life. A playground will alleviate some of the boredom and hopelessness youth in rural Alaska feel today. Bored kids are more likely to abuse drugs and alcohol. Substance abuse, alcohol abuse, boredom and hopelessness are all risk factors of suicide. A playground is one small thing we can do that may change the lives of many children.

The site will be a contribution by the tribe. A resolution is attached. Estimates for playground equipment are also attached.

The school has a playground but it is across the river. Children can play there at school but have no where to play after school or in the summer without crossing the Johnson River. We need a playground across the river because Nunapitchuk is separated by the Johnson River. We need a brand new playground. Nunapitchuk Limited will own the lot. The discussion of a playground has been a topic in our numerous City/IRA council meetings and we have incorporated it into a Capital Project request.

**Project Timeline:**

The project will begin in summer 2011 and end in summer 2012.

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

Nunapitchuk I.R.A. Council

**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

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**RESOLUTION 11-02-02**

RESOLUTION FOR "NUNAP III" PLAYGROUND.

- WHEREAS: The Nunapitchuk IRA Council is the Tribal Governing Body for the Native Village of Nunapitchuk; and
- WHEREAS: The Native Village of Nunapitchuk has a playdeck that is warped due to ground sagging and needs leveling every summer and the playground equipment is no longer stable and we need a playground for across the river while renovating the existing one; and
- WHEREAS: Children need a playground to exercise and play because there is no other place to play and childhood diabetes and obesity is common; and
- WHEREAS: Children need a playground to practice and perfect motor skills and developmentally important physical activities; and
- WHEREAS: Children need a playground as a place to play to alleviate boredom and reduce the chances that children will try drugs and alcohol as they search for something to do; and
- WHEREAS: Children need a playground as a place to play and be happy and to grow into happy adults and thus reduce the risk of suicide that affects rural Alaska; and
- WHEREAS: Having a playground is a simple project that will have a long-lasting impact on many lives; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Native Village of Nunapitchuk has determined that a new playground and playground renovation is a clear and significant priority.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was passed by the Nunapitchuk IRA Council, of which a quorum was present, with a vote of 4 yes; and 0 no; and 0 abstaining, on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 2011.

Signed: Joseph C. Chahiak  
President:

Attested A. N. N. N. N.  
Secretary

**Excerplay, Inc. / Delano, MN**

PlaySense Design 301 Complete, Ages 5-12,		\$ 13,210.00
8' Swing Two Belt Seats	266 lbs	1,070.00
8' Additional Bay	133 lbs	625.00
Safty Turfing Rubber Mulch	2000# Bag	14,080.00
Equipment Freight	1695 lbs	15,400.00
Turfing Freight		39,485.00
HGAC Discount, 6%		-894.30
Total		<hr/> 82,975.70

**Northwest Playground Equipment / Issaquah, WA**

Activo - Zelo, Surface Mount		\$ 10,735.00
Activo - Zelo, Ground Mount		11,506
Challenger Gound Zero Climbers, Surface Mount		13,086
Challenger Structure, Surface Mount		12,243
ZZXX0150 Spinami		4,151
ZZXX0430 Jumble Gym		2,631
ZZXX0150 Overdrive		3,221
ZZCH6810 Vortex		2,908
ZZCH5736 3 Chinning and Turning Bars		959
Freight to WA Port	4,000 lbs	3,325
Barge to Bethel 2 - 20' Containers		15,055
		<hr/> \$ 79,820.00

**Rainbow Park & Playground / Tigard, OR**

Play Structure Model 10-586-B /swing included		\$9,807.00
Rubber Mulch "Grade A" 100% Buffings and Steel Free (min. use zone)		10,189.00
Estimated Equipment Freight based on references above.		\$ 15,600.00
Estimated Turfing Freight based on references above.		25,000.00
		<hr/> \$60,596.00

Pricing is for equipment only  
and does not include installation, additional  
insured addendum, off loading of equipment at  
time of delivery, storage, security, site  
preparation, and security fencing