

**Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development****Grant Recipient: The Alaska Energy Authority****Project Title:****Project Type:** Remodel, Reconstruction and Upgrades

# AEA - Seward Power Plant Integration

**State Funding Requested: \$4,000,000**  
One-Time Need**House District: 35 / R****Brief Project Description:**

Add the necessary electrical switching components to permit the City of Seward to switch back and forth from grid power to its own generation without interrupting service.
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**Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost:	\$4,000,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2012 State Funding Request:	<u>(\$4,000,000)</u>
Project Deficit:	\$0

*Funding Details:**No funds received as yet for this project.***Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

This project will add the necessary electrical switching components to permit Seward to automatically and seamlessly switch power sources from the grid to owned-diesel generation (or vice-versa), thereby preventing a blackout of the city during the switching process.
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**Project Timeline:**

It is anticipated that this project will be completed in one year.
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**Entity Responsible for the Ongoing Operation and Maintenance of this Project:**

The City of Seward
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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