

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Community In Schools****Federal Tax ID: 92-0073478****Project Title:****Project Type: Other**

Community In Schools - Drop-Out Prevention Pilot Program

State Funding Requested: \$190,000**House District: 4 / B**

Future Funding May Be Requested

Brief Project Description:

A drop-out prevention program for students at risk.

Funding Plan:

Total Project Cost:	\$190,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2012 State Funding Request:	<u>(\$190,000)</u>
Project Deficit:	\$0

*Funding Details:**2005-2010 \$40-\$80 thousand per year from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention***Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

Communities In Schools of Juneau is designed for schools to help struggling students.

Communities In Schools was founded on the concept that students will achieve in the classroom when resources to address their academic and social and emotional needs are tailored, coordinated and accessible. Communities In Schools care coordinators understand that so much of what happens in the classroom is influenced by conditions outside of school. They work directly with the most disenfranchised student populations, identifying and removing barriers to their success in school and in life.

Care coordinators develop individual student plans and make the needed community contacts to social services and academic support. Working in partnership, not competition with other youth-service organizations and agencies, CIS ensures that needed services are delivered in a coordinated way. By bringing caring adults into the schools to address children's unmet needs, CIS provides the link between educators and the community. The result: teachers are free to teach, and students - many in jeopardy of dropping out - have the opportunity to focus on learning.

Project Timeline:

The Program will be 8/11-6/12

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

CIS

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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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