

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development
Grants to Municipalities (AS 37.05.315)
Grant Recipient: Kwethluk

Project Title:

Project Type: Other

Kwethluk - Airport Land Purchase

State Funding Requested: \$40,000
 One-Time Need

House District: 38 / S

Brief Project Description:

Funds will be used to purchase former community airport land.

Funding Plan:

Total Project Cost:	\$40,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2012 State Funding Request:	<u>(\$40,000)</u>
Project Deficit:	\$0

Funding Details:

None.

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

Kwethluk's original airport was built on land donated by the community. Since that time, the community has organized to become the City of Kwethluk. Additionally, the old airport has been abandoned and a new one built on other State-owned land.

The City of Kwethluk has been working with the State Department of Transportation on return of the old airport property to the community. While many early deeds for other communities stated that donated property would revert back to the community when it was no longer being used as an airport, the Kwethluk deed did not include that language. Because of this, this \$40,000 is needed to complete the transfer through a Fair Market Value property purchase by the City.

Project Timeline:

Expenditures will occur, in cooperation with DOTPF, some time in the FY2012 capital grant period.

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

City of Kwethluk

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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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