

Ninilchik: Village Bridge Replacement

FY2012 Request: \$2,200,000

Reference No: 51542

AP/AL: Allocation

Project Type: Construction

Category: Transportation

Location: Ninilchik

House District: Rural Kenai (HD 34)

Impact House District: Rural Kenai (HD 34)

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Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2011 - 06/30/2018

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Appropriation: Surface Transportation Program

Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

Replace the Ninilchik River Bridge (Bridge No. 0427) leading to Ninilchik Village with a two lane bridge. Reconstruct the approaches to the bridge. This project contributes to the Department's Mission by reducing injuries, fatalities and property damage and by improving the mobility of people and goods.

Funding:	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	Total
Fed Rcpts	\$2,200,000						\$2,200,000
Total:	\$2,200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,200,000

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input type="checkbox"/> On-Going
9% = Minimum State Match % Required		<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health Bill	

Operating & Maintenance Costs:

	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Staff</u>
Project Development:	0	0
Ongoing Operating:	0	0
One-Time Startup:	0	
Totals:	0	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

None.

Project Description/Justification:

This is project will replace a one lane steel stringer wooden decked bridge with an extremely low sufficiency rating of 14. Planned since 1991, this bridge is the only road access to Ninilchik Village and is failing and must be completely replaced. Both the abutments and piling have failed and temporary repairs by Maintenance and Operations are insufficient for the long term. Ninilchik has approximately 700 residents and offers recreational and commercial fishing, as well as tourism activities and is home to historically and archeologically significant sites within the Kenai Peninsula Borough.