2012 Legislature TPS Report 51246v1

Agency: Department of Transportation and Public Facilities

Project Title: Project Type: Remodel, Reconstruction and Upgrades

# 88th Avenue Upgrade - Spruce Brook Street to Elmore Road

State Funding Requested: \$800,000 House District: Anchorage Areawide (16-32)

One-Time Need

### **Brief Project Description:**

This project will upgrade a strip paved state owned collector. Alaska DOT will manage the design and construction of this project.

### **Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost: \$4,800,000
Funding Already Secured: (\$4,000,000)
FY2013 State Funding Request: (\$800,000)
Project Deficit: \$0

Funding Details:

2008 state grant for \$1,000,000 State grant for 3,000,000

# **Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

Improvements to this collector are expected to include pavement rehabilitation. The 2012 request is expected to fully fund the additional project costs for construction completion in 2013 or 2014. This state-owned collector street does not meet current standards regarding pavement, curbs, drainage, and pedestrian facilities. This project is a priority of the Abbott Loop Community Council.

In 2008, the Legislature approved \$8 million for this project. Veto action reduced the amount to \$1 million for preliminary project work but included support for future funding requests. The project was initially conceived as a Road Transfer Project that would be built to municipal standards and then transferred to the Municipality of Anchorage. Over the last year, a decision was made to move the project forward with continued state ownership. Indemnification issues have been resolved and the \$800,000 covers the increased costs that need to be met in order to finish the project. The entirety of past project funds have been reappropriated to Alaska DOT to complete the project.

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#### **Project Timeline:**

Completion of construction in 2014.

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

**Anchorage Municipality** 

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Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority? X Yes No

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