

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Fairbanks North Star Borough****Federal Tax ID: 92-6000096****Project Title:****Project Type: Information Systems and Technology**

Fairbanks North Star Borough School District - North Pole Middle School Classroom Equipment

State Funding Requested: \$25,000**House District: Fairbanks Areawide (7-11)**

One-Time Need

Brief Project Description:

This grant will be used to purchase replacement classroom computers, computer carts, and associated peripherals.

Funding Plan:

Total Project Cost: \$25,000

Funding Already Secured: (\$0)

FY2013 State Funding Request: (\$25,000)

Project Deficit: \$0

*Funding Details:**No previous funding history.***Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

This grant would be utilized to upgrade classroom digital technology - Purchase replacement laptop computers on carts for classroom use. The increased enrollment of NPM over the years also presents a challenge for us in allowing equal access to computers for instructional purposes. The community and its parents hold the expectation of student access to computers in order to increase academic skills specifically in the area of writing and for encouraging learners for the twenty-first century.

Project Timeline:

All equipment will be purchased prior to the end of the 2012/2013 school year (May 2013) and be installed and functional prior to the start of the 2013 school year (August 2013).

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

Fairbanks North Star Borough School District

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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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