

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Municipalities (AS 37.05.315)****Grant Recipient: Wasilla****Federal Tax ID: 92-6010143****Project Title:****Project Type: Planning and Research**

Wasilla - Regional Transportation Planning

State Funding Requested: \$150,000**House District: Mat-Su Areawide (13-16)**

One-Time Need

Brief Project Description:

To provide planning funding to ensure major highway construction projects meet community needs in and around Wasilla.

Funding Plan:

Total Project Cost:	\$150,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2013 State Funding Request:	<u>(\$150,000)</u>
Project Deficit:	\$0

Funding Details:

none

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

The Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities is in the process of upgrading the Parks Highway from Lucas Road to Big Lake, and Knik-Goose Bay Road from Centuar Ave to Vine Street. These are major transportaion corridors through Wasilla. The City is concerned that the State's need to move traffic will hinder access to businesses and residents. The City is seeking planning funding to research design options from other jurisdictions where highway design is balanced with access.

Project Timeline:

2013-2014

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

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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