

**Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development****Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Filipino Community, Inc.****Federal Tax ID: 92-0113973****Project Title:****Project Type: Maintenance and Repairs**

# Filipino Community, Inc. - Filipino Community Historic Building Repair and Maintenance

**State Funding Requested: \$80,000****House District: Juneau Areawide (31-32)**

One-Time Need

**Brief Project Description:**

Repair and redistribute the electrical system throughout the building; and to address audio system problems.

**Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost:	\$100,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$20,000)
FY2014 State Funding Request:	<u>(\$80,000)</u>
Project Deficit:	\$0

*Funding Details:**FY 2009: Designated Legislative Grant, \$75,000**FY 2010: Designated Legislative Grant, \$50,000**FY 2012: Designated Legislative Grant, \$50,000***Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

The Filipino Community, Inc. (FCI) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that owns a building and land located at 251 South Franklin Street in Juneau. The building is old and in need of major repairs. The building is also listed on the National Registry of Historical Places.

Over the past few years, the FCI has managed to tackle some of the major problems encountered with an old building and an eroding hillside through funding help from the State Legislature. However, because of limited funding the FCI has had to prioritize each repair and maintenance project by critical necessity. The FCI is now faced with addressing the electrical and audio systems within the building. There are multiple aged electrical panels in the building and hot spots have been identified where electrical overloads are apparent. The audio system and its wiring within the facility is also presenting problems and contributing to electrical concerns. The electrical issues must be addressed to prevent possible catastrophic problems in the near future.

**Project Timeline:**

The FCI has sought advice from electricians in the past. The FCI intends to solicit professional services and begin this project as soon as funding is secured. It is the FCI's goal to address the problem immediately and within the timeframe of available funding.

**Contact Name:**  
**Contact Number:**

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

Filipino Community, Inc.

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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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