

Juneau - Glacier Highway - Separated Multi-Use Path to University of Alaska Southeast

FY2014 Request: \$5,500,000
Reference No: 56885

AP/AL: Allocation

Project Type: Construction

Category: Transportation

Location: Juneau (Mendenhall Valley)

House District: Mendenhall Valley (HD 31)

Impact House District: Juneau Areawide (HD 31-32)

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Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2013 - 06/30/2020 **Contact Phone:** (907)465-3900

Appropriation: Surface Transportation Program

Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

Construct new, multi-use pathway from the west side of the entrance to Swampy Acres to University of Alaska Southeast (UAS) along the north side of Glacier Highway.

Funding:	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	Total
Fed Rcpts	\$5,500,000						\$5,500,000
Total:	\$5,500,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,500,000

<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

Prior Funding History / Additional Information:

No prior funding history

Project Description/Justification:

There is significant bicycle and pedestrian traffic between the Brotherhood Bridge and UAS. Currently, this traffic must use the paved shoulder (also a designated bike lane) along Glacier Highway. Traffic speeds along this stretch reach 50 mph which creates unsafe conditions for pedestrians and bicyclists. There is reasonable pedestrian and bike access along Glacier Highway before Brotherhood Bridge, as well as beyond the UAS entry, but not along this two mile stretch.