

Statewide - Various Airports Minor Surface Improvements **FY2016 Request: \$6,000,000**
Reference No: 36245

AP/AL: Allocation **Project Type:** Construction
Category: Transportation
Location: Statewide **House District:** Statewide (HD 1-40)
Impact House District: Statewide (HD 1-40) **Contact:** Jeff Ottesen
Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2015 - 06/30/2020 **Contact Phone:** (907)465-4070
Appropriation: Airport Improvement Program

Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

The State maintains approximately 253 Rural System airports. The surfaces on these airports are continuously degrading, due to time, use, settlement, wind and water erosion, moisture accumulation, and vegetation growth. Many of these airports are substandard and need minor surface improvements to improve their safety and capacity. The department has an active program to maintain and preserve paved surfaces to slow their rate of deterioration and extend the pavement life, deferring the need for high cost pavement replacement.

Funding:	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	Total
Fed Rcpts	\$6,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$31,000,000
Total:	\$6,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$31,000,000

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On-Going
5% = 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	0
Totals:	0	0

Prior Funding History / Additional Information:

Sec1 Ch18 SLA2014 P67 L33 SB119 \$1,000,000
 Sec1 Ch16 SLA2013 P84 L22 SB18 \$4,000,000
 Sec1 Ch17 SLA2012 P140 L10 SB160 \$4,000,000
 Sec1 Ch5 SLA2011 P105 L21 SB46 \$10,000,000
 Sec7 Ch43 SLA2010 P41 L3 SB230 \$6,000,000
 Sec1 Ch15 SLA2009 P26 L21 SB75 \$9,000,000
 Sec13 Ch29 SLA2008 P164 L10 SB221 \$5,500,000
 Sec4 Ch30 SLA2007 P108 L13 SB53 \$5,000,000

Project Description/Justification:

This project consists of the following minor surface improvements at state airports:

1. Additional gravel surfacing.
2. Pavement repair, crack sealing, overlay, fog sealing, and other pavement preservation actions.
3. Brush cutting.
4. Erosion protection improvements.
5. Surface grading and compaction.
6. Painting and pavement marking.

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7. Obstruction removal.
8. Other minor surface improvements, as funding allows.

The department establishes project priorities annually for funding that seek to maintain and preserve paved surfaces to slow their rate of deterioration and extend the service life of the pavement.