

Ambler - Airport Improvements

FY2016 Request: \$2,500,000
Reference No: 57841

AP/AL: Allocation

Project Type: Construction

Category: Transportation

Location: Ambler

House District: Arctic (HD 40)

Impact House District: Arctic (HD 40)

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Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2015 - 06/30/2020

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Appropriation: Airport Improvement Program

Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

Extend the main crosswind runway, rehabilitate the operational surfaces and safety area, upgrade the lighting, construct a new snow removal equipment building (SREB), demolish the existing SREB, and complete other improvements as funding allows.

Funding:	<u>FY2016</u>	<u>FY2017</u>	<u>FY2018</u>	<u>FY2019</u>	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2021</u>	<u>Total</u>
Fed Rcpts	\$2,500,000						\$2,500,000
Total:	\$2,500,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,500,000

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input 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 P65 L14 SB119 \$4,850,000

Sec15(c) Ch16 SLA2013 P121 L4 SB18 \$15,000,000

Project Description/Justification:

The runways at the airport are too short to meet existing community needs and require lengthening to improve safety. The surface course of all operational surfaces has degraded substantially. The airport lighting system is beyond its usable life and requires significant maintenance effort to keep it operational. The existing snow removal equipment building is one of the older and smaller buildings in the Western District. The structure is 40' x 40' and was constructed in 1992. The building is in disrepair and is in need of replacement.