

Life Alaska Donor Services, Inc. - Donor Program

FY2018 Request: \$80,000
Reference No: 50409

AP/AL: Appropriation
Category: Development
Location: Statewide
Impact House District: Statewide (HD 1-40)
Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2017 - 06/30/2022

Project Type: Economic Assistance
Recipient: Life Alaska Donor Services, Inc.
House District: Statewide (HD 1-40)
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Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

The sum of \$80,000 is appropriated from the anatomical gift awareness fund (AS 13.50.160) to the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development for payment as a grant under AS 37.05.316 to Life Alaska Donor Services for promoting the donation program described in AS 13.50.150 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018.

Funding:	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	Total
1202 Anatomical	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$480,000
Total:	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$480,000

<input 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
0% = 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:

Sec18 Ch2 SLA2016 P35 L22 SB138 \$80,000
 Sec27 Ch38 SLA2015 P40 L26 SB26 \$75,000
 Sec1 Ch18 SLA2014 P42 L29 SB119 \$55,000
 Sec1 Ch31 SLA2013 P51 L31 SB18 \$70,000
 Sec1 Ch17 SLA2012 P92 L31 SB160 \$35,000
 Sec1 Ch5 SLA2011 P65 L32 SB46 \$55,000

Project Description/Justification:

Money collected by the Department of Motor Vehicles through voluntary donations to the organ donor awareness fund created under (AS 13.50.160) is deposited in the anatomical gift awareness fund. This project appropriates these funds to the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development for payment as a grant under AS 37.05.316 to Life Alaska Donor Services, Inc., for promoting the donation program prescribed in AS 13.50.150 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018.

Life Alaska has served, since 1991, to facilitate the donation process in Alaska. They provide tissue distribution to local surgeons, manage the Alaska Donor Registry, and work in partnership with LifeCenter Northwest (the federally designated Organ Procurement Organization, based in Washington state) to educate the community about anatomical donation. Life Alaska also has an

extensive Family Services bereavement program that provides ongoing compassionate support to families who have lost a loved one.