

AHFC Federal and Other Competitive Grants

FY2021 Request: \$7,500,000

Reference No: 6348

AP/AL: Appropriation

Project Type: Life / Health / Safety

Category: Health/Human Services

Location: Statewide

House District: Statewide (HD 1-40)

Impact House District: Statewide (HD 1-40)

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Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2020 - 06/30/2025

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Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

The purpose of this project is to allow the Alaska Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC) to apply for Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), other federal agency, and private foundation grants that target the housing and supportive service needs of low-income and special needs groups such as: senior citizens, persons with mental, physical, or developmental disabilities, and the homeless. AHFC will also apply for energy-related grants as they relate to housing. When required, AHFC will provide the needed matching funds. Some of the funds received will be passed through to local nonprofit sub-grantee organizations that deliver housing and/or services.

Funding:	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	Total
1002 Fed Rcpts	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000	\$36,000,000
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Total:	\$7,500,000	\$7,500,000	\$7,500,000	\$7,500,000	\$7,500,000	\$7,500,000	\$45,000,000

<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"/> Ongoing
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:

- Sec1 Ch1 SLA2019 P5 L30 SB2002 \$1,500,000
- Sec1 Ch3 SLA2019 P6 L31 SB19 \$2,000,000
- Sec1 Ch19 SLA2018 P9 L14 SB142 \$7,500,000
- Sec1 Ch1 SLA2017 P7 L8 SB23 \$13,700,000
- Sec1 Ch1 SLA2017 P7 L9 SB23 \$1,500,000
- Sec1 Ch2 SLA2016 P6 L22 SB138 \$4,500,000
- Sec1 Ch38 SLA2015 P6 L18 SB26 \$4,500,000
- Sec1 Ch18 SLA2014 P61 L29 SB119 \$4,500,000
- Sec1 Ch16 SLA2013 P176 L31 SB18 \$4,500,000

Project Description/Justification:

Program Description:

This program allows AHFC to apply for and receive federal, state, and other grants that target the housing needs and supportive services of people with disabilities, victims of human trafficking,

low-income households, senior citizens, rural professionals, and the homeless. Numerous federal and private foundations incorporate a matching cash contribution requirement in their competitive grant programs. The grant match program has been vital to attracting outside funding into Alaska to meet the housing needs of these vulnerable populations.

Most of the federal funds received, as well as the match funds, are customarily passed through to local non-profit or municipal sub-grantee agencies who deliver the housing and related supportive services. Examples of programs with match components include HUD Supportive Housing, Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA), the USDA Housing Preservation Grant Program, and the HUD Section 811 Program.

AHFC will make application, as appropriate, to private institutions or foundations to study and/or address such issues as housing delivery systems, safe and viable neighborhoods, homelessness and aging in place. When required, matching funds are provided for grants that target the housing needs of low-income and special needs groups such as senior citizens, victims of human trafficking, persons with mental, physical, or developmental disabilities, or the homeless.

The projected outcomes are to successfully compete and fund the matching portion of the following grant programs:

- HUD Supportive Housing
- Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS (HOPWA)
- Grant Match Program
- OneCPD HUD Technical Assistance Program (Community Planning Development)
- The National Housing Trust Fund (NHTF)
- Section 811 Housing Program for Persons with Disabilities.