

**Scope Change to Allow Funds Associated with Interior Alaska Veterans Cemetery to be used at New Site**

**FY2024 Request:** \$0  
**Reference No:** AMD 65118

**AP/AL:** Appropriation

**Project Type:** Construction

**Category:** To be determined

**Location:** Fairbanks (Areawide)

**House District:** Fairbanks Areawide (HD 31 - 35)

**Impact House District:** Fairbanks Areawide (HD 31 - 35)

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**Estimated Project Dates:** 07/01/2015 - 06/30/2024

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**Brief Summary and Statement of Need:**

SCS2 Reversed

A scope change is required to enable \$95,607.71 in UGF to be used for planning, design, and construction of the proposed Interior Alaska Veterans Cemetery (IAVC) in the Fairbanks area.

<b>Funding:</b>	<u>FY2024</u>	<u>FY2025</u>	<u>FY2026</u>	<u>FY2027</u>	<u>FY2028</u>	<u>FY2029</u>	<u>Total</u>
Total:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

<input type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input type="checkbox"/> Ongoing
0% = Minimum State Match % Required		<input checked="" 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
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**Prior Funding History / Additional Information:**

- Sec14 Ch11 SLA2022 P125 L24 HB281 \$3,270,000
- Sec1 Ch18 SLA2014 P55 L29 SB119 \$100,000
- Sec1 Ch16 SLA2013 P69 L17 SB18 \$2,000,000
- Sec1 Ch17 SLA2012 P122 L7 SB160 \$2,000,000
- Sec1 Ch43 SLA2010 P29 L21 SB230 \$6,000,000

**Project Description/Justification:**

The original piece of land that was going to be used for the Fairbanks veterans' cemetery required that the State of Alaska mitigate, or preserve, the impacts of development to the western end of the property. That section of the property has a portion of the Davidson Ditch, a 90-mile conduit built in the 1920s to supply water to gold mining dredges in central Alaska and is a part of the Fairbanks Gold Rush history. This original project scope will not be carried out, as there is no longer a need on the new piece of land the Department will use for the project. The Department is requesting those funds be allowed to be used for other aspects of the Fairbanks Veterans' Cemetery project.