

AP/AL: Appropriation **Project Type:** Research / Studies / Planning
Category: University
Location: Fairbanks (University, Ester) **House District:** College/Ester/Chena Ridge (HD 35)
Impact House District: Fairbanks Areawide (HD 31 - 35) **Contact:** Michelle Rizk
Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2025 - 06/30/2030 **Contact Phone:** (907)450-8187

Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

Alaska agricultural research will become more agile as Alaska faces increasing food security demands and the need for industrial growth and expansion to help all Alaskans live better lives.

Funding:	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028	FY2029	FY2030	FY2031	Total
1004 Gen Fund	\$3,000,000						\$3,000,000
Total:	\$3,000,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,000,000

<input type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input checked="" 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 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:

Project Description/Justification:

Investment in agricultural research by Alaska will open more opportunities for diversified research production, meet federal capacity grant funding needs, and become a viable place for collaborative agricultural research with other states and nations.