

**Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development****Grants to Municipalities (AS 37.05.315)****Grant Recipient: Anchorage****Federal Tax ID: 92-0059987****Project Title:****Project Type: Remodel, Reconstruction and Upgrades****DRAFT Anchorage - 120th Avenue Upgrade - Johns Road to Old Seward Highway****Project Sponsor(s):****House District: 21 / K**

Representative Johnson

**FY2014 State Funding Request: \$7,000,000****District Priority: 1**

One-Time Need

**Brief Project Description:**

This project will construct missing pedestrian facilities and upgrade a local road that serves Oceanview Elementary. Improvements are expected to include a new road base, pavement, curbs, drainage, pedestrian facilities, and street lights. Improvements may include a student drop off lane and street lighting.

**Funding Plan:**

Total Project Cost:	\$8,200,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$600,000)
FY2014 State Funding Request:	(\$7,000,000)
Project Deficit:	\$600,000

*Funding Details:*

A 2008 state grant provided initial design funding.

**Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

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Funding is proposed as a partnership of local road bonds and state grants. Design study was funded through a previous state grant. Construction is anticipated in 2015 or 2016 depending on the availability of funding. High density residential development along 120th Avenue has increased pedestrian and vehicular traffic. The existing strip-paved road, drainage, street lighting, and pedestrian facilities are inadequate.

The grant funding may be used for planning, design, utility work, obtaining rights of way and easements, and any activity associated with upgrading the roadway and its amenities.

**Project Timeline:**

Design expenditures are expected in 2014 and 2015. Construction expenditures are likely in 2015 and 2016.

**Entity Responsible for the Ongoing Operation and Maintenance of this Project:**

Municipality of Anchorage

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Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority?  Yes  No

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