

Anchorage Metropolitan Area Transportation Solutions (AMATS) Projects, Flexible**FY2017 Request: \$25,000,000**
Reference No: 47872**AP/AL:** Allocation**Project Type:** Construction**Category:** Transportation**Location:** Anchorage Areawide**House District:** Anchorage Areawide (HD 12-28)**Impact House District:** Anchorage Areawide (HD 12-28)**Contact:** Mike Vigue**Estimated Project Dates:** 07/01/2016 - 06/30/2021**Contact Phone:** (907)465-4070**Appropriation:** Surface Transportation Program**Brief Summary and Statement of Need:**

The Anchorage Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) selects surface transportation improvement projects, except on the National Highway System, for receipt of federal highway funds within the Municipality of Anchorage. This process results in an approved Anchorage Metropolitan Area Transportation Solutions (AMATS) Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) which prioritizes and describes the capital projects to be funded in the coming years, and is the leading program that implements the Anchorage and Eagle River Long-Range Transportation Plans.

| Funding: | FY2017 | FY2018 | FY2019 | FY2020 | FY2021 | FY2022 | Total |
|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1002 Fed Rcpts | \$25,000,000 | \$25,000,000 | \$25,000,000 | \$25,000,000 | \$25,000,000 | | \$125,000,000 |
| Total: | \$25,000,000 | \$25,000,000 | \$25,000,000 | \$25,000,000 | \$25,000,000 | \$0 | \$125,000,000 |

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| <input checked="" 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 |
| 9% = 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 | |
| Totals: | 0 | 0 |

Prior Funding History / Additional Information:

Sec1 Ch38 SLA2015 P12 L21 SB26 \$32,000,000
Sec1 Ch18 SLA2014 P71 L16 SB119 \$7,050,000
Sec1 Ch16 SLA2013 P88 L4 SB18 \$29,470,000
Sec1 Ch17 SLA2012 P142 L21 SB160 \$39,202,000
Sec1 Ch5 SLA2011 P109 L33 SB46 \$27,220,000
Sec7 Ch43 SLA2010 P44 L11 SB230 \$19,360,000

Project Description/Justification:

A new TIP for federal fiscal years 2015 – 2018 has recently been approved and incorporated into the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). The program amount for AMATS in FY2016 is \$32 million.

With a relatively small program, priority shifts are very dependent on the project development process and the critical path for each project, whether it be right-of-way acquisition or cooperation with the

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utilities. In light of this fact, a single allocation of legislative authorization for AMATS' projects is requested.