

City of Bethel Action Memorandum

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Date action introduced:	January 24, 2017	Introduced by:	Peter Williams, City Manager
Date action taken:	January 24, 2017	X Approved	Denied
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Action Title

Direct Administration to prepare and submit an FY 2018 State Homeland Security Program grant application to request funds for equipment, shipping, installation, training, and other costs as determined by Administration before the grant application deadline.

Route to:	Department/Individual:	Initials:	Remarks:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Administration	Pow	Recommend Approved
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fire	W. Liberty	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Police		Recommend
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public Works		RECOMMEND
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Planning	AM	Recommend approved!

Attachment(s): FY 2017 State Homeland Security Program (SHSP) grant Agreement between the Alaska Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and the City of Bethel as representation of FY 2018 grant agreement, which the City will receive if awarded.

Amount of fiscal impact:		Account information:
X	No fiscal impact	
	Funds are budgeted for.	
	Funds are not budgeted.	
	Budget modification is required.	

Summary Statement

The City of Bethel has an opportunity to apply for FY 2018 State Homeland Security Program grant funds. The City may request funding for five projects. There is no limit to the amount the City may request. There is no match requirement. The grant application is due February 17, 2017.

The City of Bethel is preparing to ask for one or more of the following projects: (1) GIS Mapping and Data Integration (\$110,000), (2) SCADA system with video cameras (~\$400,000), (3) repeaters for radio transmission enhancement (TBD), (4) ALERRT active shooter training for police officers (~\$15,000), and (5) police emergency response boat (~\$50,000).

City Attorney concerns expressed after reviewing the FY 2017 SHSP grant agreement have been met or will be met when appropriate after award. Specifically, the City has an Emergency Operations Plan, completed the FY 2016 Assessment, adopted the National Incident Management System through resolution, will complete an Environmental and Historic Preservation Review, if needed, will send representatives to a regional meeting and training, if awarded, and prepares and submits an equipment inventory every year.