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Date: 12-12-06

Submitted by: Chair of the Assembly  
at the Request of the Mayor  
Prepared by: Office of Emergency  
Management  
For Reading: November 21, 2006

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA  
AR NO. 2006-307

A RESOLUTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE APPROPRIATING ONE MILLION FORTY ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED NINETY EIGHT DOLLARS (\$1,041,798) FROM THE STATE OF ALASKA, DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO THE AREAWIDE GENERAL CIP FUND (401), OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, FOR THE PURCHASE OF INTEROPERABLE COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT.

**THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY RESOLVES:**

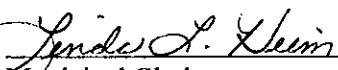
**Section 1.** That the sum of ONE MILLION FORTY ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED NINETY EIGHT DOLLARS (\$1,041,798) is appropriated as a grant from the State of Alaska, Department Of Military And Veterans Affairs, Division Of Homeland Security and Emergency Management to the Areawide General CIP Fund (401) Office of Emergency Management, for the purchase of interoperable communications equipment.

**Section 2.** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage and approval by the Anchorage Municipal Assembly.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Assembly this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2006.

  
Chair

ATTEST:

  
Municipal Clerk

**Departmental Appropriation:**

Office of Emergency Management (\$1,041,798)



# MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE

## ASSEMBLY MEMORANDUM

No. AM 848-2006

Meeting Date: November 21, 2006

**From:** Mayor

**Subject:** Appropriation of State of Alaska, Department of Military and Veterans Affairs, Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management State Homeland Security Program Grant (\$1,041,798)

The Municipality of Anchorage, Office of Emergency Management has received from the Office for Domestic Preparedness through the State of Alaska, a grant to enhance security and preparedness for terrorist prevention. Appropriation of grant is requested to the Areawide General CIP Fund (401).

The events of September 11, 2001 illustrated the critical nature of interoperable communications during an emergency. On that day, hundreds of first responders lost their lives. A major factor that contributed to their deaths was lack of interoperability between the New York police department and the New York fire department.

Similarly, the Anchorage Police Department and Anchorage Fire Department operate on disparate radio systems. These systems have reached the end of their functionality and need to be replaced. The Anchorage Wide Area Radio Network (AWARN) system will provide a common, interoperable radio system for all Anchorage first responders. This system will enable Anchorage to become fully compliant with Department of Homeland Security requirements for interoperability. Compliance with federal standards ensures that the MOA will be eligible for future federal communications grants.

The AWARN system is a multi-year, phased project that includes training, equipment, project management and infrastructure. The funds from this appropriation will be used towards the purchase of multi-cast repeaters for the AWARN project.

State Homeland Security Program Grant funds will be administered by the Municipality of Anchorage Office of Emergency Management. This grant began on September 1, 2006 and will end on December 31, 2007.

### REVENUES:

<u>Account Number</u>	<u>Account Name</u>	<u>Amount</u>
401-1276-9398	State Grant Revenue Pass-Thru	<u>\$1,041,798</u>
	Total	\$1,041,798

### Expenditures:

401-1276-5401	M& E >\$4,999 Except HW&SW	<u>\$1,041,798</u>
	Total	\$1,041,798

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4 RECOMMENDATION:

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6 THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS THE ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION BE APPROVED  
7 APPROPRIATING ONE MILLION FORTY ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED NINETY EIGHT  
8 DOLLARS (\$1,041,798) FROM THE STATE OF ALASKA, DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND  
9 VETERANS AFFAIRS, DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY, TO THE AREAWIDE GENERAL CIP  
10 FUND (401) OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR THE PURCHASE OF INTEROPERABLE  
11 COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT.  
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14 Prepared by: Heather Handyside, Director, Office of Emergency Management

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16 Fund Certification: Jeffrey E. Sinz, Chief Fiscal Officer  
17 401-1276-9398-127960 BP2006 \$ 1,041,798  
18 (ODP Pass-Thru, State Capital Grant)  
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20 Concur: Denis C. LeBlanc, Municipal Manager

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22 Respectfully Submitted: Mark Begich, Mayor

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