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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

# **Anchorage - Creekside Park and Pathway Improvements**

State Funding Requested: \$500,000 House District: Anchorage Areawide (9-24)

One-Time Need

## **Brief Project Description:**

Upgrades to Creekside Park & Pathway, resurfacing, lighting, playground equipment.

**Funding Plan:** 

Total Project Cost: \$500,000
Funding Already Secured: (\$0)
FY2025 State Funding Request: (\$500,000)
Project Deficit: \$0

Funding Details:

N/A

## **Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

This pathway runs through Northeast Anchorage, offering a route for pedestrians and cyclists traveling north-south. It's also designated as a Safe Route to School for Creekside Elementary, which is adjacent to the park. However, the pathway is currently in poor condition and would greatly benefit from upgrades to its lighting fixtures and overall infrastructure. Playground equipment and surfacing would also be upgraded, as it no longer complies with ADA accessibility standards.

# **Project Timeline:**

The project should take 2-3 years for design and construction upon securing funding.

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

Anchorage Parks and Recreation, 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 X No

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