Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

This request allows the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs (DMVA) to move and renovate the STARBASE program from the Alaska Military Youth Academy (AMYA) campus and co-locate it with its parent organization, the Alaska Air National Guard (ANG) on Joint Base Elmendorf Richardson (JBER). This FY2012 supplemental funding will allow DMVA to modify the facility to meet the STARBASE mission.

Funding:	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	Total	
Gen Fund	\$195,000						\$195,000	
Total:	\$195,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$195,000	
□ State Match Required ✓ One-Time Project □ Phased - new 0% = Minimum State Match % Required □ Amendment					Phased - underMental Health		-Going	
Operating & Maintenance Costs: Project Development:					<u>Amou</u>	Amount <u>Staff</u> 0 0		
	Ongoing Operating:					0	0	
		One-Time Startup:				0		

Totals:

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

This is a new request.

Project Description/Justification:

This request allows the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs (DMVA) to move the STARBASE program from the Alaska Military Youth Academy (AMYA) campus and co-locate it with its parent organization, the Alaska Air National Guard (ANG) on Joint Base Elmendorf Richardson (JBER). The active duty Air Force on JBER is providing and moving the building.

The building is currently owned by active duty Air Force. The Air Force needs the site cleared on which this building is located. They have offered to donate and move the building for DMVA use if the State acts now. This is a win-win situation as STARBASE has been operating out of the AMYA campus in a building that is needed by AMYA. This project frees up needed building space for AMYA use and allow STARBASE to have a facility located on the Air National Guard campus, its sponsoring agency. The building will need some renovations, such as storage, office, and classroom space to allow for specific program needs. If the department waits and asks for the funding in FY2013, DMVA risks losing the building or needing to ask for additional funds to move the building from an unknown location to which the building will be located.

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