

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Alaska Pretrial Services, Inc.****Federal Tax ID: 45-4346973****Project Title:****Project Type: Other**

Alaska Pretrial Services, Inc. - Pre-Trial Release and Community Safety Projects

State Funding Requested: \$250,000**House District: Statewide (1-40)**

Future Funding May Be Requested

Brief Project Description:

Electronic monitoring program for defendants in the Alaska pre-trial criminal system to reduce costs to the State of Alaska for in-custody pre-trial incarceration prior to adjudication.

Funding Plan:

Total Project Cost:	\$250,000
Funding Already Secured:	(\$0)
FY2013 State Funding Request:	<u>(\$250,000)</u>
Project Deficit:	\$0

Funding Details:

The project has been defendant and privately funded since inception in September 2010 to date. No public funding or donations have been utilized to date.

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

Alaska Pretrial Services offers Third Party Custodian Electronic Release options to pre-trial incarcerated defendants in the State of Alaska Department of Corrections system. The program offers 24/7 active, real time electronic GPS/Cellular sight and sound supervision, drug and alcohol testing, public and victim safety action plans that are real time supervised while the defendant is out-of-custody on third party release to Alaska Pretrial Services. The program works with probation, prosecution, law enforcement and the judiciary to maintain a constant real time public safety, victim safety and bail conditions compliance system to keep an appropriately supervised release that a physical third party custodian cannot.

Alaska Pretrial Services provided supervision for 236 pre-trial defendants in 2011 as a defendant and privately funded project. The 2011 Legislative estimate for the State of Alaska Department of Corrections is \$134.90 per day to incarcerate a defendant. Alaska Pretrial Services had an estimated 51 defendants per month on the program at a savings to the State of Alaska of \$6,879.90 per day or \$206,397.00 per month.

Alaska Pretrial Services is wanting to add an additional 31 defendant positions per month for individuals that are at the poverty level for income and cannot afford the Alaska Pretrial Services Program, but require a Third Party Custodian by Alaska Bail Statute and have charges the Judiciary Officer feels Alaska Pretrial Services can successfully supervise them for bail conditions compliance while meeting public safety, victim safety and risk of flight. The State of Alaska would normally pay \$4,047.00 per month per defendant to incarcerate these individuals. With the Alaska Pretrial Services Program the State of Alaska would pay \$22.00 per day (current SOA DOC rate for post-trial monitoring) \$660.00 per month per

defendant. This is a cost savings of \$3,387.00 per month per defendant, or \$104,997.00 for 31 defendant positions per month with a total annual savings to the State of Alaska of \$1,259,964.00 per year based on 31 added low income positions.

Project Timeline:

Immediately beginning upon the awarding of the grant and the following 12 months there after.

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

Alaska Pretrial Services / Anchorage Main Office

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Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Third Party Custodian Solutions

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..... is a privately ran, defendant funded Pre-Trial Defendant Monitoring Program that was founded in 2009 and developed in 2010 as a tool to assist the Alaska Criminal Justice System with accurate pre-release information. APS provides innovative programs and services as tools to Judicial Officers for pre-trial release decisions. Most importantly it is an avenue to improve both public and victim safety through effective compliance monitoring of defendants in a pre-trial environment.

Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act - H.R.4472 United States Congress

- **The Act is also known as the Sex Offender Registration and Notification Act (SORNA)**
- **Introduced in the House as H.R.4472 by Rep. Jim Sensenbrenner (R-WI) on December 8, 2005**
- **Passed the House on March 8, 2006 (unanimous voice vote)**
- **Passed the Senate on July 20, 2006 (unanimous voice vote)**
- **Signed into law by President George W. Bush on July 27, 2006**

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SecureAlert, Inc. Is Awarded Alaska Pretrial Services Contract

ReliAlert™ XC

One-Piece GPS Offender Monitoring Device

ReliAlert™ XC sets the standard for reliability and performance in the offender monitoring industry. Advanced features enable agencies to effectively track offender movements and communicate directly with offenders via on-board two/three-way voice communication technology, all in real-time. ReliAlert™ XC offers multiple monitoring options for agencies – collecting and reporting data as frequently as every 15 seconds during a violation to ensure critical information is available when needed. Working in conjunction with SecureAlert's 24/7/365 live Monitoring Center and TrackerPAL™ monitoring software, ReliAlert™ XC acts as a "force multiplier," providing officers with extra eyes, ears and voice in the monitoring of offenders – increasing productivity and offering peace of mind.



Two/Three-Way Voice Communication

allows SecureAlert operators and agency officers to call the offender via the ReliAlert™ XC device at any time – providing real-time violation intervention and reducing the effort spent by officers attempting to communicate with offenders.



Onboard 95-db Siren is a unique feature on the ReliAlert™ XC device that can be activated by the SecureAlert Monitoring Center as part of a violation protocol. The siren alerts victims and the public to an offender violation, helps safely assist officers with offender recovery and improves public safety.

SecureCuff™ is an optional, patent-pending, hardened steel encased security cuff for high-risk offenders. The SecureCuff™ provides valuable, extra response time for officers when offenders are attempting to abscond. When used in conjunction with live voice intervention, ReliAlert™ XC becomes the premier GPS solution for monitoring challenging offender populations.

SECUREALERT
Reliability. Peace of Mind.



SecureCuff™ For High-Risk Offenders

SecureAlert's patent pending SecureCuff™ is the only security cuff in the industry specifically made for high-risk offenders. It has encased, hardened steel bands designed to be highly cut resistant and provide officers an additional 10-15 minutes to be on-site before an offender can abscond. The SecureCuff™ includes a fiber-optic technology strap for tampering notification and specialized security screws to secure the strap to the device. The SecureCuff™ solution helps address the critical "strap cut" issue so prevalent in juveniles and high-risk adult offenders. It serves to significantly reduce the number of officer response hours attempting to locate offenders who have absconded and is not offered by any other offender monitoring company.

SecureCuff™ Specifications

- ▲ **Encased, Hardened Steel Bands:** each hardened steel band is 1/2" wide and 1/16" thick
- ▲ **Anti-Tamper Features:** extreme cut-resistant, dual steel bands; embedded fiber optics; security screws for installation/removal
- ▲ **Sizing:** measurement tool provided; multiple, pre-cut sizes available
- ▲ **GPS Device:** utilized with ReliAlert™ and ReliAlert™ XC



"The reliability of the SecureCuff™ provides peace of mind for our program and the community; and avoids the uncertainty that a defendant's spur of the moment decision to 'cut and run' is no longer an available choice."

–Dennis Johnson, Director
Alaska Pretrial Services

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Current Agencies Utilizing the Monitoring Technology Nationwide

- Detroit , MI - Wayne County – (juvenile justice)**
- Las Vegas, NV - Clark County – (juvenile justice)**
- New Jersey (adult post trial monitoring)**
- Washington – Franklin County (adult work release)*
- Washington – Asotin County (juvenile justice)
- Oregon – Benton County (juvenile justice)*
- Oregon – Malheur County (adult community corrections)*
- Oregon – Malheur County (juvenile justice)*
- Philadelphia, PA – (juvenile justice)*

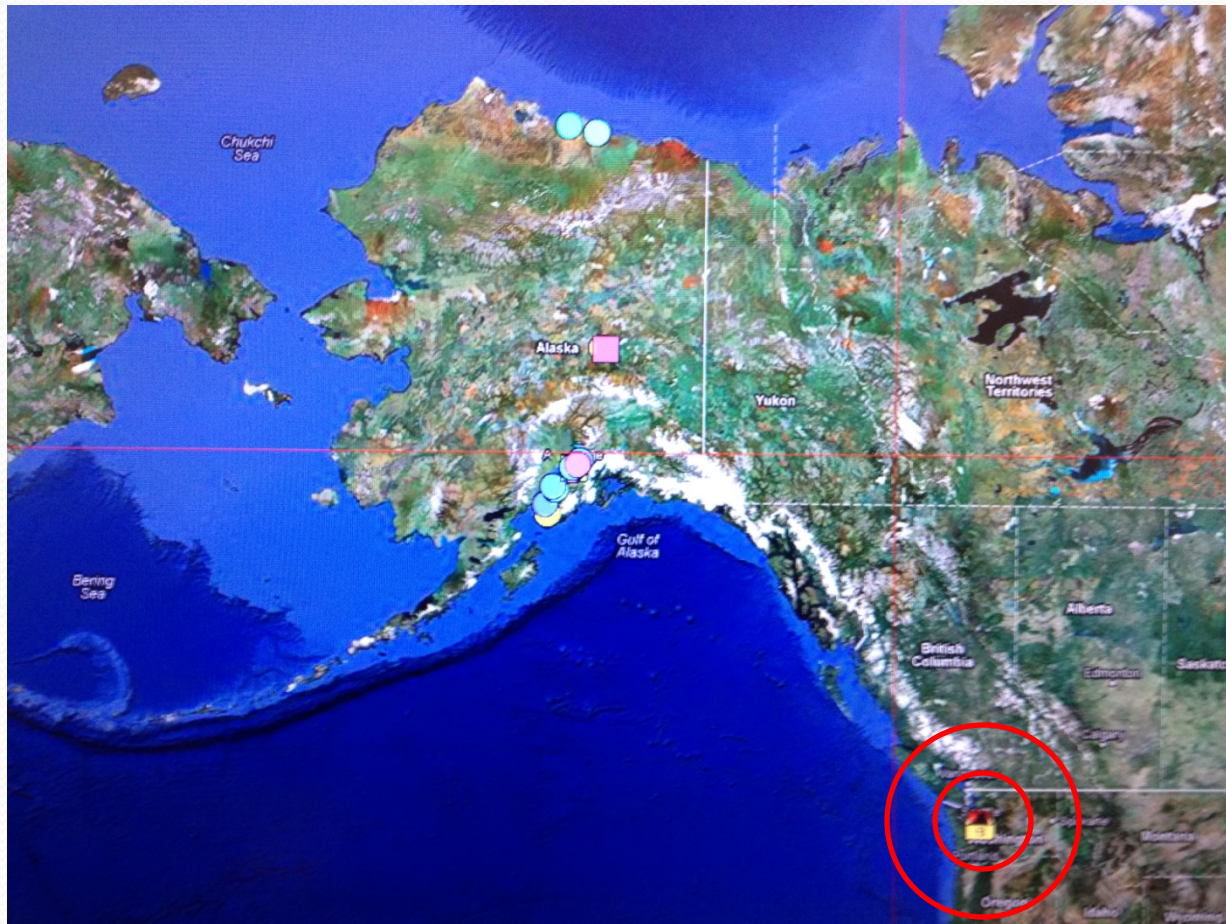
* BRK Management Inc.

** Secure Alert, Inc.

REAL TIME ACTIVE GPS / CELLULAR MONITORING STATEWIDE and Lower 48 States *

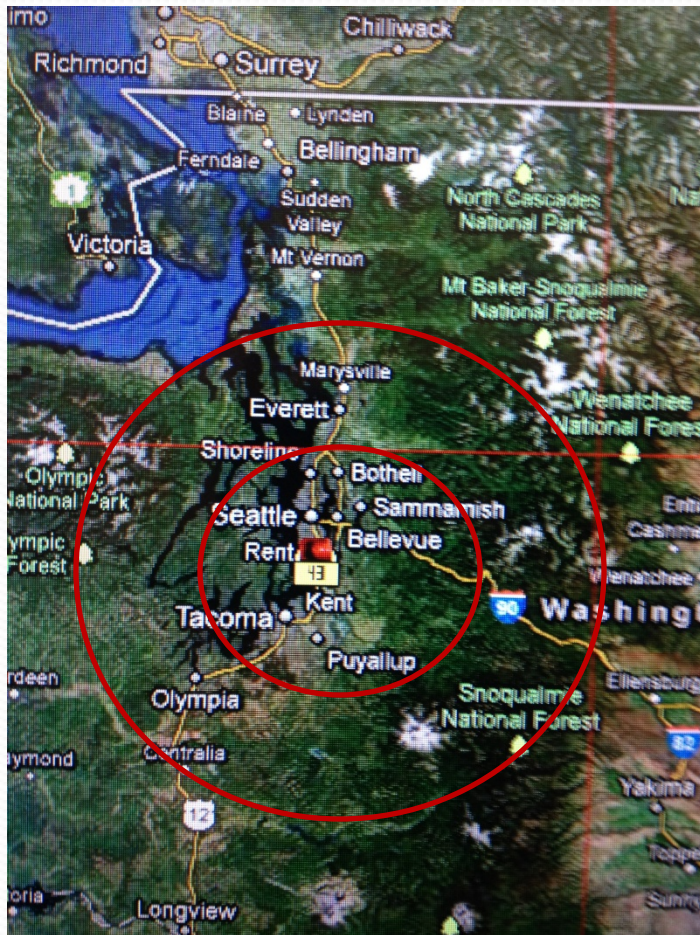
“24/7 SIGHT AND SOUND SUPERVISION”

*photo taken January 17, 2012



24/7 Real Time Monitoring for the Lower 48 States (Bereavement, Treatment, Etc.)

*photos taken January 17, 2012



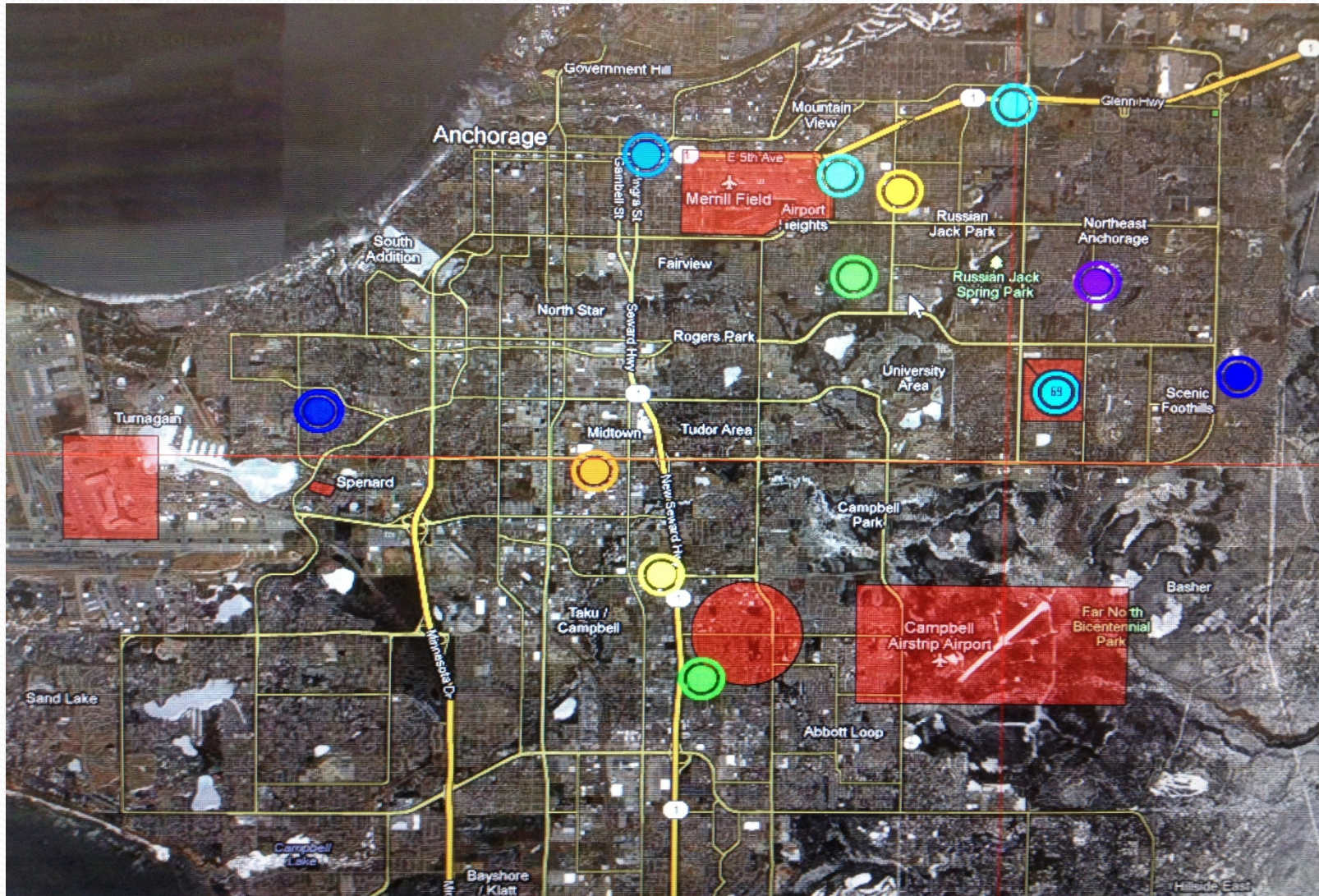
ALASKA PRETRIAL SERVICES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE / ASSAULT and VICTIMS SERVICES

- ACTIVE REAL TIME EXCLUSION ZONES FOR DEFENDANTS
- VICTIM NOTIFICATION AND SAFETY RESPONSE PROGRAM
(no cost to victim)
- COORDINATION WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT, PROBATION
AND PROSECUTION FOR IMMEDIATE RESPONSE ON
VIOLATIONS

Genevieve Tetpon Homicide March 2000 Cold Case

Public Safety and Victim Family Exclusion Zones

*photo taken January 13, 2012



Defendant released to Alaska Pretrial Services July 14, 2011

CHARGES

- MIW/ Weapon 3 x 3 – Felon in Possession – Class C Felonies
- MIW/Weapon 4 – Possess while Intoxicated – Class A Mis
- Disorderly Conduct – Class B Mis
- Minor Consuming
- Controlled Substance 4 – Class C Felony
- Theft 2 – Class C Felony
- MIW/Weapon 2 – Drug Crime – Class B Felony


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- MIW/Weapons 3 x 2 Class C Felonies
- Violation of Conditions of Release for Felony – Class A Mis



Active Real Time Alcohol Monitoring calibrated PBT with instant reporting

Alcohol Monitoring
MEMS3000



Device Features

- Breath alcohol testing with video identity verification
- Highly accurate
- Scheduled, random or on-demand tests
- Automatic re-testing on failures
- Case tamper detection technology
- Optional integrated RF monitoring

Handle Event...

Event details

Id: 1396614 Message: Alc. Test Failed-High Level Event Time: 01/13/2012 12:19:43 AST
Received Time: 01/13/2012 12:22:29

Offender details

OID: VEGASBABY Name: APS DEMO Phone: -15339356523 Last Connect: 01/13/2012 12:22:29
Handling Procedure: Agency: Auto Email & Call Officer on: Calibration Fail Case Open Alcohol Test Fi ... Language: English
Personal Verification: ...

Action List **Offender Config** **Schedule** **Tests Schedule** **Alcohol Test**

Event Picture Reference: MEMS3000 Picture 1 of 1



Event Type

Task: Breath Alcohol Test
Test Req: Manual

Status

Test Start: 01/13/2012 12:19:43
Test End: 01/13/2012 12:20:24

Alcohol Level

Test: 0.3460
Allowed: 0.0100
Test Status: Suspicious BAT result

Details

Picture Match: Unknown

Press Retries: 0
No. Exhaling Retries: 0

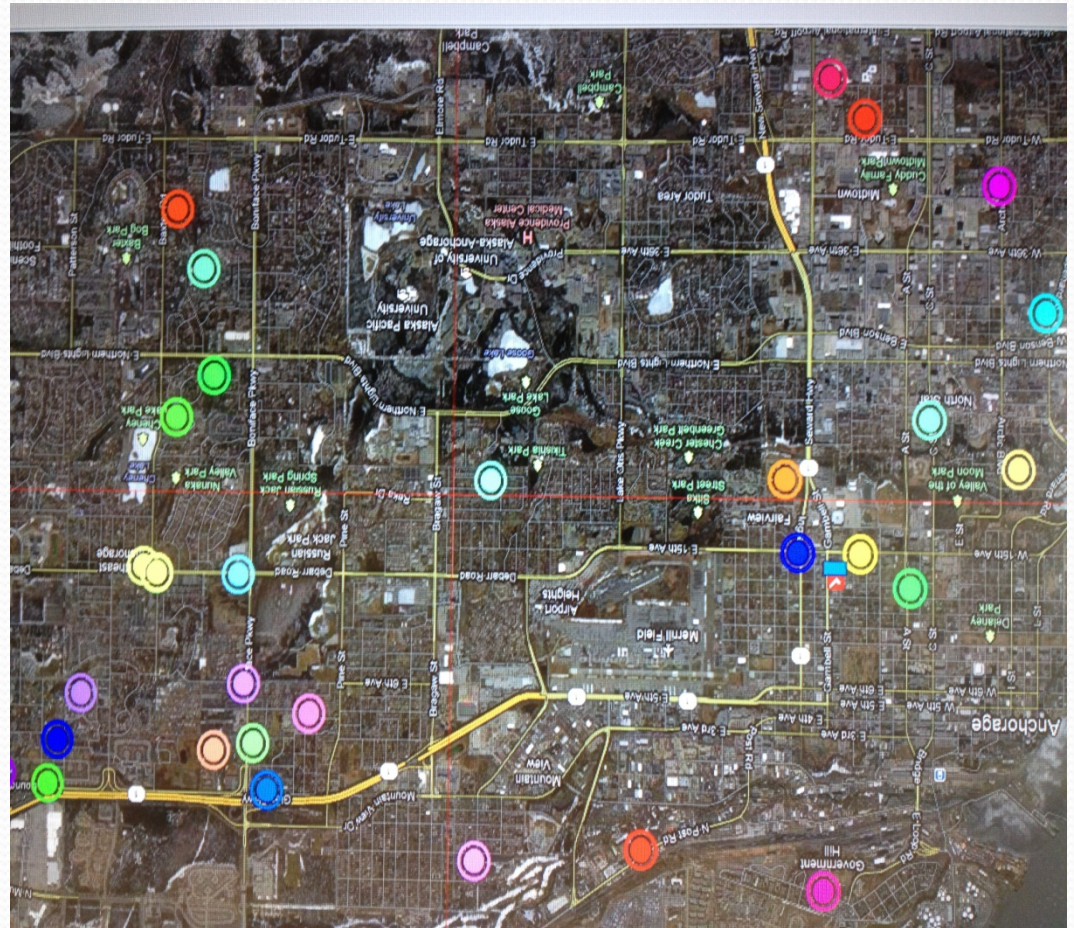
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Call... **Fax...** **Pager** **Email** **Remark** **Warning** **BAT** **Handle** **Close**

Law Enforcement Crime Scene Reporting

***photo taken January 13, 2012**

Alaska Pretrial Service's Program can provide Law Enforcement Personnel with the exact location of Defendants under our supervision in the area where a crime has occurred. This information can be sorted by different categories to assist the investigation with possible suspects.



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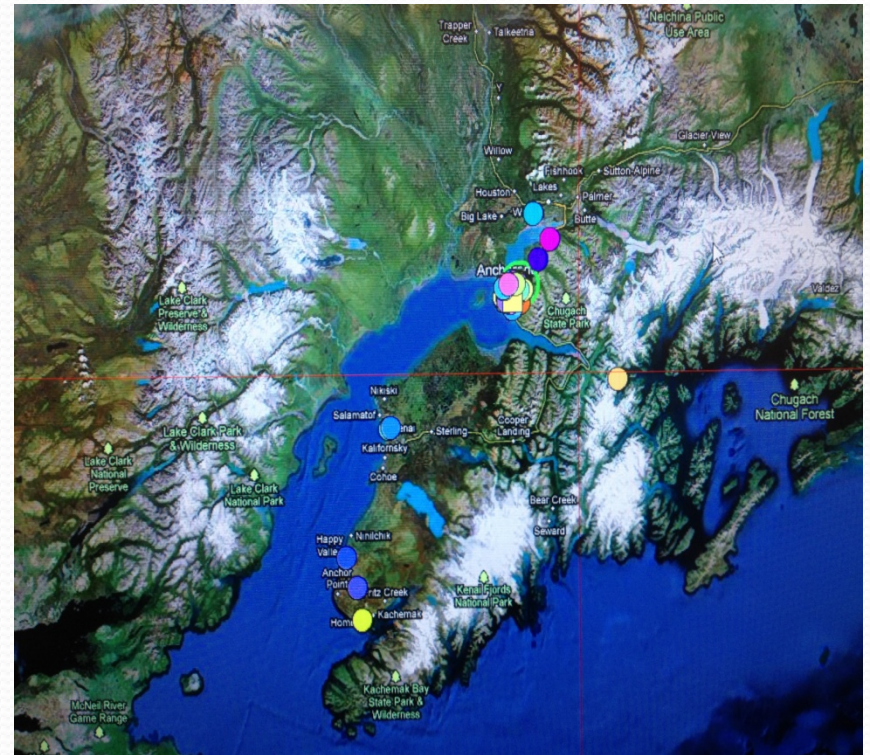
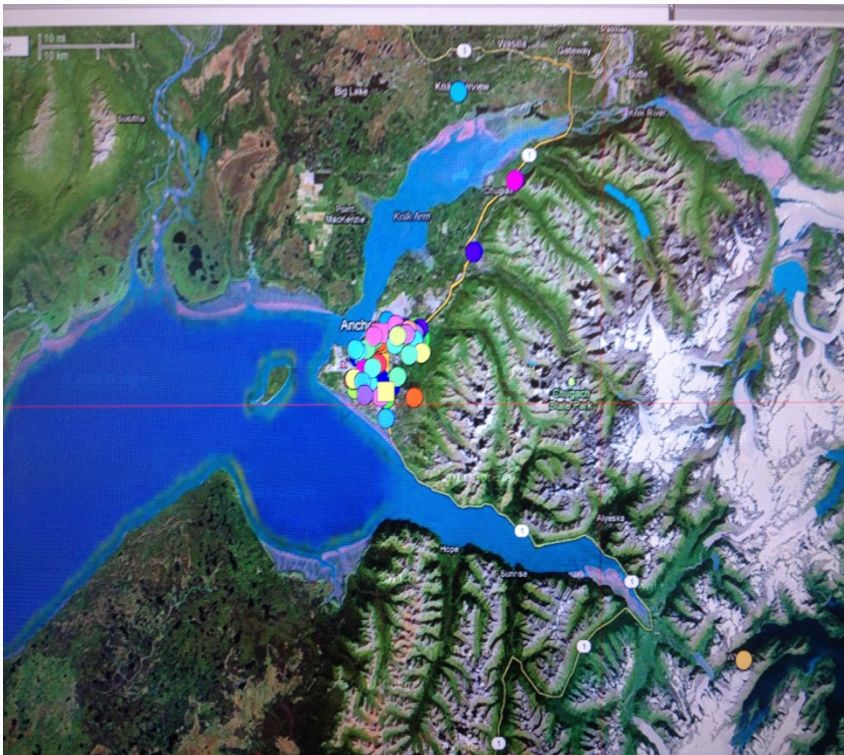
\$134.90*

*2011 Alaska Legislative Session

ALASKA PRETRIAL SERVICES operates at 62.5% less per day at a private level.



... As a defendant funded elective program this is a cost savings to Alaskans of \$18,751.10 per day based on the 139 Offenders currently assigned to ALASKA PRETRIAL SERVICES for supervision. (60 day average pre-trial incarceration cost of \$1,125,066.00)



2011 ALASKA PRETRIAL SERVICES PROJECT

- From 2011 to date APS has been approved / provided supervision for 236 pre-trial defendants as a Third Party Custodian Entity.
- Of the 236 defendants APS remanded 41 defendants for violations of bail conditions.
- 19 of the defendants received additional felony charges as a direct result of the APS violation remands.
- 5 of the violations were direct immediate threats to domestic violence victims or involved no contact order violations.
- 4 defendants attempted to tamper and remove the device and were remanded by APS back to DOC with bail being revoked.
- 18 defendants were remanded for alcohol violations while out on DUI / OUI charges.
- 56 defendants completed pre-trial supervision successfully without any violations and have been released.

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This was accomplished with

- 4 Compliance Officers in our Anchorage Main Office
- 2 Compliance Officers in our Fairbanks Office
- 2 Compliance Officers in our Kenai Office
- 3 Full Time administrative assistants

..... 3 of the personnel above on this project are full time volunteers, including myself.

All my staff and I are committed to providing a means of continued public safety while providing a cost effective way to supervise those entitled to fair and reasonable bail.

*Dennis Johnson, Director
Alaska Pretrial Services*

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